



2011 NYU Women's Leadership Forum

A Forum for Faculty and Administrators in Leadership Roles

FRIDAY, November 4, 2011
9:30 AM - 2:00 PM

NYU Law School
Lipton Hall
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New York, NY



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Event Program

9:30 am Registration

10:00 am Welcome

Diane C. Yu

Chief of Staff & Deputy to the President, New York University

10:05 am Panel Discussion I: Women, Power, and Leadership

Ilene H. Lang

President & CEO, Catalyst

Marylouise Oates

Activist, Journalist, and Author

Anna Harvey

Associate Professor of Politics, New York University

Diane C. Yu, Moderator

Chief of Staff & Deputy to the President, New York University

11:20 am Break

11:30 am Panel Discussion II: Women in Academe: Managing the Time Crunch

Sylvia Ann Hewlett

Founder, Center for Work-Life Policy

Linda G. Mills

Senior Vice Provost for Undergraduates in the Global Network University,
New York University

Raquel Fernández, Moderator

Professor of Economics, New York University

12:45 pm Lunch

**Presentations by Women's Networking Groups at NYU*

***Special Guest: The Honorable Christine C. Quinn**

Speaker, City Council of New York

2:00 pm Adjourn

Speaker Biographies

Raquel Fernández

Professor of Economics, New York University

Raquel Fernández is a Professor in the Department of Economics at NYU. She is also a member of ESOP at the University of Oslo, the NBER, the CEPR, IZA, and a member of the Human Capital and Economic Opportunity Working Group. She has served as the Director of the Public Policy Program of the CEPR and as a Panel Member of the National Science Foundation. Currently she is on the Executive Committee of the Latin American and Caribbean Economic Association and just finished serving as an advisor to the World Bank's latest World Development Report that focused on Gender Equality and Development. Her latest research is primarily in the areas of development and gender issues, inequality, culture and economics, and political economy.

Anna Harvey

Associate Professor of Politics, New York University

Anna Harvey is an Associate Professor in New York University's Department of Politics. She joined NYU upon receiving her Ph.D. in Politics from Princeton University in 1995. She has written extensively on women in politics, judicial politics, and comparative constitutional law. Her first book, *Votes Without Leverage: Women in American Electoral Politics 1920-1968*, was published by Cambridge University Press in 1998. Her second book, *The Myth of Judicial Independence*, is forthcoming from Yale University Press. Professor Harvey has also published numerous articles in peer-reviewed academic journals. She has two children, aged 10 and 7.

Sylvia Ann Hewlett

Founder, Center for Work-Life Policy

Sylvia Ann Hewlett is an economist and the founding president of the Center for Work-Life Policy, a nonprofit think tank where she chairs the "Hidden Brain Drain," a task force of 67 global companies committed to global talent innovation. She also directs the Gender and Policy Program at the School of International and Public Affairs, Columbia University. Dr. Hewlett is a member of the Council on Foreign Relations and the World Economic Forum Council on Women's Empowerment. She is the author of nine *Harvard Business Review* articles and 11 critically acclaimed nonfiction books including *Off-Ramps and On-Ramps* and *Winning the War for Talent in Emerging Markets* (Harvard Business Review Press). Her writings have appeared in the *New York Times*, the *Financial Times*, *Foreign Affairs*, and the *International Herald Tribune*, and she is a featured blogger on HBR.org and *Forbes*. In 2011 she received the Isabel Benham Award from the Women's Bond Club and Woman of the Year Award from the Financial Women's Association. She is a frequent guest on television, appearing on Oprah, Newshour with Jim Lehrer, Charlie Rose, the Today Show, and CNN Headline News. Dr. Hewlett has taught at Cambridge, Columbia, and Princeton universities. A Kennedy Scholar and graduate of Cambridge University, she earned her PhD in economics at London University.

Ilene H. Lang
President & CEO, Catalyst

Ilene H. Lang is the President & CEO of Catalyst, the leading research and advisory organization working to change workplaces and improve lives through advancing women into business leadership. She was appointed President in August 2003 and named Chief Executive Officer in September 2008. Ms. Lang brings energy and corporate savvy to the advancement of women in every sector of the global marketplace. Her expertise on the advancement of women in corporations and professional firms, corporate boards and governance, workforce demographic trends, the business case for women's career development, innovative strategies for retaining and advancing women, and work-life effectiveness is often called upon by the media, member companies and firms, and other organizations. She regularly addresses national and international groups of senior leaders in a variety of business, academic, and public policy venues. Her blog, *Catalyzing*, was called "insightful" by Forbes; she also blogs on The Huffington Post.

Linda G. Mills
**Senior Vice Provost for Undergraduates in the Global Network University,
New York University**

Linda Mills is Professor of Social Work, Public Policy and Law at NYU, where she is also Senior Vice Provost for Undergraduates in the Global Network University. As Senior Vice Provost, Professor Mills is responsible for undergraduate academic planning and the overall undergraduate experience, enrollment management, health and mental health policy and programming, residential education, and faculty and student academic programming beyond the classroom. Mills's academic interests focus on violence and recovery. She is a prolific writer and researcher and her books and articles have been published by Princeton University Press, Basic Books, and Cornell and Harvard Law Reviews. Her research has been funded by the National Science Foundation and the National Institute of Justice. Her editorials have been published in *USA Today* and the *Los Angeles Times*. She has been a blogger for *Psychology Today* and has been featured in the *New York Times Magazine*, *People*, *Harpers and Queen*, and *Glamour*. She has also appeared twice on *The Oprah Winfrey Show* and was a guest on the *O'Reilly Factor*. Mills is the Co-Writer, Co-Director, and Co-Producer of *Auf Wiedersehen, 'Til We Meet Again*, which has shown to audiences at film festivals around the world and has also been selected for Holocaust Education by the Austrian Ministry of Education, Arts, and Culture.

Marylouise Oates
Activist, Journalist, and Author

Marylouise Oates holds an M.Div. from Yale. After becoming one of the first two women on *The Daily Pennsylvanian*, the student newspaper of the University of Pennsylvania, she became the youngest national reporter for United Press International, covering the 1964 Democratic Convention, the Philadelphia riots and New Jersey politics. She then moved to the National Desk in New York City. She joined the "Dump Johnson" movement, then served as Deputy National Press Secretary, McCarthy for President. She was the journalist-in-residence, *The Daily California*, the University of California, Berkeley, 1968-69, then returned to Washington D.C., where she was the press secretary for the National Vietnam Moratorium and then for the National Welfare

Rights Organization. She was politically active in the gay and lesbian civil rights movement in California in the 1970s, and then became a reporter and the society columnist for the *Los Angeles Times*, where she refocused coverage to include minority communities, the power of political money, and the emerging AIDS crisis. She is the author of three novels: one of them, *Making Peace*, which describes the turmoil and intrigues of the anti-war movement, was praised in the *New York Times* for capturing the spirit of those times. She worked with First Lady Hillary Clinton in the global initiative to empower women, Vital Voices, and created and directed the Friends of the Communities of Northern Ireland, which has raised and allocated more than 5-million pounds to community-building and peace-building projects.

The Honorable Christine C. Quinn
Speaker, City Council of New York

Since her election as City Council Speaker, Christine C. Quinn has established herself as a champion for working families, fighting for policies and services that are critical to the lives of real New Yorkers. She has worked to make the Council more responsive to the needs of all New Yorkers, and dramatically increased transparency and accountability. Quinn has developed a reputation for finding innovative solutions, and furthering policies that are both creative and fiscally responsible. In the past four years, Speaker Quinn has taken on a wide range of issues, including: housing, education, seniors, environment, small business, equality and civil rights, health, food and nutrition. Since 1999, Quinn has served as the representative for the 3rd Council District of Manhattan. She and her partner, Kim Catullo, live in Chelsea. She was born in Glen Cove, Long Island, and graduated from Trinity College in Hartford, Connecticut. She is the first female and first openly gay Speaker of the City Council.

Diane C. Yu
Chief of Staff and Deputy to the President, New York University

Yu is Chief of Staff and Deputy to the President at New York University, the nation's largest private university, where she is a member of the University's top decision making team and is a key presidential advisor regarding dealings with NYU Trustees, deans, faculty, students, and the University Senate. She also oversees the Office of Compliance and Office of Equal Opportunity. She teaches a leadership class at NYU and is the Executive Director of the Sheikh Mohamed bin Zayed Scholars Program and Co-Executive Director of the NYU Abu Dhabi Summer Academy for Outstanding Emirati High School Students. Previously, she was Managing Counsel at Monsanto Company, State Bar of California General Counsel (for whom she won a case in the U.S. Supreme Court), White House Fellow, and California Superior Court Commissioner. She attended Oberlin College (B.A.) and U.C. Berkeley (Boalt Hall, J.D.). She sits on the boards of Oberlin College, American Management Association, and Boalt Hall Alumni Association. She served as the White House Fellows Association President and chaired the American Bar Association's Commission on Women in the Profession. Among her numerous awards are Ten Outstanding Young Women of America and an honorary doctorate from City University of New York.

Presentations By

New York University Women's Networking Groups

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Fusion Film Festival – *Susan C. Sandler*
Child Care Services – *Debra Szybinski*
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