

New York University's
Frederic Ewen Academic Freedom Center
2nd Annual Conference

Friday, April 3rd, 2009
9:30am -6:00pm

Helen and Martin Kimmel Center
60 Washington Square South
Room 905/907

To RSVP, please email zk3@nyu.edu

9:30 am Welcome

- Stuart Ewen, Chairman, The Frederic Ewen Academic Freedom Center Board of Directors; Distinguished Professor, City University of New York

9:45 am Keynote Address

- Alison Bernstein, Vice President Knowledge, Creativity and Freedom Program, Ford Foundation

10:15 am Academic Capitalism and the Commodification of Knowledge

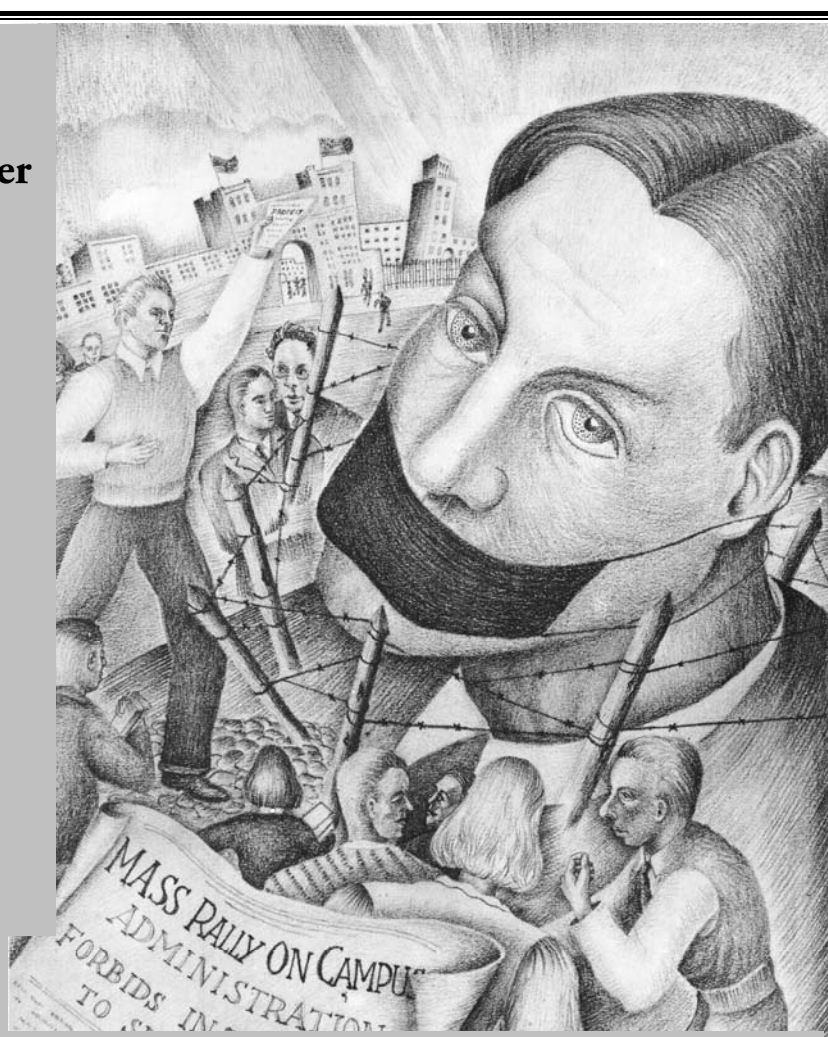
- David L. Kirp, *Chair and Comment*, Professor of Public Policy, University of California at Berkeley
- Marc Bousquet, Professor of English, Santa Clara University
- Jennifer Washburn, Journalist and Author

11:45 am Break

12:00 pm Academic Freedom and the International Perspective

- Robert Quinn, *Chair and Comment*, Director, Scholars at Risk Network, New York University
- Philip G. Altbach, Director, Center for International Higher Education, Boston College
- Joe Stork, Deputy Director, Human Rights Watch, Middle East and North Africa Division

1:15 pm Lunch on your own



2:15 pm Science, Technology, and Academic Freedom

- Jeff Schmidt, *Chair and Comment*, Author
- Mary Ebeling, Assistant Professor, Sociology, Department of Culture and Communication, Drexel University.
- David Noble, Professor of History, York University, Toronto
- Denis G. Rancourt, Professor of Physics, University of Ottawa

4:15 pm The Red Scare and the Academy

- James Livingston, *Chair and Comment*, Professor of History, Rutgers University
- Phillip Deery, Ewen Fellow and Professor of History, Victoria University, Melbourne
- Stephen Leberstein, Ewen Fellow and Professor of Political Science, Brooklyn College

5:30 pm Closing Remarks

- Cary Nelson, Professor of English, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

6:00 pm Reception