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Rethinking Innovation Policy:
The Role of the State
Government policy and technological innovation are inextricably intertwined. From the advent of the internet to advances in modern fintech, the state has played a meaningful but underexplored role. At its third annual symposium, occurring on January 24, the *Journal of Law & Innovation* (JLI) seeks to explore the mechanisms through which the state has attempted to spur or hinder such innovations. *JLI* asks: in which sectors should policy and regulation play an active role? Is government involvement in fostering innovation always desirable? Tackling these questions will enable policymakers to begin to rethink the role of the state in innovation policy.

**Speakers**

Shane Greenstein  
*Harvard Business School*

Roger Noll  
*Stanford University*

Gus Hurwitz  
*Nebraska College of Law*

Hilary Allen  
*American University Washington College of Law*

Camilla Alexandra Hrdy  
*University of Akron School of Law*

Tal Zarsky  
*University of Haifa Law*

**Commentators**

Janet Abbate  
*Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University*

Herbert Hovenkamp  
*University of Pennsylvania*

David Zaring  
*The Wharton School*

Tom Baker  
*University of Pennsylvania Law School*

Michael Abramowicz  
*The George Washington University School of Law*

Katherine Strandburg  
*NYU Law School*
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9:00-9:30am    Registration
                Breakfast available

9:30-9:45am    Opening Remarks
                Saba Bajwa
                Michael Buchwald
                Christopher Yoo

9:45-10:45am   Inconvenient Truths About the Commercialization of the Internet
                Presenter: Shane Greenstein
                Commentator: Janet Abbate

10:45-11:45am  Regulation as Partnership
                Presenter: Gus Hurwitz
                Commentator: David Zaring

11:45am-1:00pm Lunch

1:00-2:00pm    How Regulation is Grappling with FinTech
                Presenter: Hillary Allen
                Commentator: Tom Baker

2:00-3:00pm    Re-Visiting the Privacy/Innovation Conundrum
                Presenter: Tal Zarsky
                Commentators: Katherine Strandburg & Yafit Lev-Aretz

3:00-3:15pm    Afternoon Break

3:15-4:15pm    Innovation or Jobs? An Inconvenient Truth About Public Financing for "Innovation"
                Presenter: Camilla Alexandra Hrdy
                Commentator: Michael Abramowicz

4:15-5:15pm    Policy Interventions in Markets Involving Complex Technologies
                Presenter: Roger Noll
                Commentator: Herbert Hovenkamp

5:15-5:30pm    Closing Remarks
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