



## January 30, 2017

### Law, Technology and Innovation Workshop: Ruth Okediji

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Time: 4:30pm

Location: Faculty Lounge

Professors Shyam Balganesh and Christopher Yoo welcome special guest speaker Professor Ruth Okediji to their weekly colloquium.

**Professor Ruth L. Okediji**, the University of Minnesota Law School's William L. Prosser Professor of Law since 2003, teaches contracts, international intellectual property (IP), copyright, trademarks, and IP and development. She is recognized worldwide as one of the foremost experts on international IP law and international economic regulation.

Her scholarship focuses on issues of innovation policy, economic development, and global knowledge governance in the context of international institutions and public international law.

Professor Okediji has been acknowledged nationally and internationally for her research and professional service and is regularly cited for her work on IP-related issues in developing and least-developed countries. She has served as a policy advisor on the impact of IP protection on development goals for many governments and inter-governmental organizations. She also has been a consultant for the U.N. Conference on Trade and Development, the U.N. Development Program, and the World Intellectual Property Organization and has directed research and technical assistance projects in Europe, Sub-Saharan Africa, and the Caribbean.



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