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Lehman & WaMu — Ten Years Later: Lessons Learned and Planning Ahead

Time: 4:30pm - 6:30pm

Location: Gittis 1, Berylson Family Classroom

A decade has passed since the onset of the "Great Recession." In September 2008, at the height of the financial crisis, Lehman Brothers and Washington Mutual filed for chapter 11 protection—instantly becoming the two largest bankruptcies in United States' history. Ten years later, this conference will explore these cases from the perspectives of the presiding judges and from individuals involved in the ongoing legislative response to amend the Bankruptcy Code to better facilitate the reorganization of a failing major bank.

This conference is hosted by The University of Pennsylvania Institute for Restructuring Studies.

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PANEL 1: *Lehman & WaMu*: A Retrospective 4:35 - 5:30 PM

PANELISTS

• The Honorable Shelley C. Chapman, Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York

• The Honorable Mary F. Walrath, Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware

PANEL 2: Planning Ahead: Legislative Responses to *Lehman & WaMu* 5:30 - 6:30 PM

PANELISTS

• Donald Bernstein, Partner, Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP

• Anthony Grossi, Former Bankruptcy Counsel, United States House Committee on the Judiciary; Partner, Kirkland & Ellis LLP

• Stephen Hessler, Partner, Kirkland & Ellis LLP; Co-Founder, Penn Restructuring Institute

• David Skeel, Professor, University of Pennsylvania Law School; Co-Founder, Penn Restructuring Institute

The Penn Restructuring Institute is a multidisciplinary initiative intended to address topical corporate insolvency issues and influence the public policy debate in a manner that has practical application for investors, practitioners, regulators, and academics.

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