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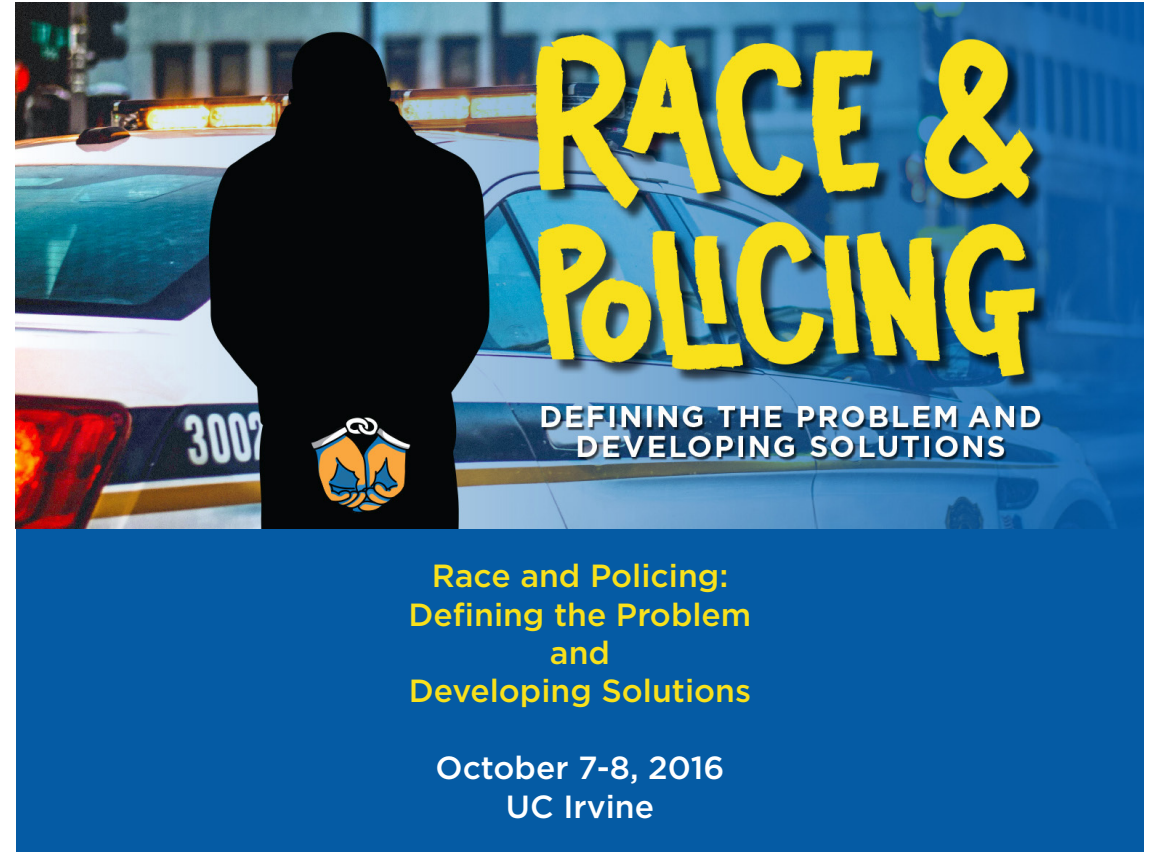
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Repeated instances of police violence against people of color raise serious questions about the impact of race on policing. This symposium will bring together leading scholars and innovative practitioners to define the problem, identify challenges, and discuss possible solutions to this persistent issue.

This symposium coincides with the anticipated launch of the UCI Institute for Policing in Society (IPS). The goal of IPS is to serve as the premier multidisciplinary policy think tank to study all facets of policing in order to inform a future of policing in America that is defined by democratic principles, protection of civil rights and civil liberties, and evidence-based policy. This symposium will help to develop an initial research agenda focused on race and policing.

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SCHEDULE

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7 – Pacific Ballroom D, Student Center

8:00 – 8:30 AM Introduction

Geoff Ward, UCI
Wesley G. Skogan, Northwestern University, *Police Reform: What Have We Learned?*

8:30 – 9:45 Panel One: Street-Level Policing

Chair: Mario Barnes, UCI
L. Song Richardson, UCI, *Suspicion Cascades*
Chuck Epp, University of Kansas
Nikki Jones, University of California, Berkeley, *How Things Fall Apart: Lessons from the Video Analysis of Police-Civilian Encounters*
Devon Carbado, UCLA, *From Stopping Black People to Killing Black People*

9:45 – 10:00 Break

10:00 – 11:30 Panel Two: After Ferguson: What is happening on the ground to address the current challenge to police-community relations

Chair: Valerie Jenness, UCI
Lisa Daugaard, Public Defender Association (LEAD), *Harm Reduction Policing*
Christy E. Lopez, US DOJ, *Police Reform Post Ferguson: A View from DOJ*
Sue Rahr, Washington State Criminal Justice Training, *Leading Change in Police Culture*
Arif Alikhan, LAPD, *The LAPD and the Evolution of Police-Community Relations in Los Angeles*
Jeff Robinson, ACLU, *Command and Control Police Culture in Communities of Color*

11:30 – 11:45 Break

11:45 – 12:45 PM Lunch: A Conversation with Chief Charles Beck, LAPD

Henry Weinstein – Moderator, UCI

12:45 – 1:00 Break

1:00 – 2:15

Panel Three: Police Accountability

Chair: Charis Kubrin, UCI
Erwin Chemerinsky, UCI, *The Prerequisites for Effective Police Reform: The Los Angeles Experience*
Carroll Seron, UCI, *Judging Just Punishment for Police Misconduct: The Assessment of Police Officers and Citizens*
Samuel Walker, University of Nebraska at Omaha, *The Heart of the Matter: Officer Use of Force Reports as the Core of Police Accountability, Issues and Obstacles*
Merrick Bobb, PARC

2:15 – 3:45

Panel Four: New Directions and New Challenges for Policing

Chair: Cheryl Maxson, UCI
Jennifer Chacón, UCI, *Naturalizing Racial Profiling*
Michael Davis, Northeastern University Chief of Police, *A Practitioner's Perspective on New Directions for Policing*
Cheryl Dorsey, Author, *Black and Blue: Understanding the Concept of Contempt of Cop*
Michele Bratcher Goodwin, UCI, *Policing Women and Girls: Race, Class, and Policy Blind Spots*
Ana Muñoz, UCI, *The Future of Alternatives to Police*

3:45 – 4:00

Break

4:00 – 5:30

Panel Five: Race and Suspicion

Chair: Kaaryn Gustafson, UCI
George E. Tita, UCI, *Mission Improbable? The Purpose & Science of Predictive Policing*
Andrew Guthrie Ferguson, UDC, *Black Data Policing*
Jeffrey Fagan, Columbia, *Suspicious Predictions*
Jack Glaser, University of California, Berkeley, *The Psychological Science on Race and Criminal Suspicion; and What Variation in Discretion Can Tell Us About Suspicion*
Hamid Khan, Stop LAPD Spying Coalition, *Flawed By Design*

5:30 – 5:45

Break

5:45 – 6:30

Closing Remarks

Introduction by Dean Erwin Chemerinsky
Closing Remarks: Judge Shira Scheindlin
Moderated Question and Answer

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8 – UCI School Law

9:00 – 11:00 AM

New Steps: Toward a Research Agenda for IPS

Moderated discussion with Cheryl Maxson, L. Song Richardson, Carroll Seron, Geoff Ward