

## Acknowledgments

**RHONDA BROWN** (Editor-in-Chief, *Yale Law & Policy Review*): We at the *Yale Law & Policy Review* like to consider ourselves unusual if not unique in our multidisciplinary approach and our focus on contemporary legal issues. This is the first time in recent memory, however, that we have taken ourselves off the printed page and tried to address these issues in a live forum. As a result, there are a number of people I would like to thank because we certainly could not have tried this without their help.

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I am now fortunate to introduce to you Harold Koh, an Associate Professor of Law here at the Law School. He has been an Associate Professor at the Law School since 1985. He teaches International Trade as well as International Business Transactions and Legal Constraints on the Foreign Affairs Power. Professor Koh received an A.B. from Harvard in 1975 and a B.A. from Oxford in 1977. He received his J.D. from Harvard in 1980, where he was Development Editor of the Harvard Law Review. Professor Koh clerked for Judge Malcolm Wilkey of the U.S. Court of Appeals in the D.C. Circuit from 1980 to 1981 and for Justice Harry Blackmun of the U.S. Supreme Court from 1981 to 1982. He was an associate at the law

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