

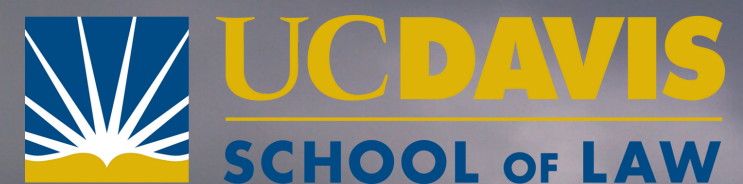
# 2022 ELS SYMPOSIUM: BEYOND THE CARBON THRESHOLD

## LEGAL AND POLICY SOLUTIONS TO ADDRESS CLIMATE CHANGE IN A POST 400 PPM WORLD

FRIDAY, MARCH 4, 2022

9AM - 2:40 PM | ZOOM | MCLE CREDITS

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### 9:00 - 9:50 AM OPENING REMARKS

Kevin Johnson, Dean, UC Davis School of Law  
Kristina Hambley & Vrunda Shah, Environmental Law Society  
Symposium Co-Chairs  
Keynote: **Alison Hahm**, Attorney, Communities for a Better  
Environment

### 9:50 - 10:50 AM California's Path to Carbon Neutrality

**Richard Frank** [Moderator], Professor of Environmental Practice  
UCD School of Law, Director,  
California Environmental Law & Policy Center  
**Darcie L. Houck**, Commissioner, California Public Utilities  
Commission (CPUC)  
**Amber Mahone**, Partner, Partner at Energy and Environmental  
Economics, Inc. (E3)  
**Amanda Hansen**, Deputy Secretary for Climate Change,  
California Natural Resources Agency  
**Michael Murza**, Senior Attorney, California Energy Commission

10:50 - 11:10 AM Networking Break Out Rooms

### 11:20 - 12:20 PM Statutory Shortcomings in Environmental Justice

**Suma Peesapati** [Moderator], Environmental Justice and  
Community Engagement Officer, Bay  
Area Air Quality Management District  
**Zsea Bowmani**, Adjunct Environmental Law and Policy Lecturer  
at Santa Clara University  
**Byron Chan**, Senior Associate Attorney, Earthjustice

12:20 - 12:40 PM Networking Break Out Rooms

12:40 - 1:20 PM Lunch

### 1:20 - 2:20 PM The Importance of Environmental Nuisance Litigation

**Stephanie Safdi** [Moderator], Clinical Supervising Attorney and  
Lecturer, Environmental Law Clinic, Stanford Law School  
**Malia McPherson**, Deputy City Attorney, Community Lawyering &  
Civil Rights Unit (CLCR) of the Affirmative Litigation, Innovation &  
Enforcement Division, City of Oakland  
**Steve Fleischli**, Senior Director, Water Initiatives, Healthy People  
& Thriving Communities  
Program, NRDC  
**Julia Graeser Mata**, Partner, Barg Coffin Lewis & Trapp LLP

2:20 - 2:40 PM Networking Break Out Rooms