Research Roundtable Webinar on FTC/DOJ Public Inquiry on Modernizing Merger Guidelines

Northwestern Pritzker School of Law

Tuesday, March 1, 2022

1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. CDT

Times listed below are CDT.

1:30 p.m. Welcome
Matthew L. Spitzer, Howard and Elizabeth Chapman Professor and Director, Northwestern Center on Law, Business, and Economics, Northwestern Pritzker School of Law

1:35-3:30 Session One: Where Are We and How Did We Get Here?
Moderator: D. Daniel Sokol, Professor of Law, USC Gould School of Law

• How should we think about out of market effects?
• What sort of presumptions should we need?
• Should we be rethinking market definition?

3:30 p.m. Adjourn

Confirmed Participants (as of March 1, 2022)

1. Susan Athey, The Economics of Technology Professor, Stanford Graduate School of Business
2. Daniel A. Crane, Frederick Paul Furth Sr. Professor of Law, University of Michigan Law School
3. Kirti Gupta, Chief Economist, Qualcomm, and Senior Advisor, CSIS
4. Erik Hovenkamp, Assistant Professor of Law, USC Gould School of Law
5. Ginger Jin, Professor of Economics, Department of Economics, University of Maryland
7. Francine Lafontaine, Interim Dean, William Davidson Professor of Business Economics and Public Policy, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, University of Michigan
8. John O. McGinnis, George C. Dix Professor in Constitutional Law, Northwestern Pritzker School of Law
9. A. Douglas Melamed, Professor of the Practice of Law, Stanford Law
10. Barak Orbach, Professor of Law; Director, Business Law Program, University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law
11. Randal C. Picker, James Parker Hall Distinguished Service Professor of Law, The University of Chicago Law School
12. Douglas Rathbun, Competition Policy, Meta Platforms
13. William Rogerson, Charles E. and Emma H. Morrison Professor, Department of Economics, Northwestern University
14. Nancy L. Rose, Charles P. Kindleberger Professor of Applied Economics, MIT
15. Steve C. Salop, Professor of Economics and Law, Georgetown Law
16. Carl Shapiro, Transamerica Professor of Business Strategy, Haas School of Business at the University of California, Berkeley
17. James B. Speta, Senior Associate Dean for International Initiatives; Professor of Law; Northwestern Pritzker School of Law
18. Howard Shelanski, Professor of Law, Georgetown University
19. D. Daniel Sokol, Professor of Law, USC Gould School of Law
20. Matthew L. Spitzer, Howard and Elizabeth Chapman Professor and Director, Northwestern Center on Law, Business, and Economics, Northwestern Pritzker School of Law
21. Sean P. Sullivan, Associate Professor of Law, The University of Iowa College of Law
22. Christopher S. Yoo, John H. Chestnut Professor of Law, Communication, and Computer & Information Science, University of Pennsylvania Law School