Keynote Speaker:

Professor Michelle “Mikki” Hebl

About the Speaker: Mikki Hebl is a professor of psychology and management at Rice University. She graduated with her B.A. from Smith College and her Ph.D. at Dartmouth College. She joined the faculty at Rice University in 1998 and was given the endowed title of the Radoslav Tsanoff Assistant Professorship in 2000. Mikki is an applied psychologist who is interested in the ways in which social psychological phenomena can be applied to industries and organizations. Her research specifically focuses on workplace discrimination and the barriers stigmatized individuals (such as women and ethnic minorities) face in social interactions, the hiring process, business settings, and the medical community.

February 23, 2012

Reception:
600 21st Street, NW
5:15p.m. to 5:45p.m.

Seminar:
Funger Hall, Rm. 209
2201 G Street, NW
6:00p.m. to 7:00p.m.

** FREE ADMISSION **

About the Seminar: Professor Hebl will discuss subtle discrimination. Subtle discrimination is enacted through everyday interpersonal practice, referred to as micro-transgressions or micro-incivilities. Her talk will provide concrete examples of subtle discrimination against individuals who are members of stigmatized groups. Although subtle discrimination is problematic individuals subjected to them do not have recourse through legal channels. Professor Hebl will therefore address how individuals and organizations can act to reduce such behavior.

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