Past Essex Law Lectures

Thursday 25 February 2016
Professor David Ormerod QC – Law Commissioner for England and Wales responsible for Criminal law, Evidence and Procedure

Tuesday 3rd March 2015
Henry Blaxland QC
Miscarriages of Justice Who cares?

27th February 2014
Richard Howitt, M.E.P
European Promotion of Human Rights and Election Monitoring

5th March 2013
Sir Stanley Burnton, former Lord Justice of Appeal
“The Internationalisation of English Law”

15th March 2012
Keir Starmer QC, Director of Prosecutions
“Finality in criminal justice: When should the CPS reopen cases?”

16th February 2011
Frances Crook, Director of Howard League for Penal Reform
"Is our prison system legal?"

10th March 2010
Michael Mansfield QC
“A hung Parliament in all senses of the word”

24th February 2009
The Rt Honourable David Blunkett MP
"Does tolerance stretch to the intolerable? - When should individual rights trump mental well-being?"

12th March 2008
Sir Albert Ainsley-Green Children’s Commissioner
“11 Million concerns over Children and Young People in conflict with the Law”.

8th March 2007
Shami Chakrabarti Director of Liberty
On Human Rights or “Home Grown Rights” Fiddling While Rome Burns

7th March 2006
The Right Honourable Lord Justice Hooper
“The Defendant Player or Spectator in the Criminal Process”

1st March 2005
Anne Owers HM chief Inspector of Prisons
“Prisons and the Protection of the Public”

19th February 2004
The Right Honourable Dame Elizabeth Butler-Sloss D.B.E
“Family Work – where are we and where are we going?”

23rd April 2003
Elizabeth-Anne Gumbel QC
“Child Abuse Legislation: what can it achieve?”

12th March 2002
The Honourable Mr Justice Nial Fennelly
“Does Europe need a Constitution?”

13th March 2001
The Right Honourable Lady Justice Hale D.B.E
Life and Death Choices: the Case of the Conjoined Twins

16th March 2000
Lord Lester
“The Politics of Human Rights”

1999
Anthony Julius
“Why is the Law Unpopular with Novelists?”

17th March 1998
The Right Honourable Baron Nolan of Brasted
“The Law and Corruption in Public Life”

18th March 1997
Dame Rosalyn Higgins
“Human Rights and the International Courts of Justice”

19th March 1996
Sir Richard Scott Vice Chancellor of the Supreme Court
The Export Controls Systems and Abuse of Power

15th February 1995
Mrs Barbara Mills QC
“To Prosecute or Not to Prosecute?”

10th March 1994
Francis Jacobs Advocate General of the Courts of Justice of the European Communities
“Can English Law Learn From European Law?”

2nd March 1993
Rodger J Pannone
“The Role of the Practising Lawyer in Society Today”

19th March 1992
Sir Robert Megarry Vice Chancellor of The Chancery division of the High Court

14th March 1991
Lord Justice Woolf

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