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## The Northern Kentucky Law Review

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### *Obergefell v. Hodges* – Ten Years Later

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- 9:00 a.m.**                    **Welcome Remarks**
- Dean Judith Daar  
Matthew Carlin, Editor-in-Chief  
Summer Williams, Executive Editor  
Joseph Gerwert, Symposium Editor  
Professor Jack Harrison, Faculty Advisor
- 9:15 a.m.**                    **Inside *Obergefell v. Hodges***
- Professor Regina Hillman, Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law (Memphis, TN)  
Jim Obergefell, Petitioner in *Obergefell v. Hodges*  
Rick Hodges, Respondent in *Obergefell v. Hodges*  
Al Gerhardstein, Counsel for Petitioner in *Obergefell v. Hodges*  
Moderated by Professor Jack B. Harrison, NKU Chase College of Law
- 10:45 a.m.**                    **Refreshments**
- 11:00 a.m.**                    **Building Families: Reproductive Health and Family Rights**
- Dean Judith Daar, NKU Salmon P. Chase College of Law  
Associate Dean Jeffrey Dodge, Penn State Dickinson Law  
Dean Melanie Jacobs, Louis D. Brandeis School of Law  
Co-Dean Kimberly Mutcherson, Rutgers Law School  
Professor Ryan Thoreson, University of Cincinnati College of Law  
Moderated by Dean Judith Daar
- 12:30 p.m.**                    **Luncheon**
- 1:15 p.m.**                    **Student Scholarship Showcase**
- Valerie Benton, NKU Salmon P. Chase College of Law  
Jacob Williams, NKU Salmon P. Chase College of Law
- 1:30 p.m.**                    **Free Speech and Equal Protection: Where the First and Fourteenth Amendments Meet**
- Judge Jennifer Kinsley, Ohio First District Court of Appeals  
Associate Dean Luke Boso, Southwestern Law School  
Professor L. Joe Dunman, Louis D. Brandeis School of Law  
Reverend David Meredith, Clifton United Methodist Church  
Moderated by Judge Jennifer Kinsley

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**3:00 p.m.**

## **The Future of Civil Rights: Protections in a Changing World**

Willie Edward Taylor Carver, Jr., Educator and Poet from Appalachia  
Professor Anibal Rosario Lebrón, Rutgers Law School  
Professor Nicholas Serafin, Santa Clara Law  
Professor Eliot Tracz, New England Law  
Moderated by Judge Janaya Bratton, Hamilton County Municipal Court

**4:30 p.m.**

## **Closing Remarks**

Willie Edward Taylor Carver, Jr., Educator and Poet from Appalachia  
Professor Jack Harrison, NKU Salmon P. Chase College of Law

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