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POP-UP CLASS:

Defending Immigrants' Rights in the Aftermath of President Trump's Executive Order

In the days since the Trump administration issued its executive order halting immigration from seven majority-Muslim countries, Americans have had a crash course in immigration law. Professor Peter Markowitz and other faculty from the Kathryn O. Greenberg Immigration Justice Clinic will provide an important discussion about immigration law and constitutional conflicts arising out of the executive order.

Last weekend, Professors Markowitz and Lindsay Nash, teaching fellows Jacqueline Pearce and Luis Mancheno, and students from the Immigration Justice Clinic won the release of five detainees at JFK Airport.

This Thursday, the faculty and students from the clinic will discuss the farreaching impact of the president's policies and the constitutional conflicts created by the order. In addition, they will discuss how the weekend's legal responses and mass mobilizations turned the tide and provided a model for protecting immigrant rights and defending communities and the constitution.

The discussion will lay out the legal responses, personal impact and lessons to be learned for future lawyers and the public at large.

Thursday, February 2, 2017 12 p.m. Jacob Burns Moot Court Room

Please join us. No RSVP necessary.

VIDEO: Cardozo's Immigration Justice Clinic at JFK













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