The Supreme Court’s decision in Brown marked a milestone in the nation’s long journey toward racial equality, a journey that continues today.

Washburn Law’s Center for Law and Government and the Washburn Law Journal presented Brown v. Board at 60: Looking Back - Looking Forward to explore in a critical manner what the Brown v. Board of Education decision has meant and what it will continue to mean looking forward. The event was held on Feb. 27, 2014, at Bradbury Thompson Alumni Center.

Distinguished experts participated in three distinct plenary sessions addressing the topics of “The Life of Brown,” “Race and Education Today,” and “Contemporary Race Issues: Confronting Inequality in the 21st Century.”

The third issue of volume 53 (summer 2014) of the Washburn Law Journal was dedicated to the topic of this symposium, and articles written by the participants are featured. Related articles can be found at washburnlaw.edu/wlj.

The Future of Housing
Business and Transactional Law Center and Washburn Law Journal Symposium


The symposium hosted 20 experts from across the country who came to Washburn Law to discuss and debate their scholarly works on current legal housing issues. Presentations were grouped into three panels: (1) fair housing problems and equitable solutions, (2) market re-stabilization after the 2008 foreclosure crisis, and (3) real estate development and planning for the future.

Articles on which many of the presentations were based will be published in a forthcoming volume of the Washburn Law Journal, and will appear online at washburnlaw.edu/wlj.


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