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Berkeley Law
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HOW THE CATHOLIC CHURCH CAN OVERCOME THE SEXUAL ABUSE CRISIS

Dr. Jennifer Haselberger

2019 ROBBINS COLLECTION LECTURE ON CANON LAW



In 2013, Dr. Haselberger made national news when she resigned as the top canon lawyer for the Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis and publicly exposed the Archdiocese's mishandling of sexual abuse. In this lecture, Dr. Haselberger will address how canon law and other institutional factors

have contributed to the abuse crisis and possible reforms for the Church to overcome it.

Dr. Haselberger holds a licentiate degree in canon law from the Catholic University of Leuven, Belgium and a Doctorate in Philosophy from the University of London, England. She has practiced as a canon lawyer for several Catholic dioceses in the United States and internationally. In 2013, the National Catholic Reporter selected her as Person of the Year. In 2014, she received the Michael J. Ehrlichmann Public Service Award from the Minnesota Association of Justice and the Trivison Award from FutureChurch for demonstrating visionary leadership in the Catholic Church.

A reception will follow the lecture.

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