



The Indian Child Welfare Act: from Framework to Practice
Tuesday, February 12, 2019
4:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Room – Senate
Capitol Hilton, Washington, D.C.

This session on the Indian Child Welfare Act is intended to give an overview of Congress' authority in enacting ICWA and to highlight how ICWA operates as a best practice statute in child welfare matters involving Indian children.

I. ICWA's Framework and *Where We Are Today*

Moderator: Angelique Day, University of Washington, School of Social Work

Panel:

Sarah Kastelic, National Indian Child Welfare Association

Dan Lewerenz, Native American Rights Fund

II. ICWA in Practice – *a Coordinated Effort Between Tribes & States*

Moderator: David Simmons, National Indian Child Welfare Association

Panel:

Loni Greniger, Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe

Jody Becker, Washington State Department of Children, Youth and Families

III. Question & Answer