The Historical Society of the District of Columbia Circuit presents:

Women in the Life and Law of the D.C. Circuit Courts

Date: **Tuesday, June 18, 2013**

Time: **4:30 – 6:00 p.m.**

Location: **Ceremonial Courtroom, 6th Floor**
E. Barrett Prettyman U.S. Courthouse
3rd Street & Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C.

Women in the Life and Law of the D.C. Circuit Courts will bring together participants in the life of the D.C. Circuit – judges, administrators, law clerks and practicing attorneys – to speak from their experience about the past, present and future of women in the Courts of the Circuit. The program will open with stage-setting remarks by **Emerita Professor Barbara Babcock** of Standard Law School, author of *Woman Lawyer: The Trial of Clara Foltz*, who clerked for D.C. Circuit Judge Henry Edgerton and teaches about women's issues. This will be followed by a panel discussion moderated by Professor Babcock.

Admission is free.

A reception will follow the program.

Reservations are not required.

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Participants in the panel will be:

Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg - D.C. Circuit Judge 1980-93

Senior Judge Gladys Kessler - Member of the District Court since 1994

Chief Judge Royce C. Lamberth - Member of the U.S. District Court since 1987

Nancy Mayer-Whittington - Clerk of the District Court 1991-2009

Michele A. Roberts - Partner, Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom and advocate before the District Court

Hon. Patricia M. Wald - D.C. Circuit Judge 1979-99, Chief Judge 1986-91

Helgi C. Walker - Partner, Wiley Rein and advocate before the Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit