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Law.Gov builds on the success of the Obama Administration's Open Government Initiative, by documenting what is necessary to establish a distributed registry and repository of all United States legal materials. Public. Resource.Org is leading this revolutionary effort to collect briefs and opinions from the Judiciary; reports, hearings, and laws from the Legislative branch; and regulations, audits, grants, and other materials from the Executive.

Join IILP as we welcome Internet pioneer Carl Malamud, President and Founder of Public.Resource.Org, to discuss the Law.Gov movement and it's opportunities for citizens to help change the way we distribute America's operating system.

Carl Malamud is the President and Founder of Public.Resource.Org. Malamud was previously founder of the Internet Multicasting Service and the Chief Technology Officer at the Center for American Progress. He has been awarded Harvard University's Berkman Award for significant contribution to the Internet and its impact on society, the Electronic Frontier Foundation's Pioneer Award, and the First Amendment Coalition's Bill Farr Award.

Nicholas Bramble is a Postdoctoral Associate in Law and Kauffman Fellow in Law at the Information Society Project at Yale Law School, specializing in research on the problems of collective action and the promises of civic engagement relating to open access in the university setting.

Helen Nissenbaum is Professor of Media, Culture and Communication, and Computer Science at New York University, where she is also Senior Faculty Fellow of the Information Law Institute. Her areas of expertise span social, ethical, and political implications of information technology and digital media.

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