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**Sidney and Walter Siben
Distinguished Professorship
Lecture in Family Law**

Tuesday, March 24, noon-1 p.m.

**“The Monoracial
Family Norm”**

Angela Onwuachi-Willig

*Charles M. and Marion J. Kierscht Professor of Law
University of Iowa College of Law*

Introduction by

Joanna L. Grossman

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The Sidney and Walter Siben Distinguished Professorship was established in 1984 through a generous gift from the law firm of Siben & Siben. Originally designed to recognize accomplishments in tort law, the professorship was expanded in 1986 to allow for recognition in family law and awarded to John DeWitt Gregory, who held the professorship in that field until 2012. The professorship is currently held by Joanna L. Grossman.

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Angela Onwuachi-Willig



A graduate of Grinnell College, the University of Michigan Law School and Yale Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, Angela Onwuachi-Willig is the Charles and Marion Kierscht Professor of Law at the University of Iowa College of Law.

She is author of the book *According to Our Hearts: Rhinelander v. Rhinelander and the Law of the Multiracial Family* (Yale University Press). Her articles have appeared in or are forthcoming in many prestigious law journals, including the *Yale Law Journal*, *California Law Review*, *Michigan Law Review*, *Georgetown Law Journal*, *Texas Law Review*, *UCLA Law Review* and *Vanderbilt Law Review*.

She was recently awarded the 2015 AALS Minority Groups Section Clyde S. Ferguson Award. She is a past recipient of the Derrick Bell, Jr. Award and Marion Huit Award and a former Iowa Supreme Court finalist, and she has been named to the *National Law Journal* "Minority 40 Under 40" list and the Lawyers of Color "50 Under 50" list.

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