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to be delivered by

The Honorable Jonathan Lippman

*Chief Judge of the State of New York and
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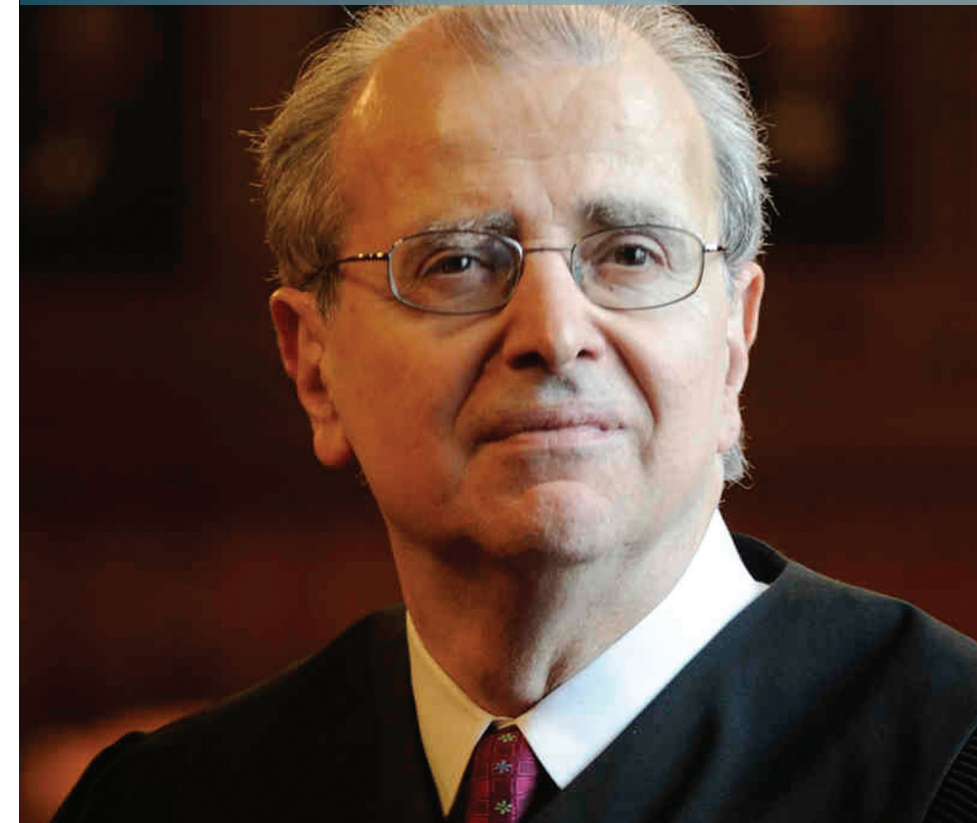
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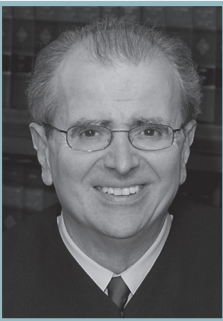
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The Honorable Jonathan Lippman



Jonathan Lippman was appointed chief judge of the State of New York and chief judge of the Court of Appeals by Gov. David A. Paterson '82 in January 2009 and confirmed by the New York state Senate in February 2009. He presides over the state's seven-member court of last resort and heads the state's Unified Court System.

In May 2007, Gov. Eliot Spitzer appointed Judge Lippman to serve as the presiding justice of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, First Department; he also served on the Administrative Board of the Courts. From January 1996 to May 2007, Judge Lippman served as the chief administrative judge of all New York state courts. He was the longest tenured person to serve in that position and played a central role in such far-reaching reforms of New York's judiciary and legal profession as establishing problem-solving community courts, drug courts and domestic violence courts; creating specialized commercial and matrimonial parts; opening Family Court to the public; extensively reforming the jury system and eliminating mandatory jury sequestration; new rules governing fiduciary appointments; mandatory continuing legal education; attorney-client fee dispute arbitration; written letters of engagement; standards of civility; and a statement of client's rights posted in all law offices.

Judge Lippman served as an associate justice of the Appellate Term, 9th and 10th Judicial Districts, from January 2006 to May 2007. In 2005, he was elected as a justice of the Supreme Court for the 9th Judicial District. In 1995, he was appointed as a judge of the New York Court of Claims by Gov. George Pataki and was subsequently reappointed to a full nine-year term. He was appointed deputy chief administrator for management of the statewide court system in 1989. Before that, he served as chief clerk and executive officer of the Supreme Court, New York County, Civil Term, and principal court attorney for the court's Law Department.

Judge Lippman is a member of the Conference of Chief Justices (CCJ) and the former president of the Conference of State Court Administrators (COSCA). He also served as vice chair of the board of the National Center for State Courts, was formerly chair of the New York State Court Facilities Capital Review Board and served on the New York State Probation Commission.

A product of the New York City public school system, Judge Lippman received his B.A. from New York University in 1965 and his J.D. from New York University School of Law in 1968, the same year he was admitted to the bar.

The Kaplan Memorial Lecture Series was established by Tony Kaplan, an alumnus of Hofstra Law School, to honor his parents. Howard Kaplan was a prominent attorney whose legal career was characterized by devotion to the highest standards of the profession. Iris Kaplan, his wife, was an enthusiastic supporter of the lecture series. The lecture series is supported by an endowment established by the Max and Victoria Dreyfus Foundation, Inc.

The goal of the lecture series is to bring jurists of distinction and prominence to Hofstra Law to address students, faculty, alumni and the legal community on important and timely legal issues.

One nontransitional NYS CLE credit (Professional Practice) is available.

Previous Lecturers for the Howard and Iris Kaplan Memorial Lecture Series*

The Honorable Shirley S. Abrahamson
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Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit

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Senior Associate Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals for the State of New York

The Honorable Ralph K. Winter
Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit

*Titles listed represent positions held at the time the lecture was delivered.