

Career and Professional Experience (CAP/X) at the School of the Art Institute,  
The Chicago/Midwest Chapter of the American Society of Media Photographers,  
& Lawyers for the Creative Arts

PRESENT:

## Photographing in the Public Sphere

What legal and business issues do you face when you photograph outside the studio?

Do you need permission from people in your images?

Can you photograph existing artwork, signs, buildings and crowds?

What about location releases?

How do 1<sup>st</sup> Amendment rights factor in?

Come learn about rights of privacy and publicity, copyright and trademark clearance and more!

Thursday, September 6<sup>th</sup> 5:30 p.m. Networking: 6-7:30 p.m. Program

### The LeRoy Neiman Center

Sharp Building, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor  
37 S. Wabash Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60603

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### Featured Artist and Presenters:

Laura Collins Britton is a professional documentary and fine art photographer. An attorney, she also serves on the Adjunct Faculty of Loyola University Chicago and previously taught at UNC School of Law. She has developed a body of work documenting the moment when people are focused outward—on a social cause, performance or public service. She explains, “In a self-conscious world, the real power lies in the moments when we forget ourselves.”

Michael Dorf is a corporate attorney and a nationally recognized authority on political strategy and cultural planning. He served for six years as Special Counsel to United States Representative Sidney R. Yates (D. Ill.), where he helped to develop national policies on arts funding. At the request of Mayor Harold Washington, he directed the process which created Chicago's first Cultural Plan. Mr. Dorf is Adjunct Full Professor at the School of the Art Institute of Chicago, where he developed and teaches courses in Law, Politics, and the Arts and Street Law for the Artist.

Ryan Jacobson is a partner at SmithAmundsen LLC, where he is an experienced entertainment and media law attorney. He is well-known for handling defamation and reputational harm matters while also maintaining an impressive roster of entertainment and celebrity clientele. Ryan has been peer-rated as a Super Lawyers Selectee in Illinois for multiple years running and was previously named to the Chicago Law Bulletin's Top 40 Under 40 Attorneys in Illinois.

Aric Jacover is the founder of Jacover Law LLC. He handles copyright, trademark, internet and media law for high profile and start-up businesses alike. He previously worked for a major global law firm, where he served on the litigation team in *Viacom v. YouTube*, “arguably the most . . . momentous case in the copyright market.” (Legal 500). He represents artists and cultural institution, often advising on brand and copyright protection. Aric serves on the Associate Board of Lawyers for the Creative Arts and is an Adjunct Faculty Member at The John Marshall Law School.



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