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Innovation Policy in the Administrative State

featuring

Arti Rai

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Professor Arti Rai is an authority in patent law, administrative law, law and the biopharmaceutical industry, and health care regulation. Her research on innovation policy in areas such as green technology, drug development and software has been funded by NIH, the Kauffman Foundation and Chatham House. She has published widely in both peer-reviewed journals and law reviews, including *Nature Biotechnology*, *PLoS Biology*, *PLoS Medicine*, *Annals of Internal Medicine*, *Journal of Legal Studies*, and the Columbia, Georgetown and Northwestern law reviews. She is the editor of a book on intellectual property rights in biotechnology (Edward Elgar, forthcoming 2011) and has also co-authored a casebook on law and the mental health system.

Professor Rai has served as a peer reviewer for *Science*, *Research Policy*, the *Journal of Legal Studies*, various National Academy of Sciences reports on intellectual property, and various NIH study sections. She also has testified before the U.S. Senate on innovation policy issues. Professor Rai is currently the chair of the Intellectual Property Committee of the Administrative Law Section of the American Bar Association.

Prior to entering academia, Professor Rai clerked for the Honorable Marilyn Hall Patel of the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of California; was a litigation associate at Jenner & Block; and was a litigator at the Federal Programs Branch of the U.S. Department of Justice's Civil Division. She also has served as the administrator for external affairs, USPTO.

Professor Rai graduated magna cum laude from Harvard College with a BA in biochemistry and history, attended Harvard Medical School for the 1987-1988 academic year, and received her JD, cum laude, from Harvard Law School in 1991.

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