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INTRODUCTION

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We have to move ahead to a very broad topic, the broad-scale legal effects of NAFTA. We have a glittering array of speakers here, and I want to hear what they have to say. Let me introduce them to you.

Pat Murphy, our first speaker, is a legend in American law, a Rhodes scholar. He has been the head of about everything from the Section of International Law and Practice, where I first encountered him, and then the Southwestern Legal Foundation. He is also a senior partner at Baker & Botts in Houston, and he has written some very wonderful articles.

Larry Herman, our second speaker, is associate counsel with the law firm of Cassels, Brock & Blackwell in Toronto, where he specializes in international trade and international business transactions.

Larry holds a B.A. and LL.B. from the University of Toronto, and he is a member of the Saskatchewan and Ontario bars.

Substituting for Bill Kryzda is Beatrice Prati of the Mexican law firm of Bryan, Gonzales Vargas y Gonzales Baz in Mexico. She is now with the New York office of that law firm where she specializes in trade matters. By way of biographical data, she has a J.D. from Southern Methodist Law School in Dallas and a Bachelor of Arts in international relations and Latin.