



Legal Advocacy Fund Luncheon

Saturday, February 18, 2012

10:30 am – 2:00 pm

Laguna Woods Village Clubhouse 7

Sponsored by the
American Association of University Women
Laguna Hills Branch and
Orange County Interbranch Council

Mary-Christine (M.C.) Sungaila, Appellate Attorney and Partner at Snell & Wilmer

Creating Meaningful Change Through the Courts

Considered a “rainmaker” and a “visionary,” M.C. Sungaila has successfully briefed and argued appeals related to cutting-edge and core business issues statewide, nationally and internationally. As an advocate, she has helped define the scope of the duty to warn sophisticated users of product hazards, overturn multimillion dollar judgments, limit the reach of medical monitoring claims, clarify the standards for interstate enforcement of non-compete agreements, and secure important rights for women worldwide.

When asked to write an amicus brief for the Southern Poverty Law Center in the 1997 Supreme Court case, *U.S. v. Lanier*, this UCLA law grad made the leap to appellate lawyer and has not looked back since. Learn from her how the meaningful change can be accomplished through the courts, and the role appellate courts play in shaping law and policy.

Directions to Clubhouse 7 — From Interstate 5, exit at El Toro Road and proceed west (towards the ocean) about one mile. Turn right at Moulton Parkway and then at the next light, turn left into the parking lot across from Gate 12.

The Reservation Desk will open at 10:30 a.m. Lunch will be served at 11:30 a.m.

Branch Fund-Raising for LAF — In addition to gift baskets, there will be Opportunity Drawings for the centerpieces and a cash prize. Funds generated by the drawings will be donated to LAF with credit to the individual branches proportionally allocated according to the number of attendees from each branch.

Cut off and mail with check by February 11, 2012

to **YOUR BRANCH AAUW Funds VP**, Michelle Reinglass, ADR office of Michelle A. Reinglass 23161 Mill Creek Dr., Ste 340, Laguna Hills, CA 92653. For further information, contact Pat Allgeier (949) 951-6474 or husky509@hotmail.com

Name _____ Phone (_____) _____

Branch _____

Cost: **\$25.00 per person** Please make checks payable to: **AAUW – LAF**

Check luncheon choice:

Chicken Florida Baked Salmon with Béarnaise Sauce Eggplant Parmesan

Dessert: Mud Pie with Chocolate Sauce