

## JUSTICE ROUNDTABLE QUARTERLY ASSEMBLY

9:30am – 11:30am

**Tuesday, September 13, 2016**

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### JUSTICE ROUNDTABLE AGENDA

**Sept. 13, 2016**

- I Refreshments and Networking, 9:30 am  
Moderator – Nkechi Taifa, Esq., Advocacy Director for Criminal Justice, Open Society Policy Center and Convener, Justice Roundtable Coalition  
  
Introductions, 9:45 am
- II **Feature begins at 10:00 sharp, with Vanita Gupta, head of the Civil Rights Division of the Department of Justice.** Under Vanita’s leadership, the Civil Rights Division continues to advance criminal justice reform and constitutional policing, including the investigation and reform of police departments in Ferguson, Missouri; Cleveland; Baltimore; and Chicago, among other cities. As the chief civil rights prosecutor for the U.S., she also oversees a wide range of additional enforcement efforts.
- III **Brian Elderbroom, Director of Policy, Research & Administration, Alliance for Safety and Justice.** Brian will discuss findings from ASJ’s national survey of victims’ views on safety and justice, “Crime Victims Speak,” a first of its kind research on crime survivors’ experiences with the justice system. The report reveals that victims overwhelmingly prefer approaches that prioritize rehabilitation over punishment and investments in prevention & treatment over more spending on prisons.
- III **Justice Roundtable Working Groups.** *The day to day work of the Roundtable is carried out through issue-specific working groups which meet regularly, plan strategy, and implement initiatives. Visit [www.JusticeRoundtable.org](http://www.JusticeRoundtable.org) for news and resources highlighting working group issues.*

**Brief Working Group Updates/Discussion**

- Sentencing Reform
- Interfaith Criminal Justice
- Law Enforcement Reform
- Commutations and Pardons
- Drug Policy Reform
- Crimmigration
- Prison Issues
- Reentry
- Youth Justice
- State Issues
- Human Rights
- Racial Justice

#### IV **Announcements & Close**

##### **12:30 FILM TO FOLLOW JUSTICE ROUNDTABLE ASSEMBLY:**

MILWAUKEE 53206: A Film About Mass Incarceration. Milwaukee 53206 examines the effects of mass incarceration on the zip code in this country that incarcerates the highest rate of African American men – 53206. You can find the trailer, along with information about the documentary here: [milwaukee53206.com](http://milwaukee53206.com)

**Mark Your Calendars:** Next Justice Roundtable Assembly – Tuesday, December 13, 2016