Online Event — Wednesday!

Book Talk: *The Seven Sins of Memory Updated Edition: How the Mind Forgets and Remembers*

Registration is free, but required at this link.

October 13, 2021, 12:30 - 1:30 PM ET
The Petrie-Flom Center at Harvard Law School

Join us on October 13th for a discussion of the updated edition of *The Seven Sins of Memory: How the Mind Forgets and Remembers* with author and William R. Kenan, Jr. Professor of Psychology, Daniel Schacter. This updated edition revisits Professor Schacter's groundbreaking research with the twenty-first century's cultural trends and scientific discoveries. This event will feature a book talk and a moderated Q&A. See more details here.

To ensure that you will receive access to the livestream and be kept up to date on any changes to the event, register now. We will send out a link to the livestream of the event to all registrants the day before and day of the event. Last registration is 11:30am on the day of the event.

This event is a part of the Project on Law and Applied Neuroscience, a collaboration between the Center for Law, Brain & Behavior at Massachusetts General Hospital and the Petrie-Flom Center for Health Law Policy, Biotechnology, and Bioethics at Harvard Law School.

Panelists:

Daniel Schacter, PhD (Panelist)

Daniel Schacter, PhD, is the William R. Kenan, Jr. Professor of Psychology at Harvard University, the Director of Harvard’s Schacter Memory Lab, and an award-winning author whose books include *The Seven Sins of Memory* and *Searching for Memory: The Brain, The Mind, The Past*. After receiving his B.A. from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, he developed a keen interest in amnesic disorders associated with various kinds of brain damage. Schacter attempted to integrate the clinical phenomenon of amnesia with experimental and theoretical analyses of
normal human memory at Oxford University, where he was a visiting researcher in 1978, and at the University of Toronto, where he received his Ph.D. in 1981 and taught until 1987. After four years in the psychology department at the University of Arizona, he began as Professor of Psychology at Harvard in 1991.

**Elyssa Spitzer, JD** (Moderator)

Elyssa Spitzer, J.D., is the fourth Senior Fellow in Law and Neuroscience. Elyssa was a Justice Catalyst Legal Fellow at the Center for Reproductive Rights, where her work focused on developing new legal theories for protecting and advancing reproductive rights and justice. Prior to CRR, Elyssa led a legal research project surveying U.S. criminal law and developing national performance benchmarks for the criminal justice system as a Senior Legal Researcher at the nonprofit Measures for Justice. Elyssa clerked in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana and received her J.D. from Harvard Law School.