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SPRING SERIES *on* CRIMINAL INJUSTICE

Join the **Mansfield Institute for Social Justice and Transformation** and the **Joseph Loundy Human Rights Project** as we explore issues of social justice and human rights in the criminal justice system. This will be the kickoff to an ongoing discussion of social justice issues in the criminal justice system, which will be carried into the 2009-10 academic year.



THURSDAY, APRIL 16, 5 P.M.

Murray – Green Library, 10th Floor, Auditorium Building

Screening of Goro Toshima's documentary film, *A Hard Straight*, the story of a person's radical transition from prison life to society. Panel discussion features David Disabato, workforce development coordinator, Department of Human and Community Renewal, Roosevelt University and Frank Lowe, director of housing and supportive services, Inspiration Corporation.



MONDAY, APRIL 20, 5:30 P.M.

Fainman Lounge, 2nd Floor, Auditorium Building

Talk by Sharon Sionov from Hebrew University about the Israeli criminal justice system and her work on police abuse. Co-sponsored by American Friends of Hebrew University.



THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 5:30 P.M.

Congress Lounge, 2nd Floor, Auditorium Building

Panel discussion features previously incarcerated women and Kitty Williams from Career Passport who will share their experiences of transition from prison life to mainstream society. It will be preceded by the short documentary, *Moving Past Seven* by Ryane Michaels.



THURSDAY, APRIL 30, 5:30 P.M.

Murray – Green Library, 10th Floor, Auditorium Building

Panel discussion about the John Burge Police Torture Case features former *Chicago Reader* reporter John Conroy, attorneys Flint Taylor and Joey Mogul from People's Law Office and community activist, Don Washington, who worked on Burge Case while with the Justice Coalition of Greater Chicago.

Refreshments will be provided. RSVP to Nancy Michaels at (312) 341-2150 or nmichaels@roosevelt.edu.