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San Diego, California

"What Can We Learn From the Civil Law?" will be the topic of a noon lecture by Rudolf D. Schlesinger at the University of San Diego School of Law. The discussion in More Hall, Room 2-C is open to the public, no charge for admission.

Schlesinger will explore comparisons between the U.S. legal system and the systems of continental Europe, which have derived primarily from the French Civil Code.

A frequent speaker at international conferences, Schlesinger was Professor of Law at the USD Institute on International Comparative Law in Paris in the summer of 1973. He is currently Professor of Law at Cornell University and visiting Professor at University of California, Hastings.

Schlesinger received his law degrees in Munich and from Columbia University where he was editor in chief of the Columbia University Law Review. He has authored two books on comparative law and is a member of the American Law Institute and Board of Editors, American Journal of Comparative Law.

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