# Washington Supreme Court Disability Justice Task Force 2025 Supreme Court Symposium

Wednesday, September 10, 2025 8:30AM – 3:00PM Temple of Justice 415 12<sup>th</sup> Ave SW Olympia, WA 98504

#### 8:30AM Check-in

Beverages and Light Snacks

## 9:00AM Opening Welcome:

Justice Debra L. Stephens, Washington State Supreme Court Chief Justice

### **Disability Justice Task Force Co-Chair**

Justice G. Helen Whitener, Washington State Supreme Court Justice

#### 9:10AM Keynote Speaker

Katherine A. Perez, JD. PhD, Director, The Coelho Center for Disability Law, Policy and Innovation at Loyola Law School

### 9:30 DJTF Study Presentation Part 1: DJTF Research Team, KMG Consulting Firm

Kabir Amari, Chief Executive Officer Alexandra Audate, Lead Disability Consultant Mary Rojas, Disability/Mental Health Law Consultant Jerri-Ann Danso, Lead Data Analyst WaziHanska Cook, Lead American Indian Consultant

## 10:30AM Lived Experience Video 1

10:35AM Break 15-minute break

10:50AM DJTF Study Presentation 2: DJTF Research Team, KMG Consulting Firm

11:50AM Lived Experience Video 2 & 3

#### 12:00PM Lunch/Interaction Session

Justices and Attendees are invited to interact over a box lunch.

### 1:00 PM Lived Experience Video 4

1:05 PM DJTF Study Presentation 3: DJTF Research Team, KMG Consulting Firm

2:05PM Break 15-minute break

## 2:20PM Assistive Technologies for Disabled Legal Professionals

Laurie Allen, Senior Accessibility Technology Evangelist, Microsoft Brian McMahon, Senior Copyright Counsel, Intellectual Property Group, Microsoft

## 2:50PM Closing Remarks:

## **Disability Justice Task Force Co-Chair**

Judge David Whedbee, King County Superior Court Judge

## **Disability Justice Task Force Member**

Judge David E. Freeman, Whatcom County Superior Court Judge