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2009-2010 J. Byron McCormick Society for Law and Public Affairs Lecture

Joe Nocera, business columnist for the *New York Times*, will deliver the 2009-2010 McCormick Lecture at the James E. Rogers College of Law.

“Lessons from the Financial Crisis”

Date: Monday, November 16th, 2009
Time: 12:20 pm – 1:20 pm
Reception immediately following the lecture.
Where: The University of Arizona
James E. Rogers College of Law, Ares Auditorium
1201 E. Speedway Boulevard
Tucson, AZ 85721

This event is free and open to the public. Priority seating is available for students and guests with confirmed reservations. Please RSVP at www.law.arizona.edu/news/faculty/rsvpregistration.cfm. Additional information will be posted at www.law.arizona.edu.

Joe Nocera became a business columnist for *The New York Times* in April 2005. He contributes to *The New York Times Magazine* as a business writer. In addition to his work there, he serves as a regular business commentator for NPR's “Weekend Edition” with Scott Simon.

Nocera's Saturday column, "Talking Business," ranges widely over the world of business, covering everything from Home Depot's annual meeting to Boeing's comeback to his off-beat musings about a broken iPod. *Slate* magazine says that his column "demystifies the world of business with original thinking, brainy reporting and the ability to see around corners."

His work has earned two Gerald Loeb awards and three John Hancock awards for excellence in business journalism. His book, "A Piece of the Action: How the Middle Class Joined the Money Class," (Touchstone, 1995) won the New York Public Library's 1995 Helen Bernstein Award as the best non-fiction book of the year. He was a Pulitzer Prize finalist in 2007. Mr. Nocera earned a B.S. in journalism from Boston University in 1974.

The J. Byron McCormick Society for Law and Public Affairs was formed to honor the memory of J. Byron McCormick, who served the State of Arizona as President of the University of Arizona, as Dean of the University's College of Law, and as an advisor to the Arizona Board of Regents. Members of the McCormick Society foster dialogue about the critical issues of our time through this annual public lecture.

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