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In honor of the expected renaming of the University of California, San Diego's Third College for the late former Supreme Court Justice Thurgood Marshall, UCSD will sponsor a "Meet Thurgood Marshall" forum April 27 from 7-9 p.m., in the Price Center Ballroom.

Members of the public are encouraged to attend this free event, which will trace the life and career of the Thurgood Marshall, one of the nation's strongest advocates for civil rights and justice for all Americans.

The forum will feature a dramatic, live recreation of "May It Please the Court," the Supreme Court oral arguments in the famous *Brown v. Board of Education* case. Excerpts from an award-winning television documentary, "Thurgood Marshall: The Man," on the life and career of the former Supreme Court justice will be shown. The forum will include the first public playing of "War Against the Constitution," the actual oral argument made by Thurgood Marshall in the Little Rock, Ark. school desegregation case in 1958, accompanied by a slide show of the Little Rock events.

A keynote address, "Remembering Thurgood Marshall," will be delivered by Professor Janet Cooper Alexander of Stanford Law School, a former law clerk to Justice Marshall. The forum is being coordinated by Political Science Professor Peter Irons, director of UCSD's Law and Society Program.

An effort to rename UCSD's Third College for Thurgood Marshall has been endorsed by the Third College Executive Committee, the UCSD Naming Committee, and the UCSD Faculty Senate. Final approval of the new name must come from the UC Regents.

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