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Screen Justice, a UDC film series, kicks off with *Doing Justice: The Life and Trails of Arthur Kinoy*

Washington, D.C. – The University of the District of Columbia is hosting seasonal film screenings that showcase a wide range of history, reality, imagination, creativity and experience. This series of fiction films and documentaries are followed by open forum discussions and debate with invited speakers. Please join the University community for these moving films and activities... all events are open to all.

The University of the District of Columbia is kicking off a new community educational initiative, Films @ Van Ness, with **Screen Justice**, a series of documentary films on law and society presented. Controversial films about civil rights, constitutional law and the pursuit of justice will be screened at the David A. Clarke School of Law at the University of the District of Columbia, 4200 Connecticut Avenue. All films are followed by Q&A sessions. **Screen Justice** begins September 12, 2006, 5.30 – 7.30 pm., with a presentation of *Doing Justice: The Life and Trials of Arthur Kinoy*, an acclaimed 1995 film about “the people’s lawyer” and his landmark cases from the Rosenbergs -

through voting rights, wire-tapping, and the right to protest – to Watergate. The film is followed by a discussion with Wade Henderson, Director of the Leadership Conference on Civil Rights and a former student of Arthur Kinoy.

Other films in the **Screen Justice** series are:

- *All for the Taking* examines the impact of the Supreme Court eminent domain ruling on a Philadelphia community's struggle for housing (October 3)
- *Larry V. Lockney* looks at one man's stand against mandatory drug testing for his son in the local high school (October 24)
- *School Prayer*, an Emmy-winning portrayal of a clash of principles between the Constitutional right of an individual and the deep-rooted tradition of community – with director Slawomir Grunberg and Art Spitzer, Legal Director of the National Capital Area ACLU (November 21)

The University of the District of Columbia is the fully-accredited sole public source for accessible, inclusive, affordable, and comprehensive public higher education in the District of Columbia and provides additional life-long learning opportunities. The University delivers quality instruction and uses student-centered approaches to empower and benefit both individuals and its local communities. The University, an urban land grant institution, is a very diverse community, a gateway to the world, and a significant investment engine for the District of Columbia. The University is located at 4200 Connecticut Ave, NW Washington, and is conveniently located at the Van Ness/UDC stop on the Red Line of Metro. For more information on other University activities, contact Mike Andrews, Senior Director for Communications and University Spokesperson at (202) 274-5685 or visit the University's web site at www.udc.edu.

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