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**Professor Sir Ian Kennedy**

Chair, Independent Parliamentary Standards Authority, UK
Emeritus Professor of Health Law, Ethics & Policy, University College London

**Thursday 22nd March 2012**

12pm – 1:00pm, Law School Staff Room, Faculty of Law

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Professor Sir Ian Kennedy is among the world’s leading academics in the area of health law and ethics. He is also among the world’s most engaging public intellectuals and most effective change agents in the area of public policy. Professor Kennedy is a former Dean of the Law School at King’s College London (1986-96), and founder of the Centre for Medical Law & Ethics (1978). He chaired the public inquiry into children’s heart surgery at the Bristol Royal Infirmary (1998-2001), chaired the Healthcare Commission (2003-09), and chaired the Nuffield Council on Bioethics (1998-2002). He is chair of the UK Research Integrity Office, chair of The King’s Fund Inquiry into the quality of general practice in England, and is an Honorary Fellow of the British Academy, the Royal College of General Practitioners, the Royal College of Physicians, the Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health, the Royal College of Anaesthetists and the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh. He is the author of seminal texts in medical/health law and ethics and presented the BBC’s 1980 Reith Lectures on the subject ‘Unmasking Medicine.’ Professor Kennedy was knighted in 2002 for his services to medical law and bioethics.