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Weekly Public Affairs Program

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1. **Benjamin H. Barton,** Helen and Charles Lockett Distinguished Professor of Law at the University of Tennessee, author of "*Rebooting Justice: More Technology, Fewer Lawyers, and the Future of Law*"

Professor Barton discussed what he sees are longstanding problems in our judicial system. He said that laws are too complex and legal advice is far more expensive than necessary. He outlined a series of reforms which he believes would make the courts much fairer and more accessible for poor and middle-class Americans.

<u>Issues covered:</u> Legal Reform Poverty

2. **Steve Casner**, **PhD**, research psychologist, NASA scientist, author of "*Careful: A User's Guide to Our Injury-Prone Minds*"

Dr. Casner has devoted his career to studying the psychology of safety. He said after a hundred years of steady decline, the rate at which people are being injured or killed in everyday accidents, such as car crashes, pedestrian fatalities, home-improvement projects gone wrong, medical mistakes and home fires, is increasing. He explained why few of us are as careful as we think we are, and what we can do about it.

Issues covered:
Accident Prevention
Personal Health

3. **Robin Behrstock**, entrepreneur, author of "Adventures Of Women Entrepreneurs: Stories That Inspire"

Dr. Behrstock shared some inspiring examples of women who overcame both personal and professional setbacks to turn their dreams of starting their own business into reality. She offered advice for aspiring entrepreneurs who are reluctant to take that first step.

Issues covered:
Women's Issues
Career