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THE BERNSTEIN LECTURES: A FOREWORD

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The Lewis Bernstein Memorial Lecture was established by the friends and family of Lewis Bernstein to honor his career and memory as a devoted public servant. A 1936 graduate of the Law School, Lewis embarked on a thirty-year career with the United States Department of Justice Antitrust Division following service in World War II. He oversaw some of the most important investigations in the hay-day of antitrust enforcement in the 1960s and 1970s, most notably the IBM case. He was respected by his colleagues in the antitrust bar and was especially admired by his staff as teacher, mentor, and friend.

Each year, the Bernstein Lecture features an outstanding antitrust scholar. The Fifth Bernstein Lecturer, Eleanor Fox, fits comfortably in that mold. Professor Fox has forged a distinguished career as teacher and scholar at New York University School of Law. In recent years, she has lectured and written extensively on the globalization of antitrust and has served as a consultant on antitrust issues for transition governments in Eastern Europe. This year’s lecture highlights developments in antitrust in the international sphere and the efforts to achieved cooperation among governments in international antitrust enforcement.

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