KNOW YOUR ECONOMIC HUMAN RIGHTS!

The International Committee's annual CLE event will take place on Thursday, August 4 from 1 pm to 5 pm, featuring noted experts Jeanne Mirer, one of our Committee's leading lights, as well as Andrew Reid, Eric Tars, and more. Jeanne has written extensively on the application of international human rights law to labor law in the U.S., arguing that it should invalidate so-called "right-to-work" laws, prohibitions against collective bargaining for public sector workers in North Carolina and elsewhere, and laws depriving public sector workers of the right to strike, such as the Taylor Law in New York.

This program will focus on economic human rights, their scope and application, relevant human rights conventions and treaties, and strategies for applying and using these conventions and rights in active practice. Economic human rights include, but are not limited to, the right to water, the right to housing, the right to social security, the right to food, and the right to health. As people are struggling across the US for economic human rights, from Flint to California to Baltimore to New York, learn about how you can include these important arguments and legal rights in your practice to support these movements.

The application for New York accreditation of this course is currently pending. The course is appropriate for both newly admitted and experienced attorneys. You can register at http://www.nlginternational.org/2016/07/cle-registration-know-your-economic-human-rights/.