



SCIENCE IN THE COURTS



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The Science in the Courts Institute demystifies scientific issues that arise in the courtroom. It offers interesting object lessons on the costs imposed when standards of scientific rationality are ignored, and provides a look at cutting-edge scientific scholarship in such fields as medicine and biochemistry. It gives participants a solid review of such methodological and technical issues as cost-benefit analysis and the identification of scientific experts, and also offers an introduction to behavioral law-and-economics.

The Abuse of Science

Robert L. Park
Physics, Maryland

Expert Witnesses

James Trefil
Physics, George Mason

Health Science

Bruce N. Ames
Biochemistry, Univ. of California, Berkeley

The Green Revolution

Norman Borlaug

Principles for Risk Analysis

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Risk Regulation and Liability

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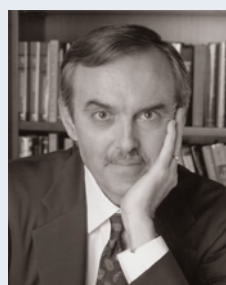
Rationality in the Real World

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