

Community Lecture and Reception
Monday, January 23, 2006, 4 p.m.

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Stephen M. Kohn is one of the nation's foremost experts in the area of whistleblower protection. He wrote the first legal treatise on whistleblowing and successfully litigated many of the nation's landmark whistleblower cases. He has represented witnesses in high-profile cases, including the OJ Simpson trial, and the World Trade Center and the Oklahoma City bombings. Mr. Kohn currently represents the Army Corps of Engineers' top contracting officer, who blew the whistle on an improper no-bid award to Halliburton for the reconstruction of Iraq; the highest ranking FBI counterterrorism official to disclose major deficiencies in the War on Terror; and a compliance manager at the National Institutes of Health who exposed improper human experimentation in government-funded drug clinical trials.

A prolific author, Mr. Kohn has written numerous books and law review articles on whistleblowing and the rights of political dissidents, including *Concepts and Procedures in Whistleblower Law*; *The Whistleblower Litigation Handbook*; *The Labor Lawyer's Guide to the Rights and Responsibilities of Employee Whistleblowers*; *Protecting Environmental and Nuclear Whistleblowers: A Litigation Manual*; *Jailed for Peace*; and *American Political Prisoners*. He is the coauthor of the recently published *Whistleblower Law: A Guide to Legal Protections for Corporate Employees*.

Mr. Kohn chairs the board of directors for the National Whistleblower Center. In addition to his Northeastern law degree, he holds a master's degree in political science from Brown University and a bachelor's degree from Boston University.