

In honor of its 30th Anniversary, **Western States Legal Foundation** is pleased to announce the launch of a new book by Cecile Pineda, *Devil's Tango: How I Learned the Fukushima Step by Step*.

Published by Wings Press on March 11, 2012 – the one-year anniversary of the Fukushima Daiichi disaster, *Devil's Tango* is a whirlwind tour of the nuclear industry, seen through the lens of the industrial and planetary crisis still unfolding in Japan.

**Saturday, March 24, 2012 from 3 – 5 pm**  
**2550 Dana Street at Parker, Berkeley; downstairs forum**

**Wine & light refreshments**

**Cecile Pineda will read excerpts from and sign copies of her book**

Special guest, **Kaisha Aktahanova**, anti-nuclear activist and scientist from Kazakhstan (location of the Soviet Union's principal nuclear test site); recipient of the 2005 Goldman Environmental Prize

**Proceeds from book sales will benefit Western States Legal Foundation**

## ***BOOK LAUNCH !***

*Devil's Tango*, as much personal reflection as investigative journalism, is Pineda's searing denunciation of the nuclear industry and lays bare the connection between nuclear warfare and nuclear energy. It traces the evolution of the author's own consciousness, while recording day-by-day the worsening developments that continue to unfold at Fukushima Daiichi. Often poetic in tone, philosophical in scope, Pineda's reflections are peppered with comic monologues, day-to-day reportage, meditations, occasional flights of fancy, a monoplay and a Grand Guignol.

*"Profound, quirky, laugh-out-loud funny at times, and utterly terrifying, Pineda challenges us to join her in waking ourselves out of denial. Read it if you dare. Read it if you care."* —**Jacqueline Cabasso**, Executive Director, Western States Legal Foundation, from the Foreword

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