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6th Annual Minority Mentoring Picnic Held on November 14, 2009

More than 1500 lawyers, Judges and law students attended the November 14 Minority Mentoring Picnic held at Amelia Earhart Park in Hialeah.

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*Broward County Bar Association
Annual Holiday Party*

Friday, December 18

5:30p.m.

At the Broward County Bar Association • Norma B. Howard Center
1051 SE 3rd Ave., Fort Lauderdale

Bring an unwrapped child's gift for YLS Holiday in January



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

by Carlos M. Llorente

Last month's revelation concerning an attorney in Broward County was no doubt troubling. In the aftermath of those revelations, it seems that for some that observed the meteoric growth and spending, the question was not when will it crumble, but how? Now that that question appears to have an answer it is important that the public understand that the alleged conduct of one attorney is not reflective of other attorneys, or the profession. Most of the allegations seem analogous to last October's news concerning Bernard Madoff, although, I must profess a bit of dismay and distress upon reading allegations about forged court orders.

Each of us admitted to practice law uphold the confidences entrusted to us, follow and abide by the rule of law, the code of conduct and our established professional standards. Every day we are entrusted with everything ranging from millions of dollars to the very lives and life of individuals. We take pride in the manner in which we conduct ourselves in accordance with those rules, the code and standards and we abide by our Oath of Admission to The Florida Bar. When one does violate our principles it adversely affects us all in the public's eyes for no other reason than human nature being what it is. It seems unfair that the conduct of one or a few can impact the great deeds of others.

Fortunately, Associations such as your Broward County Bar Association exist to educate the citizens of Broward County and to foster courtesy, ethics and professionalism among lawyers. Since 1925 this Association has welcomed attorneys, judges, law students and through affiliate memberships, businesses and

paralegals that uphold our principles in their professional and personal lives.

Today we continue to educate the public and we have gone on record and on camera to inform the public that last month's revelations are uncommon and not tolerated in our profession. That there are mechanisms in place to assure that legal work and a client's interests continue to be competently and effectively addressed regardless of the allegations concerning an attorney or the collapse of a law firm. We have informed the public that allegations concerning the conduct of one or if it proves to be a few, is not reflective of the firm as a whole or other members of a firm.

In the coming months we will continue to inform the public and fortify our commitment to the principles upon which this Association was founded upon. We continue to welcome all who abide and cherish those principles to join us or renew their membership. For those that are wondering, the attorney in question has not been a member of this Association since 1996. Perhaps if he had remained a member and followed our principles things may have turned out differently.

I look forward to seeing everyone at the Holiday Party on Friday, December 18, Please bring a gift or a donation for YLS Holiday-In-January.

If I do not personally see you there, please have a safe, happy and joyous Holiday Season.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

DECEMBER 2009

Thursday, December 3rd:

Broward County Women Lawyers' Association Holiday Event and Judicial Reception. 5:30p.m. 110th Tower, 7th Floor Fort Lauderdale. Please call Tonja Haddad to RSVP 954-467-1223.

Friday, December 4th:

Inside Appellate Court: An afternoon with the Judges of the Fourth DCA. 11:30-5:30p.m. Approved for 5.0 CLE. 2.5 Appellate Practice Certification Credits from the Florida Bar. The cost of the seminar, lunch and reception is \$150 if registered by 11/25/09; \$175 after that date; Government attorneys and law clerks \$100 if registered by 11/25/09; \$125 after that date. Register online at: www.palmbeachbar.org

Saturday, December 5th:

4 Hour Minor Guardianship Class. 9:00-1:00p.m. Norma B. Howard Bar Center, 1051 SE 3rd Ave, Fort Lauderdale, 33316. Cost: \$100. Attorneys welcome, approved by the Florida Bar for CLE credits. Guardian for anyone under the age of 18. To sign up please contact Tish at 954-764-8040 ext. 200.

Saturday, December 5th:

North Broward Bar Association Holiday Party. At Cap's Place Island Restaurant. 6:00p.m. Entrance for each paid member and a guest is included with the \$75 annual membership dues. Be sure to send your RSVP's to Andrew Daire at 954-949-1738 or adj@carls.com. Space will be limited so please RSVP and renew your membership early.

Monday, December 7th:

Grievance Committee 17G Meeting. 2:00p.m. Norma B. Howard Bar Center, 1051 SE 3rd Ave, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33316.

Tuesday, December 8th:

BCBA Board of Directors' Meeting 5:15 pm. Norma B. Howard Bar Center

Thursday, December 10th:

Association of South Florida Mediators and Arbitrators and the Broward Bar ADR Section are hosting an Annual December Holiday party. At TAZA Mediterranean Restaurant, in Fort Lauderdale. From 5:30p.m. to 8:00p.m. \$20 per person. RSVP by calling Jerome Siegle, President at 954-229-2226.

Tuesday, December 15th:

Grievance Committee 17H Meeting. 2:00p.m. Norma B. Howard Bar Center, 1051 SE 3rd Ave, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33316.

Tuesday, December 15th:

Bankruptcy Bar Association Southern District of Florida,

Holiday Party. Epic Hotel, Miami. 6:00p.m.- 8:00p.m. Please contact Laura@bbasfl.org.

Tuesday, December 15th:

BCBA Bench and Bar Committee Lunch Mtg. Noon, Norma B. Howard Bar Center

Thursday, December 17th:

Broward County Justice Association Dinner Honoring Judge Robert B. Carney III. Panorama Ballroom, Hyatt Regency Pier Sixty Six. 6:00p.m. Cocktail Hour; 7:00p.m. Dinner and Program. Distinguished speakers for Judge Carney: Judge Victor Tobin, Chuck Morton, Kelly Hancock. Cost: \$90.00.

All Judges are welcome as guests at no charge (Please RSVP). Cocktail sponsored by BNY MELLON "The Lawyer's Bank". Sponsorships available, contact BCJA@att.net, or 954-522-1662. Please RSVP by December 12.

Friday, December 18th:

Broward County Bar Association Annual Holiday Party. 5:30p.m. At the Broward County Bar Association's Norma B. Howard Center, 1051 SE 3rd Ave, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33316. Please bring an unwrapped child's gift for YLS Holiday in January.

Saturday, January 9th:

4 Hour Minor Guardianship Class. 9:00-1:00p.m. Norma B. Howard Bar Center, 1051 SE 3rd Ave, Fort Lauderdale, 33316. Cost: \$100. Attorneys welcome, approved by the Florida Bar for CLE credits. Guardian for anyone under the age of 18. To sign up please contact Tish at 954-764-8040 ext. 200.

Wednesday, January 13th:

Broward County Bar Association Probate and Trust Section Meeting. 5:00p.m. At the Norma B. Howard Bar Center, 1051 SE 3rd Ave. Fort Lauderdale, FL 33316.

Saturday, January 16th:

8 Hour Adult Guardianship Class. 9:00-5:00p.m. Norma B. Howard Bar Center, 1051 SE 3rd Ave, Fort Lauderdale, 33316. Cost: \$180. Attorneys welcome, approved by the Florida Bar for CLE credits. Guardian for anyone over the age of 18. To sign up please contact Tish at 954-764-8040 ext. 200.

Tuesday, January 19th:

Grievance Committee 17H Meeting. 2:00p.m. Norma B. Howard Bar Center, 1051 SE 3rd Ave, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33316.

Friday, January 22

Broward County Bar Association Judicial Robing Ceremony 1:30p.m. 3rd Floor, Jury Room of the courthouse

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A Message from Michael B. Gilden, President, Young Lawyers' Section

Time has flown in the Young Lawyers Section and our annual charity golf tournament has now come and gone. Although I have no final numbers on the amount of money raised for the charity, Forever Family, I am quite certain that this was one of our most successful years ever. As has been the case for the past several years, the tournament was held at Jacaranda Country Club in Plantation. The tournament was a full as recent memory serves and reports from those that played indicate that a good time was had by all.

Among the primary reasons for this year's success were the tournament Chair and Co-Chair, Meghan Clary and David Hirschberg. Both Meghan and David spent countless hours ensuring even the smallest details of the tournament were covered. I cannot thank both of them enough for their hard work. The rest of the tournament committee also deserves a hardy thank you, as the work that everyone put into the tournament leading up to and then on the day of the tournament cannot be overlooked.

With the holiday season approaching, the YLS has very exciting events coming up that we anticipate will be as successful as ever. Our Holiday-In-January event will bring the joys of the season to foster children in the community. This years Bowl-A-Thon will surely continue to build on the spectacular events of recent years past. As winter approaches spring, our annual Judicial Reception and Family Day will continue to show how the YLS brings worthwhile events to the legal and local community as a whole.

If anyone has any questions about how they can participate with or in the Young Lawyers Section, please feel free to call me at Kopelowitz Ostrow Ferguson Weiselberg Keechl at (954) 525-4100 or gilden@kolawyers.com.

Young Lawyers' Calendar

Hold these dates:

March 20, 2010- YLS Bowling Tournament

May 6, 2010- YLS Judicial Reception

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Inside the Appellate Court: An Afternoon with the Judges of the Fourth DCA



Friday, December 4, 2009

11:30 a.m.—5:30 p.m.

Boca Raton Marriott at Boca Center, 5150 Town Center Circle

Program Schedule

- 11:30 am - 12:00 pm **Buffet Lunch / Registration / Check-In**
- 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm **Luncheon - Keynote Speaker: Honorable Philip J. Padovano, First District Court of Appeal**
- 1:00 pm - 1:15 pm **BREAK**
- 1:15 pm - 2:00 pm **Things You Probably Didn't Know About the Fourth DCA - Honorable Robert M. Gross, Chief Judge, Fourth District Court of Appeal**
- 2:00 pm - 2:30 pm **Writing the Effective Appellate Brief - Former Fourth District Court of Appeal Judge Larry A. Klein, Holland & Knight LLP**
- 2:30 pm - 2:45 pm **BREAK**
- 2:45 pm - 3:15 pm **Panel Discussion - Observations as New Judges on the Fourth District - Honorable Judges Cory J. Ciklin, Jonathan D. Gerber, and Spencer D. Levine, Fourth District Court of Appeal, Moderated by Honorable Robert M. Gross, Chief Judge**
- 3:15 pm - 3:45 pm **Recent Developments in Preservation of Error—Honorable Melanie G. May, Fourth District Court of Appeal**
- 3:45 pm - 4:00 pm **BREAK**
- 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm **Moderated Panel Discussion - with the Judges of the Fourth DCA, Moderated by Jack J. Aiello, Esq., Gunster**
- 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm **Cocktail Reception Honoring the New Fourth District Court of Appeal Judges Jonathan D. Gerber, Spencer D. Levine, and Cory J. Ciklin**

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Days: Wednesdays
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Tuition: \$750. Course registration will begin in mid-November.

Required Materials:

Martin A. Frey, Phyllis Hurley Frey, Sidney K Swinson, 2005, An Introduction to Bankruptcy Law, 5th Edition, West Thompson Delmar Learning.
ISBN-10: 1418040967 or ISBN-13: 978-1418040963

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- The Creditor/Client
- Alternatives to Bankruptcy
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- The Chapter 13 case: Repayment Plan from petition to discharge
- The Chapter 11 case: Voluntary Reorganization from petition to discharge
- Involuntary Bankruptcy Chapters 7 and Chapter 11

For more information contact Art Goldberg, Executive Director, Broward County Bar Association, 954-764-8040 or email: artg@browardbar.org or contact Jessica Garcia-Brown, Paralegal Studies Coordinator, Nova Southeastern University, 954-262-7948 or e-mail: jessicga@nova.edu

The North Broward Bar Association

Cordially invites you to attend its
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**Saturday, December 5, 2009
6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.**

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Approximately 50 attorneys attended. Perry S. Itkin, president of Dispute Resolution Inc., provided a presentation titled, "Mediation in Crisis: Mortgage Foreclosures." Rohan Kelley, manager of The Kelley Law Firm, provided a presentation titled, "Recent Developments in Florida Homestead Law." Opening and closing remarks were provided by Eugene K. Pettis, co-founder and managing partner of Haliczzer Pettis & Schwamm, as well as John Primeau, chair of the Real Property Section.



Left to Right: John Primeau, chair of the Real Property Section of the BCBA; Eugene K. Pettis, co-founder and managing partner of Haliczzer Pettis & Schwamm



Left to Right: Rohan Kelley, manager with The Kelley Law Firm; Eugene K. Pettis, co-founder and managing partner of Haliczzer Pettis & Schwamm; Perry S. Itkin, president of Dispute Resolution Inc.



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Twenty-Second Annual Young Lawyers' Charity Golf Tournament Saturday, November 14, 2009



From left to right: Richard Applebaum, Nick Deangelo, Chris Zecher and Frank Valli took first place at the Golf Tournament to benefit Forever Family, held at Jacaranda Golf Club in Plantation, on Saturday, November 14.

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The Puerto Rican Bar Association of Florida Celebrated its Seventh Year, by Paying Tribute to Education and Launching a Scholarship Foundation Celebrating these accomplishments at the Seventh Annual Gala on Saturday, November 14, 2009 at 7:00 p.m. in Coral Gables, Florida:

From left to right: Broward County Judge Carlos Rebollo, President of the Caribbean Bar Association Cherine Smith, Broward County Judge Marina Garcia Wood, Justice Fred Lewis, President of the Puerto Rican Bar Association of Florida Nydia Menéndez, President Elect of the Puerto Rican Bar Association of Florida Marisol Gomez, Broward County Judge John Frusciano, 2nd District Regional Vice President Myriam Irizarry.

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JUDGES, BAR LEADERS KICK OFF ONE PROGRAM

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Florida Chief Justice Peggy Quince and The Florida Bar President Jesse Diner kicked off The Florida Bar's Pro Bono Legal Service Committee's ONE Program at a Pro Bono Celebration at the Florida Supreme Court on Monday October 26, 2009. First District Court of Appeals Judge William Van Nortwick, Chairman of the Pro Bono.

Legal Services Committee, asked that every Florida lawyer participate in the program by accepting ONE case Pro Bono this year. The goal of the ONE program is to close the gap which has arisen in the provision of legal services to the poor because of decreased funding and increased demand for services. The motto is: ONE CLIENT; ONE ATTORNEY; ONE PROMISE.

The ONE Program is housed at Florida Legal Services in Tallahassee. Adrienne Davis, Coordinator, may be contacted at Adrienne@floridalegal.org or (850) 385-7900 extension 1836. The ONE program website is www.onepromiseflorida.org which contains a proclamation by Florida Governor Charlie Crist, a statement and upcoming activities. Printed brochures, Posters and a video are now available.

Recent activities in Broward County included presentations at BCBA Real Property Seminar on Monday, November 2, 2009 by Rohan Kelley and Perry Itkin, participation in the North Broward –BCBA joint meeting in Pompano by NHBA President Tom Oates and BCBA President Carlos Llorente along with past BCBA President Russ Carlisle and viewing of the ONE program video the Bench Bar Liaison\Committee, Jorge Hurtado, Chair on November 17, 2009.

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Discovery Abuse
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FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: PI Tort VI
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Business Litigation

• PROBATE: Three Sessions
1. Morning Session 9:50 - 10:40 am
Reducing Time Between Filing and the Judge's Signature
CLE COURSE #74879
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Probate I
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Wills, Trusts & Estates

2. Morning Session 11:00 - 11:50 am
eFiling
CLE COURSE #74899
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Probate II
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Wills, Trusts & Estates

3. Afternoon Session 1:50 - 2:40 p.m.
Litigating in Probate Division
CLE COURSE #74889
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Probate I Litigating
Maximum CLER: 1.5 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Wills, Trusts & Estates

• REAL ESTATE PRACTICE: Three Sessions
1. Morning Session 9:50 - 10:40 am
Foreclosure Defense: What To Do When Your Bank Comes Calling
CLE COURSE #74909
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Real Property Practice I
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General

2. Afternoon Session 3:00 - 3:50 p.m.
Landlord/Tenant - How to do a Proper Eviction
CLE COURSE #74919
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Real Property V
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Civil Trial, 1.0 Real Estate

3. Afternoon Session 4:10 - 5:00 p.m.
Reverse Mortgages
CLE COURSE #74929
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Real Property VI
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Real Estate

• TAX LAW: Two Sessions
1. Morning Session 8:40 - 9:30 am
Recent changes to Income Tax Law
CLE COURSE #74939
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Tax I
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General

2. Afternoon Session 1:50 - 2:40 p.m.
Taxing annuities & life Insurance Benefits
CLE COURSE #98329
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Tax IV
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General

• TECHNOLOGY: Three Sessions
1. Morning Session 9:50 - 10:40 am
Electronic Discovery Tools
CLE COURSE #PENDING
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE:
Maximum CLER:

2. Morning Session 11:00 - 11:50 am
Future of Electronic Discovery
CLE COURSE #PENDING
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE:
Maximum CLER:

3. Afternoon Session 4:10 - 5:00 p.m.
Electronic Discovery Cost Management
CLE COURSE #PENDING
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE:
Maximum CLER:

• WORKERS COMPENSATION: Two Sessions
1. Afternoon Session 1:50 - 2:40 p.m.
Mediation Strategies
CLE COURSE #74949
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Workers Compensation III
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Workers Comp

2. Afternoon Session 3:00 - 3:50 p.m.
Workplace Injuries - Recognizing Issues and Resolving Liens
CLE COURSE #PENDING
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE:
Maximum CLER:



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BCBA 2009 Bench Bar Convention CLE Course Numbers

Thank you for your patience. The Florida Bar has assigned each session a different course number.

Each Practice Area Track is denoted by a bullet point. The name of each Track is capitalized and underlined, along with the total number of sessions within each Track. The time the session was held is also provided. The title of each course/session is highlighted in gray. The CLE Course number is underlined and, and the Maximum CLER and Maximum Certification is in *italics*. The black bar [REDACTED] has been placed after the last numbered session within each Practice Area Track.

SPECIAL NOTE:

The Florida Bar shortened BCBA session titles when they certified these courses. The Florida Bar SHORT TITLE is listed for each session to assist you when reporting courses

- **ADDICTIONS: One Session**
1. Morning Session 8:40 - 9:30 am
Recognizing and Helping
Someone with an Abuse/Gambling Problem
CLE COURSE # 74299
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Addictions I
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Substance Abuse
[REDACTED]
- **APPELLATE PRACTICE: Four Sessions**
1. Morning Session 8:40 - 9:30 am
Practicing in 4th DCA
CLE COURSE #74309
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Appellate Practice I
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General

2. Morning Session 9:50 am - 10:40 am
4th DCA – Behind Closed Doors
CLE COURSE #74319
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Appellate Law 2
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Appellate Practice,
1.0 Criminal Appellate, 1.0 Criminal Trial,
1.0 Civil Trial

3. Morning Session 11:00 - 11:50 am
Practicing in 3rd DCA
CLE COURSE #74329
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Appellate Practice III
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Appellate Practice,
1.0 Criminal Appellate

4. Afternoon Session 1:50 - 2:40 pm
Preserving the Record
CLE COURSE #74339
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Appellate Law 4
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Appellate Practice,
1.0 Business Litigation, 1.0 Criminal Appellate,
1.0 Criminal Trial, 1.0 Civil Trial
[REDACTED]
- **ARBITRATION: Six Sessions**
1. Morning Session 8:40 - 9:30 am
To Arbitrate or Not
CLE COURSE # 74349
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Arbitration 101
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Business Litigation,
1.0 Civil Trial

2. Morning Session 9:50 - 10:40 am
Picking Arbitrators
& Other Early Matters
CLE COURSE # 74359

FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Arbitration 201
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Business Litigation,
1.0 Civil Trial

3. Morning Session 11:00 - 11:50 am
Pre-Trial Proceedings
CLE COURSE # 74369
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Arbitration 202
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Business Litigation,
1.0 Civil Trial

4. Afternoon Session 1:50 - 2:40 pm
Preparing for Final Hearing – Part I
CLE COURSE #74379
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Arbitration 203
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Business Litigation,
1.0 Civil Trial

5. Afternoon Session 3:00 - 3:50 pm
Preparing for Final Hearing – Part 2
CLE COURSE #74389
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Arbitration 301B
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General

6. Afternoon Session 4:10 - 5:00 pm
After the Hearing
CLE COURSE #74399
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Arbitration 303
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Business Litigation,
1.0 Civil Trial
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- **INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY: Five Sessions**
1. Morning Session 9:50 - 10:40 am
OMG – My Aity Needs to Learn Face-Book
Issues ASAP
CLE COURSE #98219
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Intellectual Property II
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Intellectual Property

2. Morning Session 11:00 - 11:50 am
At Least Talk The Talk – a Lexicon for IP Cases
CLE COURSE #98229
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Intellectual Property III
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Intellectual Property

3. Afternoon Session 1:50 - 2:40 p.m.
How to Recognize an IP Cause of Action
CLE COURSE #98239
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Intellectual Property IV
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Intellectual Property

4. Afternoon Session 3:00 - 3:50 p.m.
Patent Pitfalls for the Gen. Practitioner
CLE COURSE #98249
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Intellectual Property V
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Intellectual Property

5. Afternoon Session 4:10 - 5:00 p.m.
Bankruptcy Consequences on IP Rights
CLE COURSE #98259
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Intellectual Property VI
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Intellectual Property
[REDACTED]
- **JUVENILE /DEPENDENCY: One Session**
1. Morning Session 9:50 - 10:40 am
Getting Court Appointments - With Pay
CLE COURSE #74819
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Juvenile Dependency
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
[REDACTED]
- **LAW OFFICE ECONOMICS: Four Sessions**
1. Morning Session 11:00 - 11:50 am
Marketing Your Practice
CLE COURSE #74829
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Law Office Economics
III
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General

2. Afternoon Session 1:50 - 2:40 p.m.
Starting & Building Your Own Practice
CLE COURSE #98269
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Law Office Economics
IV
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General

3. Afternoon Session 3:00 - 3:50 p.m.
FaceBook, Linked-In and Twitter
CLE COURSE #98279
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Law Office Economics
V

LAW OFFICE ECONOMICS (continued)

- 4. Afternoon Session 4:10 - 5:00 p.m.
InterNet Marketing
CLE COURSE #98289
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Law Office Economics
VI
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
[REDACTED]
- **LEGISLATIVE UPDATE: One Session**
1. Afternoon Session 4:10 - 5:00 p.m.
With State Sen. J. Ring & Rep. E. Bogdanoff
CLE COURSE #PENDING
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE:
Maximum CLER:
[REDACTED]
- **MEDIATION: Three Sessions**
1. Morning Session 8:40 - 9:30 am
Yes, You CAN Screw It Up, Part I
CLE COURSE #98299
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Mediation I
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Ethics

2. Morning Session 9:50 - 10:40 am
Yes, You CAN Screw It Up, Part 2
CLE COURSE #98309
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Mediation II
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Ethics

3. Afternoon Session 4:10 - 5:00 p.m.
Do's and Don'ts for Mediators Drafting
Documents
CLE COURSE #98319
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Mediation VI
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
[REDACTED]
- **PERSONAL INJURY: Four Sessions**
1. Morning Session 8:40 - 9:30 am
Fraud du Jour- Qui Tam
CLE COURSE #74839
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: PI Tort I
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Business Litigation

2. Afternoon Session 1:50 - 2:40 pm
Dealing with Rambo
CLE COURSE #74849
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: PI Tort IV
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Business Litigation

3. Afternoon Session 3:00 - 3:50 pm
Dealing with Ambush Tactics
CLE COURSE #74859
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: PI Tort V
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Business Litigation

ETHICS (continued)

6. Afternoon Session 4:10 – 5:00 pm
How To Respond to a Bar Complaint
CLE COURSE #74749
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Ethics VI
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Ethics

• **FAMILY PRACTICE: Six Sessions**

1. Morning Session 8:40 - 9:30 am
Parenting Plans & Coordinators - New Statutes
CLE COURSE #98149
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Family I Parenting
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Marital & Family Law

2. Morning Session 9:50 - 10:40 am
Alimony – Does “Standard of Living” Still Apply?
CLE COURSE #98159
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Family II Alimony
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Marital & Family Law

3. Morning Session 11:00 - 11:50 am
Lively Debate: Business Valuation and
Double Dipping
CLE COURSE #98169
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Family III Lively
Debate
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Marital & Family Law

4. Afternoon Session 1:50 - 2:40 p.m.
Basic Immigration for Family Lawyers
CLE COURSE #74759
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Family IV
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Marital & Family Law,
1.0 Immigration & Nationality

5. Afternoon Session 3:00 - 3:50 p.m.
Confronting RAIDS in This Economy
CLE COURSE #98179
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Family IV Raids
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Marital & Family Law

6. Afternoon Session 4:10 - 5:00 p.m.
Judicial Roundtable on Parenting and
Financial Issues
CLE COURSE #98189
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Family VI Judicial
Roundtable
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Marital & Family Law

• **FEDERAL PRACTICE: Two Sessions**

1. Morning Session 8:40 - 9:30 am
Criminal Procedure - Getting It Right
CLE COURSE #74769
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Federal Practice I
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Criminal Appellate,
1.0 Criminal Trial

2. Morning Session 9:50 - 10:40 am
Civil Procedure – Getting It Right
CLE COURSE #74779
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Federal Practice II
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Business Litigation,
1.0 Civil Trial

• **FORECLOSURE: Three Sessions**

1. Morning Session 11:00 - 11:50 am
Using Chap 13 to Prevent Foreclosure
CLE COURSE #98199
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Foreclosure III Chap 13
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Real Estate

2. Afternoon Session 1:50 - 2:40 p.m.
Condo & Homeowner Assoc Foreclosure
CLE COURSE #74789
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Foreclosure Practice IV
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Civil Trial,
1.0 Real Estate

3. Afternoon Session 4:10 - 5:00 p.m.
New Mortgage Workouts
CLE COURSE #74799
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Foreclosure Practice VI
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Civil Trial,
1.0 Real Estate

• **GOVERNMENT LAW: Two Sessions**

1. Afternoon Session 1:50 - 2:40 p.m.
Public Corruption – Honest Services Act 1346
CLE COURSE #74809
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Government Law IV
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 State/Federal Govt
Admin Pract, 1.0 Civil Trial, 1.0 Criminal Trial

2. Afternoon Session 4:10 - 5:00 p.m.
Sunshine Law Update
CLE COURSE #98209
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Government Law VI
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Ethics

• **BANKRUPTCY: Three sessions**

1. Afternoon Session 1:50 - 2:40 pm
Fraudulent Transfers
CLE COURSE #74409
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Bankruptcy Law IV
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General

2. Afternoon Session 3:00 - 3:50 pm
Filing for Consumers
CLE COURSE #74419
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Bankruptcy V
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General

3. Afternoon Session 4:10 - 5:00 pm
Creditor Representation
CLE COURSE #74429
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Bankruptcy VI
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General

• **BROWARD SHERIFF'S OFFICE: Three sessions**

1. Morning Session 9:50 am -10:40 am
Dealing with a Child Protective
Services Investigation
CLE COURSE #74439
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: BSO II
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Criminal Trial,
1.0 Marital Family Law

2. Morning Session 11:00 - 11:50 am
Process, Levies, Enforceable Writs
CLE COURSE #74449
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: BSO V
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Civil Trial

3. Afternoon Session 3:00 - 3:50 pm
Profiling, Discrimination, Hate Crimes
CLE COURSE #74459
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: BSO III
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Criminal Trial

• **BUSINESS & CORPORATE: Two sessions**

1. Morning Session 8:40 - 9:30 am
Asset Protection –Refine Your Strategy
CLE COURSE # 74469
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Business Corporate
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Business Litigation,
1.0 Wills, Trusts and Estates, 1.0 Real Estate

2. Afternoon Session 4:10 - 5:00 pm
Finer Points of Business Leases
CLE COURSE #74479
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Business Corp Prac VI
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Business Litigation,
1.0 Real Estate

• **CIVIL PRACTICE: Seven Sessions**

1. Morning Session 8:40 - 9:30 am
Pet Peeves of Judges and JAs
CLE COURSE # 74489
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Civil Practice I
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Civil Trial

2. Morning Session 9:50 - 10:40 am
Complex Litigation Division
CLE COURSE #74499
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Civil Practice II
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Civil Trial

3. Morning Session 11:00-11:50 am
Proving Damages –Proper Use of Experts
CLE COURSE #74509
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Civil Practice III
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Civil Trial

4. Afternoon Session 1:50- 2:40pm
Criminal Issues for Civil Attorneys –
Staying Out of Trouble
CLE COURSE #74519
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Civil Practice IV
Maximum CLER: 1.5 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Criminal Trial,
1.0 Civil Trial

5. Afternoon Session 3:00 - 3:50 pm
Consequential Damages -What Are They?
CLE COURSE #74529
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Civil Practice V
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Civil Trial

6. Afternoon Session 4:10- 5:00pm
Blocking Public Access
CLE COURSE #74539
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Civil Practice VI
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Civil Trial

7. Afternoon Session 4:10- 5:00pm
Judicial Roundtable –Circuit Civil
CLE COURSE #74979
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Judet Rndtbl Circuit
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General

• **COLLECTIONS- Three Sessions**

1. Afternoon Session 1:50 - 2:40 pm
I Got My Judgment, Now What? Part I
CLE COURSE #98059
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Collections IV
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Appellate Practice, 1.0 Civil Trial

2. Afternoon Session 3:00 - 3:50 pm
I Got My Judgment, Now What? Part 2
CLE COURSE #74989
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Collections V
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Appellate Practice, 1.0 Civil Trial

3. Afternoon Session 4:10 - 5:00 pm
Plastic Explosion: Credit Card Litigation
CLE COURSE #74999
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Collections VI
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Appellate Practice, 1.0 Civil Trial

• **CONSTRUCTION LAW: Five Sessions**

1. Morning Session 8:40 - 9:30 am
Lien Law for the Gen. Practitioner
CLE COURSE #74549
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Construction Law I
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Construction Law

2. Morning Session 9:50 - 10:40 am
Twenty Construction Causes of Action
CLE COURSE #74559
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Construction Law II
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Construction Law

3. Morning Session 11:00 - 11:50 am
Chap. 558 Construction Defects Minefield
CLE COURSE #74569
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Construction Law III
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Construction Law

4. Afternoon Session 1:50 - 2:40 pm
Getting Insurance for Sub-K Defects
CLE COURSE #98069
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Construction IV
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Construction Law

5. Afternoon Session 3:00 - 3:50 pm
Atty Fees after Trytek and Port-a-Weld
CLE COURSE # 98079
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Construction V
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Construction Law

• **COUNTY COURT: Five Sessions**

1. Morning Session 8:40 - 9:30 am
Small Claims Refresher for Lawyers and Judges
CLE COURSE #74589
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Cty Crt Civil II
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General

2. Morning Session 8:40 - 9:30 am
Judicial Roundtable Satellite Courts
CLE COURSE #74959
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Judicial Roundtable Satilli
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General

3. Morning Session 9:50 - 10:40 am
Landlord-Tenant Issues
CLE COURSE #74579
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: County Court Civil II
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General

4. Morning Session 11:00 - 11:50 am
Traffic Court – What Lawyers and Judges Need to Know
CLE COURSE #74599
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Cty Crt Civ III Traffic
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Civil Trial

5. Afternoon Session 3:00 - 3:50 pm
Judicial Roundtable – County Civil
CLE COURSE #74969
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: County Court Civil Judicial
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Civil Trial

• **CRIMINAL PRACTICE: Six Sessions**

1. Morning Session 8:40 - 9:30 am
Pet Peeves of Judges & JA's
CLE COURSE #98089
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Criminal Law I
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Criminal Trial

2. Morning Session 9:50 - 10:40 am
Mortgage Fraud
CLE COURSE #98099
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Criminal Law II
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Criminal Trial, 1.0 Real Estate

3. Morning Session 11:00 - 11:50 am
Electronic Forensics
CLE COURSE #98109
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Criminal Law III
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Criminal Trial

4. Afternoon Session 1:50 - 2:40 pm
Defending Against Electronic Evidence
CLE COURSE #98119
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Criminal Law IV
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Criminal Appellate

CRIMINAL PRACTICE (continued)

5. Afternoon Session 3:00 - 3:50 pm
Chuck Morton's Trial Advocacy
CLE COURSE #98129
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Criminal Law V
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Criminal Trial

6. Afternoon Session 4:10 - 5:00 pm
First Appearance and Bail
CLE COURSE #74609
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Criminal Law VI
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Criminal Trial

• **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE: Two Sessions**

1. Morning Session 9:50 - 10:40 am
From Onset to Sunset – Dating Violence
CLE COURSE #74619
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Domestic Violence II
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Marital & Family Law

2. Morning Session 11:00 - 11:50 am
From Onset to Sunset – Senior Abuse
CLE COURSE #74629
FL BAR SHORT TITLE: Domestic Violence III
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Marital & Family Law

• **ELDER LAW: Five Sessions**

1. Morning Session 8:40 - 9:30 am
Elder Law for Non-Elder Law Attys
CLE COURSE #74639
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Elder Law I
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Elder Law

2. Morning Session 9:50 - 10:40 am
How to Draft Airtight Advance Directives
CLE COURSE #74649
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Elder Law II
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Elder Law

3. Morning Session 11:00 - 11:50 am
Getting Public Benefits for Seniors
CLE COURSE #74659
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Elder Law III
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Elder Law

4. Afternoon Session 1:50 - 2:40 pm
Asset Protection for Long Term Care
CLE COURSE #74669
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Elder Law IV
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Elder Law

5. Afternoon Session 3:00 - 3:50 pm
Trusts for your Disabled Clients
CLE COURSE #74679
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Elder Law V
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Elder Law

• **EMPLOYMENT/ LABOR LAW: Four Sessions**

1. Morning Session 9:50 - 10:40 am
New Labor, Employment & Discrimination Laws
CLE COURSE #74689
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Employment Labor Law I
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Labor and Employment

2. Morning Session 11:00 - 11:50 am
Coming Changes Will Impact Employers
CLE COURSE #74699
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Employment Labor Law II
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Labor and Employment

3. Afternoon Session 1:50 - 2:40 p.m.
Frequent Issues Not Commonly Addressed
CLE COURSE #PENDING
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE:
Maximum CLER:
Maximum Certification:

4. Afternoon Session 3:00 - 3:50 p.m.
Hot in Fla. – Overtime & Unpaid Wages
CLE COURSE #PENDING
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE:
Maximum CLER:
Maximum Certification:

• **ETHICS: Six Sessions**

1. Morning Session 8:40 - 9:30 am
Avoiding Fee Disputes – Preemptive Strategies
CLE COURSE #74709
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Ethics I
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Ethics

2. Morning Session 9:50 - 10:40 am
Diversity Issues – Just When You Thought It Was Safe
CLE COURSE #74719
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Ethics II
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Ethics

3. Morning Session 11:00 - 11:50 am
Avoiding Malpractice – Preemptive Strategies
CLE COURSE #98139
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Ethics III
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Ethics

4. Afternoon Session 1:50 - 2:40 p.m.
Denny Crane Ethics Part I
CLE COURSE #74729
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Ethics IV
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General
Maximum Certification: 1.0 Ethics

5. Afternoon Session 3:00 - 3:50
Denny Crane Ethics Part 2
CLE COURSE #74739
FLA BAR SHORT TITLE: Ethics V
Maximum CLER: 1.0 General