

CDLA 32ND ANNUAL SEMINAR AGENDA

Thursday, July 30, 2009

8:00 - 8:45 a.m. **Firm Retreats - Part Two of the Business of Law**
Mark Carelton - Overcoming Fear Factors in Today's Economy
Mr. Carleton is a Senior Vice President of Liberty Media Corporation and currently serves on the board of directors of for the Atlanta Braves, WildBlue Communications, Inc., Starz Entertainment, LLC, Ticketmaster Entertainment, Inc., and Volunteers of America-Colorado Branch. Previously, he was a partner of KPMG LLP

9:00 - 11:00 a.m. CDLA has arranged for conference rooms to be available at the Steamboat Sheraton free of charge to firms that wish to conduct **associate retreats** following Mr. Carelton's discussion. Availability may be limited so early registration is strongly encouraged

11:00 - 4:00 p.m. **Organized Activities - Golf at Rollingstone Ranch Golf Course, Horseback Riding, Alpine Sliding and Tubing down the Yampa.** See registration form to sign up.

4:00 - 8:00 p.m. **Conference Registration**

6:00 - 8:00 p.m. **Welcome Reception** *Sponsored by JAMS Dispute Resolution*

Friday, July 31, 2009

7:30 - 9:00 a.m. **Breakfast Buffet**

8:45 - 9:00 a.m. **Welcome and Introductions**
Craig Sargent, Esq.
CDLA President

9:00 - 10:30 a.m. **"Kiss My Ass"**
Dignity and Courage in the Judicial System
Birmingham's 16th Street Baptist Church Bombing, the KKK, and Three Decades to Justice
William J. Baxley, Esq.
Baxley, Dillard, Dauphin, McKnight & James, Birmingham, AL
G. Douglas Jones, Esq.
Haskell Slaughter Young & Rediker, LLC, Birmingham, AL

10:45 - 11:50 a.m. **Hollywood Tells the Story - Lawyers on Celluloid**
4 Little Girls - Spike Lee's Take of the 16th Street Church Bombing, Atticus Finch, and Society's View of the Profession through Film
Janet S. Robinson
Professor of Film Studies, University of Colorado, Boulder

12:00 - 1:15 p.m. **Box Lunch and Break**



Young Lawyers Track

1:30 - 2:15 **An Actual Strategy for Compelling Medical and Tax Histories in the face of *Alcon v. Spicer* and *Weil v. Dillon***
The Hon. Thomas K. Kane
Fourth Judicial District
Steven A. Michalek, Esq.
Kennedy Childs & Fogg, P.C.

2:15 - 3:00 **Forensic Accounting for the Economic Loss**
Bo Donegan, CPA, CFF, Cr. FA.
Executive Director, CDLA

3:15 - 4:00 **Deposition Boot Camp**
Kevin F. Amatuzio, Esq.
Montgomery, Kolodny Amatuzio & Dusbabek, LLP

Workers' Compensation Track

1:30 - 2:15 **Case Law/Legislative/Rule Update**
Administrative Law Judge Keith Mottram

2:15 - 3:00 **Difficult and Complex Discovery Issues**
Margaret Keck, Esq.
Thomas, Pollart & Miller, LLC

3:15 - 4:00 **Addictive Personalities and Addiction Medicine**
Caroline Gellrick, M.D.
Exempla Occupational Medicine; addiction medicine specialist

Litigation/Construction Defect Track

1:30 - 2:15 **The Art and Ethics of Trial Objections**
Kevin J. Kuhn, Esq.
Wheeler Trigg O'Donnell

2:15 - 3:00 **Prosecuting and Defending CD Cases from the Perspective of the General Contractor and the Developer**
Brad Ramming, Esq.
Fisher Sweetbaum Levin & Sands
Ivan Sarkissian, Esq.
McConaughy & Sarkissian, P.C.

3:15 - 4:00 **Impact of *General Security v. Mountain States* and Defense Strategies Arising Out of That and Other Recent Rulings**
Bradley N. Shefrin, Esq.
Pryor Johnson Carney Karr Nixon P.C.
Janet S. Wells, Esq.
Ray Lego & Associates

4:15 - 6:00 **Judges and Young Lawyers Reception**

Afternoon Breakout Sessions Sponsored by Rimkus



Saturday, August 1, 2009

8:00 - 9:00 a.m. **Continental Breakfast** *Sponsored by Joel A. Kolodny - Arbitrations and Mediations*

9:00 - 10:15 a.m. **Judges Panel**
The Effective Schreck Motion and the Ill-Advised Schreck Motion
The Art and Ethics of Voir Dire
The Best Thing I Saw a Lawyer Do in My Courtroom in Recent Years and What You Should Learn From It

The Hon. Morris Hoffman, *Second Judicial District*
The Hon. Thomas K. Kane, *Fourth Judicial District*
The Hon. Nancy A. Hopf, *Eighteenth Judicial District*
The Hon. Shelley A. Hill, *Fourteenth Judicial District*

10:30 - 11:15 a.m. **Bankruptcy for Non-Bankruptcy Attorneys**
John Wasserman, Esq.
Harvey Sender, Esq.
Sender & Wasserman, P.C.

11:15 - 12:00 p.m. **Work Comp for Non-Work Comp Attorneys - What You Must Know**
Thomas M. Condas, Esq.
Ritsema & Lyon, P.C.

12:00 - 1:30 p.m. **Recognition Lunch**
The Zen of Zebbras - A Guide to Success
John R. Kouris
Executive Director, DRI and Big Ten Official

1:30 - 4:00 p.m. **Rapid Fire Hot Topics and Current Events**
Hospital Liens
Greg Falls, Esq.
Deisch, Marion & Klaus
Internet Discovery Techniques
Gerry Pratt, Esq.
McConaughy & Sarkissian, P.C.
Bad Faith Update
Heather Hackett, Esq.
McElroy, Deutsch, Mulvaney & Carpenter
Use of Reutter v. Weber Interviews in Non-MedMal Cases
Deana Dagner, Esq.
Grund, Dagner & Nelson
Jeff Richards, Esq.
Anstine Hill Richards & Simpson
Legislative Update
Jeff Ruebel, Esq.
Campbell, Latiolais & Ruebel

5:30 - 9:00 p.m. **Saturday Night Cowboy BBQ at Saddleback Ranch**
No nose-to-tail rides here, 30 minute horse-drawn wagon rides to the Double Dollar Lodge. Buses will pick up (and drop off) at the Sheraton - 5:30 p.m. heading off to the working ranch for an evening of live music, cold drinks, cowboy dinner, and the beautiful Colorado sunset. Oh, and by the way, this is where the reality show "Filthy Rich-Cattle Drive" was filmed
Yippie-ki-yay!

