Broward County Bar Association

2022 Bench & Bar Convention

Friday, May 13 | Signature Grand, Fort Lauderdale, Florida

7:30 AM	**REGISTRATION**						
8:00 AM – 9:00 AM	**BREAKFAST** **WHAT COMES NEXT?** Florida Bar President-Elect Gary S. Lesser						
SESSION 2 **9:05 AM - 10:05 AM**	SEMINAR 200 **The View From the Bench - Do You Measure Up?** Chief Judge Tuter, Fourth District Court of Appeal Chief Judge Burton C. Conner, Federal Judge Raag Singhal, Circuit Civil Admin Judge Carol-Lisa Phillips, and County Court Admin Judge Robert W. Lee **ETHICS CREDIT**						
SESSION 3 **10:15 AM – 11:05 AM** *50 minutes*	SEMINAR 300 (Breakout 1) **STAYING MENTALLY GROUNDED** Beth Feder, Esq. Arielle Perla Capuano, Esq. **MENTAL ILLNESS AWARENESS CREDIT**		SEMINAR 320 (Breakout 3) **LEGAL MALPRACTICE** D. David Keller, Esq. **ETHICS CREDIT**	SEMINAR 340 (Breakout 4) **COMMON TOOLS FOR APPELLATE PRACTICE** Morgan Weinstein, Esq. Alexis Fields, Esq.	SEMINAR 350 & 450 (Breakout 5) **BROWARD, DADE, PALM BEACH PROBATE ROUNDTABLE Part 1** Judge Kenneth Gillespie Judge Charles Greene Judge Nicholas Lopane Judge Laura Johnson Judge Milton Hirsh	RTB 360 Family Law Track **EVIDENCE & FAMILY LAW** Judge Thomas J. Coleman Judge Mariya Weekes Meghan M. Clary, Esq.	TRIAL TRACK 370 **PRE TRIAL-CONSIDERATIONS** Jamie Finizio Bascombe, Esq. Kimberly L. Wald, Esq. Trisha Widowfield, Esq
SESSION 4 **11:15 AM – 12:05 PM** *50 minutes*	SEMINAR 410 (Breakout 1) **EMERGING LEGAL TECHNOLOGY** *Crypto Currency & Metaverse* Richard S. Chizever, Esq. Joshua Harris Lida, Esq. **TECHNOLOGY CREDIT**	SEMINAR 420 (Breakout 2) **JOHN MORGAN MARKETING TIPS** John Morgan, Esq.	SEMINAR 430 (Breakout 3) **CRIMINAL TRIALS & PRESERVING THE APPELLATE RECORD** Assistant State Attorney Joel Silvershein	SEMINAR 440 **FEDERAL AND STATE DIFFERENCES AND NEW SIMILARITIES IN PRACTICES** Morgan Weinstein, Esq. Alexis Fields, Esq.	SEMINAR 450 (Breakout 4) **BROWARD, DADE, PALM BEACH PROBATE ROUNDTABLE Part 2** Judge Kenneth Gillespie Judge Charles Greene Judge Nicholas Lopane Judge Laura Johnson Judge Milton Hirsh	RTB 460 Family Law Track **ALL THINGS ALIMONY** General Magistrate Allana Robinson Woods Katherine Birnbaum, Esq. Norman M. Kronstadt, CPA/ABV	TRIAL TRACK 470 **JURY SELECTION** John H. Richards, Esq. Edward H. Zebersky, Esq.
12:20 PM – 1:40 PM	**LUNCH** Keynote Speaker Supreme Court Incoming Chief Justice Carlos G. Muñiz						
SESSION 5 **2:00 PM – 2:50 PM** *50 minutes*	SEMINAR 510 (Breakout 1) **MARKETING & THE MEDIA** *Fl Bar Rules, Ethics* *Being in the Media* Juan Carlos Arias, Esq. Mark Eiglarsh, Esq. **TECHNOLOGY CREDIT**	SEMINAR 520 (Breakout 2) **EFFECTIVE MEDIATION & ARBITRATION** Rick M. Ellsley, Esq. Hyram M. Montero, Esq. Edwina V. Kessler, Esq.	SEMINAR 530 (Breakout 3) **CRIMINAL LAW UPDATES** Judge Michael Usan	SEMINAR 540 **CASE LAW UPDATE FOR THE GENERAL INSURANCE LITIGATOR** Judge Giuseppina Miranda Judge Robert W. Lee	SEMINAR 550 (Breakout 4) **APPELLATE PROGRAM** Judge Alan Forst Judge Norma Lindsey Morgan Weinstein, Esq. Alexis Fields, Esq.	RTB 560 Family Law Track **SOCIAL INVESTIGATIONS V. GAL AND OTHER PARENTING RELATED ISSUES** Judge Michael Davis Maria Gonzalez, Esq. Dr. Jan Faust	TRIAL TRACK 570 **CROSS EXAM & CLOSING STATEMENTS** Ileana M Almeida, Esq. James S. Haliczer, Esq.
SESSION 6 **3:00 PM – 3:50 PM** *50 minutes*	SEMINAR 610 (Breakout 1) **ONE STEP AHEAD OF TECHNOLOGY** Michael Goldstein **TECHNOLOGY CREDIT**	SEMINAR 620 (Breakout 2) **BANKRUPTCY UPDATES** *Subchapter V of Ch 11* Chad Pugatch, Esq. Zach Shelomith, Esq.	SEMINAR 630 (Breakout 3) **CRIMINAL DUI LAW** Jeremy J. Kroll, Esq.	SEMINAR 640 **NEW HORIZONS REVISTED: COUNTY CIVIL JURISDICTION** Judge Florence Taylor Barner Judge Jacqueline Powell	SEMINAR 650 (Breakout 4) **REAL PROPERTY – FORECLOSURE UPDATES** Evan Rosen, Esq. Matthew Hearne	RTB 660 Family Law Track **ATTORNEY FEES & COSTS - PREVAILING PARTY FEES, INEQUITABLE CONDUCT DOCTRINE** Kenneth Gordon, Esq.	TRIAL TRACK **MOCK TRIAL** The Honorable Tabitha Blackmon *Presiding* Alexander Fischer, Esq. Alixandra Buckelew, Esq. Derek Lewis, Esq. John Tolley, Esq. *Witnesses* Kyle S. Roberts, Esq. Maria Schiuma Fischer, Esq. Santino Finizio, Esq. Brian Andino, Esq. *Moderators* Aron J. Gibson, Esq. Robert C.L. Vaughan, Esq. **MOCK TRIAL CREDIT**
SESSION 7 4:00 PM – 4:50 PM 50 minutes	SEMINAR 710 (Breakout 1) **CIVILITY AND PROFESSIONALISM** Judge Carol-Lisa Phillips Madeleine Mannello, Esq. **PROFESSIONALISM CREDIT**	SEMINAR 720 (Breakout 2) **SHOW ME THE MONEY: TAKING THE NEXT STEPS AFTER OBTAINING A JUDGMENT IN FLORIDA** Robin S. Moselle, Esq.	SEMINAR 730 (Breakout 3) **CONSTRUCTION DEFECTS AND NEW CODES AFTER BUILDING COLLAPSE** Michael J. Kurzman, Esq.	SEMINAR 740 **NEW "IMPROVED RESOLUTION" RULES** Judge Robert W. Lee Eugene Pettis, Esq.	SEMINAR 750 (Breakout 4) **BAD FAITH** Stephen A. Marino, Jr., Esq.	RTB 760 Family Law Track **HOW TO TRY A FAMILY LAW CASE** Judge Natasha DePrimo General Magistrate Annette J. Szorosy Rae E. Chorowski, Esq.	
5:00 PM – 6:00 PM	**COCKTAIL RECEPTION**						