



SOLO, SMALL FIRM & TECH CONFERENCE SCHEDULE*

NAPOLEON BALLROOM – SHERATON NEW ORLEANS; FIFTH FLOOR FLOOR (500 Canal St., NOLA ((504) 525-2500)
****PLEASE NOTE: This schedule is subject to change (last updated 1/8/2020).****

DAY ONE: TUESDAY, MAR. 3, 2020

7:45 - 8:15 REGISTRATION: FIFTH FLOOR FOYER

Grand Ballroom C: CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST (7:30 to 8:00 a.m.)

8:15 – 8:30 Grand Ballroom A/B: WELCOMING REMARKS - Robert Kutcher; Rachel Thyre Vogeltanz; Shawn Holahan

8:30 - 10:00 Grand Ballroom A/B: (PLENARY SESSION; 1.5 HRS LPM): *DIGITAL DETOX!! THE NEW ADDICTION - DISTRACTION & TIME MANAGEMENT* – Paul Unger

**Thomas J. Stirewalt, Jr. Memorial Lecture, sponsored by the LSBA Solo & Small Firm Section

10:00 – 10:15 BREAK

10:15 – 11:15 Grand Ballroom A/B: (1.0 HR CLE) *KNOCK, KNOCK, KNOCKING ON HEAVEN'S DOOR: DISCUSSING END-OF-LIFE DECISIONS WITH YOUR CLIENTS* – Laura Fine

Grand Ballroom E: (1.0 HR CLE) *GOOD SOCIAL MEDIA EVIDENCE? AUTHENTICATE DAT; ADMIT DAT; HOW TO DO DAT* – Gayle and Tom O'Connor

Grand Ballroom D: (1.0 HR Prof) *BECOMING A HAPPY LAWYER* – Buddy Stockwell

11:15 – 11:25 BREAK

11:25 – 12:25 Grand Ballroom A/B: (1.0 HR CLE) *DECRETAL LANGUAGE ("IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED THAT...") & APPEALABILITY – WHAT IS IT, WHAT DOES IT NEED TO SAY, WHAT HAPPENS IF IT'S NOT THERE* – Hon. Susan Chehardy

Grand Ballroom E: (1.0 HR LPM CLE) *A LUDDITE'S ENTERTAINING LOOK AT TECHNOLOGY: WHERE WE'VE BEEN AND WHERE WE ARE GOING - FROM CARBON PAPER TO ROBOT LAWYERS* – Ed Walters

Grand Ballroom D: (1.0 HR LPM CLE) *TASK & EMAIL MANAGEMENT* – Paul Unger

12:25 – 1:25 Grand Ballroom C: LUNCH

****LAGNIAPPE LUNCH SESSIONS:**

12:40 – 1:10 Grand Ballroom A/B: (0.5 HR LPM CLE) *ESSENTIAL RULES FOR ATTORNEY TRUST ACCOUNTING* – Erica Birstler

Grand Ballroom E: (0.5 HR LPM CLE) *AUTOMATING REAL ESTATE CLOSING SAVES TIME AND INCREASES REVENUE* – Mark Alfonso

Grand Ballroom D: (0.5 HR LPM CLE) *ONLINE BRANDING/REPUTATION MANAGEMENT, PT.1: WHAT IS IT; WHY IT MATTERS* – Gayle O'Connor

1:25 – 2:25 Grand Ballroom A/B: (1.0 HR LPM CLE) *POWER HOUR!! OUTLOOK SKILLS FOR THE SOLO LAWYER* – Paul Unger

Grand Ballroom E: (1.0 HR Prof.) *OPPOSING COUNSEL: YOUR KEY TO MAKING FRIENDS, REDUCING STRESS, AND REACHING BETTER SETTLEMENTS AND CASE OUTCOMES* – Kevin Vogeltanz

Grand Ballroom D: (1.0 HR CLE) *WHAT DID THE LEGISLATURE DO TO CIVIL LAW: RECENT DEVELOPMENTS AND WHAT'S TO COME* – Julie Baxter Payer

2:25 – 2:40 BREAK

2:40 – 3:40 Grand Ballroom A/B: (1.0 HR CLE) *WHAT DID THE LEGISLATURE DO TO CRIMINAL LAW: RECENT DEVELOPMENTS AND WHAT'S TO COME* – Davidson Ehle and Joe Marino

Grand Ballroom E: (1.0 HR CLE) *E-SIGNATURES FOR SOLOS: VALIDITY, CASE LAW & HAZARDS* – Jason Anders

Grand Ballroom D: (1.0 HR Ethics) *CYBERSECURITY AND EVERYDAY ETHICAL PITFALLS IN EVERY DAY OFFICE COMPUTING* – Paul Unger

3:40 – 3:55 BREAK

3:55 – 4:55 Grand Ballroom A/B: (1.0 HR CLE) *PROPERTY & REAL ESTATE CASE LAW UPDATES AND PRINCIPLES FOR SOLOS* – Ellen Artopoulos

Grand Ballroom E: (1 HR Ethics) *EFFECTIVE AND ETHICAL USE OF POWERPOINT BY LAWYERS* - Richard Lemmler

Grand Ballroom D: (1.0 HR CLE) *GET MORE GOOD STUFF FROM MEDICAL RECORDS* – Kathleen Christmas

**4:55 – 6:30 RECEPTION FOR ALL ATTENDEES
IN GRAND BALLROOM C**

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DAY TWO: WEDNESDAY, MAR. 4, 2020

- 7:45 – 8:45** Grand Ballroom C: CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
- 8:20 – 8:30** Grand Ballroom A/B: MORNING ANNOUNCEMENTS
- 8:30 – 9:30** Grand Ballroom A/B: (PLENARY; 1 HR. Prof) – CASTING SHADOWS: ATTORNEY PROFESSIONALISM, CREATIVITY, AND DECOMPARTMENTALIZING THE WORK-WORK BALANCE - Maurice Ruffin and Tad Bartlett
- 9:30 – 9:45** BREAK
- 9:45 – 10:45** Grand Ballroom A/B: (1.0 HR CLE) SNAPPY MORNING UPDATES ON DEBT COLLECTION & BANKRUPTCY CASE LAW – Rachel Thyre Vogeltanz
- Grand Ballroom E: (1.0 HR Ethics) AVOIDING THE WEEDS - MARIJUANA, CONFLICTS & OTHER ETHICAL THORNY AREAS – Eric Barefield
- Grand Ballroom D: (1 HR CLE) UP YOUR GAME: LEGAL WRITING FOR THE SOLO – Casey DeRues
- 10:45 – 10:55** BREAK
- 10:55 – 11:55** Grand Ballroom A/B: (1.0 HR CLE) THE COLORFUL PERIPATETIC WANDERINGS OF THE LOUISIANA SUPREME COURT & WHAT ITS LIBRARY CAN DO FOR YOU! – Miriam Childs
- Grand Ballroom E: (1.0 HR CLE) INTERIM & FINAL SPOUSAL SUPPORT: RECENT CASES & STATUTORY UPDATES – Liz Meneray
- Grand Ballroom D: (1.HR LPM CLE) WHY WON'T MY CASE SETTLE? DIPLOMACY & TIPS FOR ALL MATTERS – Sarah Pfeiffer
- 11:55 – 12:55: Grand Ballroom C: LUNCH**
- **LAGNIAPPE LUNCH SESSIONS:**
- 12:10 – 12:40** Grand Ballroom A/B: (0.5 HR LPM CLE) TECHNOLOGY, LANDLORDS & TENANTS: REDUCE THE TENSION – Lydia Winkler
- Grand Ballroom E: LSBA SOLO & SMALL FIRM SECTION MEETING – Rachel Thyre Vogeltanz, Chair
- Grand Ballroom D: (0.5 HR. LPM CLE) ONLINE BRANDING/REPUTATION MANAGEMENT, PT. 2: HOW TO DO IT IN FIVE EASY STEPS – Gayle O'Connor
- 12:55 – 1:55: Grand Ballroom A/B: (1 HR CLE) LIONS, TIGERS & BEARS – OH MY! IMMIGRATION LAW UPDATES, LEGISLATION, CASE LAW AND EXECUTIVE ORDERS FOR SOLOS – Brandon Davis**
- Grand Ballroom E: (1.0 HR LPM CLE) MANAGING PROFESSIONALISM & ACTIVISM IN SOCIAL MEDIA – Camille Bryant
- Grand Ballroom D: (1.0 HR LPM CLE) – TECH ESSENTIALS FOR SOLOS – Craig Bayer
- 1:55 – 2:10** BREAK

2:10 – 3:10

Grand Ballroom A/B: (1.0 HR LPM CLE) SOLOS: BALANCE LIKE YOUR FAMILY & CLIENTS DEPEND ON IT – Tonia Aiken

Grand Ballroom E: (1.0 HR. Ethics) GREAT CASE BUT NO \$\$ TO FINANCE? I'LL CROWD SOURCE IT!! WAIT... SHOULD I? – Lisa Montgomery

Grand Ballroom D: (1.0 HR LPM CLE) GET USABLE ELECTRONIC EVIDENCE FROM MOBILE DEVICES: EASIER AND CHEAPER THAN YOU THINK - LEARN HOW – Craig Ball

3:10 – 3:20 BREAK

3:20 – 4:20 Grand Ballroom A/B: (1.0 HR LPM CLE) 60 TECH TIPS & TRICKS IN 60 MINUTES – Craig Ball, Craig Bayer, Gayle O'Connor and Tom O'Connor

Grand Ballroom E: (1.0 HR LPM CLE) EASE COMMUNICATION IN HIGH CONFLICT DIVORCE/SEPARATION WITH TECHNOLOGY FOR CALENDARING, EXPENSES, MESSAGING & FAMILY INFO – Kevin Dorsey

Grand Ballroom D: (1.0 HR LPM CLE) DOCUMENT AUTOMATION BY A LOUISIANA LAWYER FOR LOUISIANA LAWYERS: SUCCESSIONS, FAMILY LAW, PERSONAL INJURY & CRIMINAL LAW – Austin Benton

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