On August 26, 2017, attorneys from across the state attended the annual Specialty Bars Conference at the Ritz Carlton, New Orleans, LA. Five workshops covered topics such as Louisiana Justice Reinvestment, Immigration, Defending Disciplinary Action, Women as Agents of Change, and advances in Legal Technology.

“Preparing for the Future: Louisiana Justice Reinvestment” speakers (L to R) Penya Marzula Moses-Fields, Caddo Section Chief, Special Victims Unit, Parish District Attorney’s Office, Shreveport, LA and Derwyn D. Bunton, Chief Defender, Orleans Public Defenders’ Office, New Orleans, LA

"Women as Agents of Change in the Judicial Process" speakers (L to R) Honorable Candice Bates Anderson, Section C, Orleans Parish Juvenile Court, New Orleans, LA and Honorable Karelia R. Stewart, Section D, First Judicial District Court, Shreveport, LA

“Defending Disciplinary Action” speakers (L to R) Richard P. Lemmler, Jr., Louisiana State Bar Association, New Orleans, LA; William “Billy” King, Louisiana State Bar Association, New Orleans, LA; Susan Kalmbach, Louisiana Attorney Disciplinary Board; Damon Manning, Schiff, Scheckman & White, Hammond, LA
“Immigration: A 360° Perspective” speakers (L to R) Elaine Kimbrell, Ware|Immigration, Metairie, LA and Erin Colleen Hebert, Ware|Immigration, Metairie, LA