



18th Annual White Collar Crime Symposium

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April 17, 2026

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18TH ANNUAL WHITE COLLAR CRIME SYMPOSIUM

Friday, April 17, 2026 • Hyatt Centric French Quarter Hotel • 800 Iberville St., New Orleans

Seminar Chair | **Edward J. Castaing, Jr.** | Crull, Castaing & Lilly | New Orleans

SEMINAR PROGRAMS

8:15-8:30 a.m. **Program Overview**
(.25 credits) Edward J. Castaing, Jr. • *Crull, Castaing & Lilly • New Orleans*

8:30-9:30 a.m. **White Collar Law Update—Recent Developments**
(1 credit) Hon. Brian Jackson • *US District Court, Middle District of LA • Baton Rouge; former AUSA, MDLA, and DOJ*
Walter F. Becker, Jr. • *Chaffe McCall • New Orleans; former AUSA, EDLA*
Shaun G. Clarke • *Murphy, Ball, Stratton • New Orleans and Houston; former AUSA, EDLA*

9:40-10:40 a.m. **Fraud Investigations and Cases in the EDLA and Pitfalls Defending Them**
(1 credit) Krista Bradford • *Special Agent, FBI • New Orleans*
Walter F. Becker, Jr. • *Chaffe McCall • New Orleans; former AUSA, EDLA*
David Courcelle, U.S. Attorney, EDLA, New Orleans
Matthew Payne, Assistant U.S. Attorney, EDLA, New Orleans
Peter M. Thomson • *Inspector General (OIG), CIA, Washington, DC; former AUSA, EDLA; former Partner, Stone, Pigman, New Orleans*

10:50-11:50 a.m. **The 4th Amendment – Searches and Seizures and Motions to Suppress, Defending Maduro and Electronic Data, Cell Phones and Biometrics – 4th and 5th Amendment Implications**
(1 credit) Hon. Brandon Long • *US District Court, Eastern District of LA • New Orleans; former AUSA, EDLA, and DOJ*
Maria Carboni • *Assistant US Attorney, EDLA • New Orleans*
Brian J. Capitelli • *Capitelli & Wicker • New Orleans; former AUSA, EDLA*
New Orleans
Jordan Ginsberg • *Assistant U.S. Attorney, EDLA, New Orleans*

10:50-11:50 a.m. **(Continued)**
(1 credit) Maria Carboni • *Assistant United States Attorney, EDLA,*

11:50 a.m.-1:15 p.m. **Lunch (on your own)**

1:15-2:15 p.m. **Grand Jury Practice, Production and Dangers— Defense Practice**
(1 credit) Jordan Ginsberg • *Assistant U.S. Attorney, EDLA, New Orleans*
Nicholas D. Moses • *Assistant U.S. Attorney, EDLA, New Orleans*
Avery Pardee • *Jones Walker, New Orleans, LA*
Richard W. Westling • *Proskauer Law Firm, Washington, DC; former First AUSA, EDLA, DOJ*

2:25-3:25 p.m. **Federal Plea Bargains, Sentencing, and Early Release Opportunities—U.S.S.G. Updates – Part 3**
(1 credit) Hon. S. Maury Hicks, Jr. • *US District Court, WDLA • Shreveport*
Claude J. Kelly III • *Federal Public Defender, EDLA • New Orleans*
Edward Rivera • *Assistant U.S. Attorney, EDLA, New Orleans*
Donald W. Washington • *Jones Walker • New Orleans; former Director of the US Marshalls Service; former US Attorney, WDLA*

3:35-4:35 p.m. **High-Profile Media Involvement/Interference/ Assassination—Part IX**
(1 credit) Michael Magner • *Jones Walker, New Orleans, LA; former AUSA, EDLA*
Harry Rosenberg • *Phelps Dunbar • New Orleans; former US Attorney, EDLA*
Richard T. Simmons, Jr. • *Hailey, McNamara • Metairie; former AUSA, EDLA*
Lee Zurik • *Fox 8 News • New Orleans*

4:35-5:30 p.m. **Ethics**
(1 credit) Richard W. Westling • *Proskauer Law Firm, Washington, DC; former First AUSA, EDLA, DOJ*

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