

SOLO, SMALL FIRM & TECH CONFERENCE SCHEDULE*

NAPOLEON BALLROOM – SHERATON NEW ORLEANS; THIRD FLOOR (500 Canal St., NOLA ((504) 525-2500)

****PLEASE NOTE: This schedule is subject to change (last updated 1/31/18).****

DAY ONE: THURSDAY, FEB. 15, 2018

7:45 - 8:15	REGISTRATION: THIRD FLOOR; FOYER OF NAPOLEON BALLROOM
	NAP A: CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST (7:30 to 8:00 a.m.)
8:15 - 8:30	NAP B/C: WELCOMING REMARKS Dona Renegar; Abid Hussain; Shawn Holahan
8:30 - 10:00	NAP B/C (PLENARY SESSION): (1.5 HRS PROFESSIONALISM) CONFESSIONS AND REDEMPTION OF AN UNPROFESSIONAL LAWYER – Michael Veron
10:00 – 10:15	BREAK
10:15 – 11:15	NAP B/C: (1.0 HR LPM CLE) TELLING YOUR STORY: MANAGING LAW FIRM WEBSITE DESIGN -

Chelsey Lambert

BORGNE: (1.0 HR CLE) DIVORCING CLIENTS AND BANKRUPTCY: AVOIDING PITFALLS AND

(MAYBE EVEN) COLLABORATING - Rachel Anderson and Peggy Vallejo

ROOM D: (1.0 HR LPM CLE) DOCUMENT AUTOMATION – MORE THAN PLEADINGS, IT'S INVOICING, REPORTING AND BASIC CORRESPONDENCE – Austin Benton

11:15 - 11:25 BREAK

11:25 – 12:25 NAP B/C: (1.0 HR CLE) NOTABLE 2017 QUANTUM CASES IN TRIAL AND APPELLATE COURTS – Eric Johnson

BORGNE: (1.0 HR ETHICS) AVOIDING ETHICAL QUICKSANDS AS A SMALL OFFICE LAWYER – Tammy Northrup

ROOM D (1.0 HR CLE) NEW WAYS TO SKIN A CAT: GETTING PAID AND FUNDING FAMILY LAW MATTERS – Marcus Foote

12:25 - 1:25 NAP A: LUNCH

**LAGNIAPPE LUNCH SESSIONS:

12:40 – 1:10 NAP B/C: (0.5 HR LPM CLE) PRACTICE MANAGEMENT APPS & SOFTWARE: DIRT CHEAP TO THE CADILLAC – Chelsey Lambert

BORGNE: (0.5 HR LPM CLE) PRIVACY & SECURITY IN THE 21ST CENTURY - Ariel Gross

ROOM D: (0.5 HR LPM CLE) LSBA SOLO & SMALL FIRM SECTION MEETING - Abid Hussain, Chair

1:25 – 2:25 NAP B/C: (1.0 HR CLE) THE ART OF THE DEPOSITION: TIPS AND TRICKS – Michael Veron

BORGNE: (1.0 HR ETHICS) ETHICS AND THE INTERNET OF THINGS - Richard Lemmler

ROOM D: (1.0 HR LPM CLE) MIND OVER LAW: DEFEATING STRESS AND ANXIETY – Lexlee Overton

2:25 - 2:40 BREAK

2:40 – 3:40 NAP B/C: (1.0 HR ETHICS) TRICKY ETHICS SCENARIO AND KEEPING YOUR LAW LICENSE – Lisa Montgomery (moderator) with Ryan E. Beasley, Abid M. Hussain and Lucas H. Morehouse

BORGNE: (1.0 HR LPM CLE) *THE* MOST IMPORTANT CONTRACT YOU'LL EVER DRAFT: WHY YOUR ENGAGEMENT LETTER IS PROBABLY INADEQUATE (AND HOW TO FIX IT) – Andrew Lilly

ROOM D: (1.0 HR CLE) TRADEMARKS, PATENTS AND WEBSITES: PROTECTING THE BRAND – Taylor Norton

3:40 - 3:50 BREAK

3:50 – 4:50 NAP B/C: (1.0 HR CLE) THE DAY USUFRUCT BECOMES LOSEUFRUCT: BEFORE AND AFTER THAT DAY – Ken Fletcher and Jordan Smith

BORGNE: (1.0 HR CLE) PERSONAL INJURY: EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT QUANTUM ANALYSIS – Eric Johnson

ROOM D: (1 HR. LPM CLE) YOUR TIME AS A SMALL OFFICE PRACTITIONER: HARVESTING, EVALUATING, QUANTIFYING AND PRIORITIZING – Charles Vann

4:50 – 6:30 NAPOLEON ROOM A: RECEPTION FOR ALL ATTENDEES!!

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DAY TWO: FRIDAY, FEB. 16, 2018

7:45 – 8:45

NAP A: CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

8:20 – 8:30

NAP B/C: MORNING ANNOUNCEMENTS

8:30 – 9:30

NAP B/C: (PLENARY): (1 hr. LPM CLE) BASIC CLIENT AND FIRM DATA SECURITY: COMMON AND AVOIDABLE MISTAKES - Craig Bayer and Tom O'Connor

9:30 - 9:45 BREAK

9:45 – 10:45 NAP B/C: (1.0 HR CLE) LOUISIANA CRIMINAL JUSTICE REFORM – THE NEW CRIMINAL LAWS – Joe Marino and Davidson Ehle

BORGNE: (1.HR LPM CLE) LAW FIRM AUTOPILOT: MANAGE BETTER, EARN MORE, WORK LESS - Ernest Svenson

ROOM D: (1 HR LPM CLE) ETHICS CHALLENGE – Eric Barefield

10:45 - 10:55 BREAK

10:55 – 11:55 NAP B/C: (1.0 HR LPM CLE) MICROSOFT POWER HOUR: WORD, EXCEL POWERPOINT TIPS – Chelsey Lambert

BORGNE: (1.0 HR CLE) SEX HARASSMENT: WHAT IT IS, WHAT IT ISN'T AND WHEN TO SEND IT ON – Kevin Vogeltanz

ROOM D: (1.HR LPM CLE) 2018 SOCIAL MEDIA TOOLS FOR LAWYERS - Megan Hargroder

11:55 - 12:55: NAP A: LUNCH

**LAGNIAPPE LUNCH SESSIONS:

12:10 – 12:40 NAP B/C: (0.5 HR LPM CLE) USING AND MANAGING VIRTUAL ASSISTANTS – Chelsey Lambert

BORGNE: (0.5 HR. LPM CLE) FINDING PEOPLE ON FACEBOOK - THE SECRETS – Gayle O'Connor

ROOM D: (0.5 HR LPM CLE) PROTECTING AND MANAGING YOUR ONLINE REPUTATION – Megan Hargroder

12:55 – 1:55: NAP A: (1 HR ETHICS) RECENT ETHICS DEVELOPMENTS FOR SMALL OFFICE PRACTITIONERS - Dane Ciolino.

BORGNE: (1.0 HR. CLE) WHAT DID THE LEGISLATURE DO TO CIVIL LAW THIS PAST SESSION? – Gary Carter

ROOM D: (1.0 HR LPM CLE) THE SHOCKINGLY EFFECTIVE GUIDE FOR EMAIL MANAGEMENT – Ernest Svenson

1:55 - 2:10 BREAK

2:10 - 3:10

NAP B/C: (1.0 HR CLE) SOS FOR GEAUXBIZ.COM: MANAGING NEW ONLINE BUSINESS FILING RULES FOR LOUISIANA'S SECRETARY OF STATE – Abid Hussain

BORGNE 1.0 HR. CLE) *NOTARIAL ISSUES: PRACTICE, CAPACITIES AND THE E-FUTURE* – Ellen Artopoeus and Albert J. Derbes, IV

ROOM D: (1.0 HR CLE) AUTHENTICATION OF SOCIAL MEDIA EVIDENCE: A NEW TWIST ON THE OLD RULES – Gayle O'Connor and Tom O'Connor

3:10 - 3:20 BREAK

3:20 – 4:20 NAP B/C:S (1.0 HR LPM CLE) 60 TECH TIPS & TRICKS IN 60 MINUTES – Abid Hussain (moderator), Craig Bayer, Megan Hargroder, Chelsey Lambert, Gayle O'Connor, and Tom O'Connor

BORGNE: (1.0 HR PROFESSIONALISM) PROFESSIONAL LAWYERING: WHEN GOOD LAWYERS GO BAD – Madeline Rice

ROOM D: (1.0 HR LPM CLE) MANAGING CLIENT COMMUNICATIONS IN THE DIGITAL AGE – Ramesh Reddy

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