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Friday, April 1, 2016

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See inside for more details.

Basic Lessons on Ethics and Civility 2016

Topics to be covered include:

- The Civility Rules
- Civility vs. Aggressiveness
- Law Firm Civility Issues
- Hypothetical Fact Patterns

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"This program on ethics was the best that I have encountered. The panelists and moderator were superb."

"Engaging and well thought out."

"Very experienced panel with helpful insights."

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Program Description

A sound ethical compass and a civil and professional demeanor are the hallmarks of successful and respected attorneys in all areas of practice. This four hour program will provide attendees with an update on developments in the law in the area of attorney ethics, including the most recent case law. The rules of civility will be discussed, with emphasis on practical pointers for dealing with the uncivil adversary and civility issues within the law firm.

The program concludes with a discussion of real life hypotheticals by a panel of distinguished practitioners and jurists – certain to benefit attorneys in all substantive areas of practice.

Don't miss this opportunity to obtain 4 MCLE Ethics credits at this lively and thought-provoking program, which is annually one of NYSBA's best attended CLE seminars.

Who Should Attend: Attorneys of all levels of experience, across all subject matter disciplines

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Agenda

8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

REGISTRATION (outside of meeting room)

9:00 a.m. – 9:10 a.m.

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

9:10 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.

I. WHAT'S NEW FOR 2016 ON ETHICS?

9:50 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

II. CIVILITY IN EVERYDAY LAWYERING: WHAT ARE THE BASIC LESSONS TO BE LEARNED?

- The Civility Rules
- The Uncivil Adversary
- Civility vs. Aggressiveness
- Law Firm Civility Issues

10:30 a.m. – 10:40 a.m.

BREAK

10:40 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.

III. COLLOQUIUM ON ETHICS AND CIVILITY

- Hypothetical Fact Patterns to Address Everyday Civility and Ethical Issues

12:45 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

Program Faculty



Vincent J. Syracuse
Partner, Tannenbaum Helpert
Syracuse & Hirschtritt LLP
Past Chair, Commercial and
Federal Litigation Section

Albany

Local Chair: Scott N. Fein, Partner, Whiteman Osterman & Hanna LLP

Panel Members: Scott N. Fein, Partner, Whiteman Osterman & Hanna LLP * Bruce D. Feldman, Assistant Attorney General & Special Counsel, Office of the Attorney General * E. Stewart Jones, Jr., Partner, E. Stewart Jones Hacker Murphy, LLP * Michael J. Murphy, Director, Carter Conboy, Case, Blackmore, Maloney & Laird, P.C. * Robert T. Schofield, Partner, Whiteman Osterman & Hanna LLP * Hon. Daniel J. Stewart, United States Magistrate Judge

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Local Chair: David G. Brock, Special Counsel, Kavinoky Cook LLP

Panel Members: David G. Brock, Special Counsel, Kavinoky Cook LLP * Cheryl Smith Fisher, Of Counsel, Magavern Magavern Grimm LLP * Guy C. Giancarlo, Deputy Counsel, 8th District Attorney Grievance Committee * Hon. Eugene F. Pigott, Jr., New York State Court of Appeals * Trini E. Ross, United States Attorney's Office

Long Island

Local Chair: John M. Brickman, Partner, Ackerman, Levine, Cullen, Brickman & Limmer, LLP

Panel Members: John M. Brickman, Partner, Ackerman, Levine, Cullen, Brickman & Limmer, LLP * Andrew J. Luskin, Partner, Ackerman, Levine, Cullen, Brickman & Limmer, LLP * additional faculty to be announced

New York City

Local Chair: Vincent J. Syracuse, Partner, Tannenbaum Helpert Syracuse & Hirschtritt LLP

Panel Members: Hon. Bernard J. Fried, JAMS (Former Justice, New York County Supreme Court, Commercial Division) * Hon. Tanya R. Kennedy, New York County Supreme Court, * Danielle C. Lesser, Partner, Morrison Cohen LLP * Hal R. Lieberman, Partner, Emery Celli Brinckerhoff & Abady LLP * Victor J. Rocco, Partner, Herrick, Feinstein LLP * Jamie B. W. Stecher, Partner, Tannenbaum Helpert Syracuse & Hirschtritt LLP * Vincent J. Syracuse, Partner, Tannenbaum Helpert Syracuse & Hirschtritt LLP * Mark C. Zauderer, Partner, Flemming Zulack Williamson Zauderer LLP

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Local Chair: Marion Hancock Fish, Partner, Hancock Estabrook, LLP

Panel Members: Marion Hancock Fish, Partner, Hancock Estabrook, LLP * Anthony J. Gigliotti, Principal Counsel, 5th Judicial District Attorney Grievance Committee * Alan J. Pierce, Partner, Hancock Estabrook, LLP * Emil M. Rossi, Principal, Law Office of Emil M. Rossi * Mimi C. Satter, Founding Member, Satter Law Firm, PLLC

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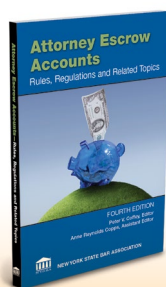
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