

PROGRAM • FRIDAY, APRIL 30

8:45 - 9:45 AM TRACK I MCLE: 1.0 General

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Moderator: Jessica Becerra • McCune Wright Arevalo, LLP

Medical Care Recovery Act Liens

John J. Rice • John Rice, Esq.

Workers' Comp Liens And How To Deal With That Nasty Subro Attorney

Keith P. More • Bentley & More, LLP

ERISA Liens

Kristin Hobbs • Shernoff Bidart Echeverria LLP

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Discovery

Moderator: Michael Jeandron • Roberts | Jeandron Law

Stopping A Sub Rosa Surprise: Utilizing Discovery, Notices To Produce At Trial, And Motions In Limine To Discover And Block The Use Of Sub Rosa

Clare Lucich • Bentley & More, LLP

Practical Tips – Motions To Compel

Steven M. Schuetze • Shernoff Bidart Echeverria LLP

Judicial Perspective

Hon. Janet M. Frangie • San Bernardino County Superior Court

9:50 - 10:10 AM FIRESIDE CHATS

10:15 - 11:15 AM TRACK I MCLE: 1.0 General

The Nuts And Bolts Of UM/UIM From Coverage To Arbitration

Moderator: Whit D. Bertch • Bentley & More LLP

Expanding And Finding UM/UIM Coverage And Identifying Potential Coverage

Bryanna Popka • McCune Wright Arevalo, LLP

UM/UIM – Demands And Discovery: Preparing Your Case For Arbitration

Cynthia A. Craig • Kubota & Craig, PC

The UM-UIM Arbitration: The Effective Use And Presentation Of Evidence

John A. Montevideo • DiMarco | Araujo | Montevideo

10:15 - 11:15 AM TRACK II MCLE: 1.0 General

Nuances You Always Wanted To Know About Employment Law (But Were Afraid To Ask)

Moderator: Christopher Heikaus Weaver • Aitken Campbell Heikaus Weaver LLP

How To Get The Defendant's Attention Before Trial In Disability Discrimination Cases

Daren H. Lipinsky • Rizio Lipinsky Law Firm

Equal Pay Act: WTF?!

Brian G. Hannemann • Hannemann Law Firm, APC

COVID-Related Employment Updates

Genie Harrison • Genie Harrison Law Firm

11:20 - 11:40 AM FIRESIDE CHATS

11:45 AM - 1:00 PM MCLE: 1.0 General

Welcome/Keynote

Legislative And Court Updates That Impact Your Clients And Your Practice

Deborah Chang • Athea Trial Lawyers LLP

Nancy Drabble • Consumer Attorneys Of California

Moderator: Megan Demshki • Aitken*Aitken*Cohn

1:30 - 2:45 PM TRACK I MCLE: 1.25 General

Learned Tried And Tested Techniques – COVID

Moderator: Jean-Simon Serrano • Heiting & Irwin

Thanks For The Help - Getting The Defendants To Prove Your Case

Gregory L. Bentley • Bentley & More, LLP

Cross-Exam Of The Defense Expert Witnesses From Depo Through Trial

Geoffrey S. Wells • Greene Broillet & Wheeler, LLP

From Kid Gloves to Iron Fists – Reigning in Difficult Witnesses

Doris Cheng • Walkup, Melodia, Kelly & Schoenberger

Judicial Perspective

Hon. Thomas A. Delaney • Orange County Superior Court

1:30 - 2:45 PM TRACK II MCLE: 1.25 General

Is There MAGIC In Binding Arbitration And Bench Trials In The Times Of COVID? COVID Pros And Cons

Moderator: Taylor DeRosa • Rizio Lipinsky Law Firm

Arbitrating Your Call

Sean M. Burke • Burke | Argos

The Difference Between A Jury And An Arbitrator And How It Should Effect Your Presentation

Cynthia Chihak • Chihak & Martel

Don't Be Afraid Of The Bench

Richard A. Cohn • Aitken*Aitken*Cohn

Judicial Perspective: Bench Trials

Hon. Bryan F. Foster • San Bernardino County Superior Court

2:50 - 3:10 PM FIRESIDE CHATS

3:15 - 4:15 PM TRACK I MCLE: 1.0 General

Tips For Modern Law Firm Management During COVID-Don't Be Scared!

Moderator: Benjamin Ikuta • Hodes Milman Ikuta LLP

ESI (Be Afraid)

Douglas B. Vanderpool • The Vanderpool Law Firm

Paper Sucks! Foundation Of The Modern Law Firm

Justin H. King • Law Office of Justin H. King

How COVID Restrictions and Requirements Affects Your Firm and Employees

Lindsey Aitken Campbell • Aitken Campbell Heikaus Weaver LLP

3:15 - 4:15 PM TRACK II MCLE: 1.0 General

Hot Topics In Mass Tort And Class Actions: What You Don't Know Might Get You Burned

Moderator: Kenny S. Ramirez • Law Office of Kenny S. Ramirez

Update On Select Mass Torts: JUUL, Talc, And Allergen Breast Implants

Mark P. Robinson, Jr. and Lila Razmara • Robinson Calcagnie, Inc.

Labeling Class Actions

Abbas Kazerounian • Kazerouni Law Group, APC

Spotting Successful Mass Tort Cases And How To Handle Them From Big To Small

Kristy M. Arevalo • McCune Wright Arevalo, LLP

Finding And Handling A Mini Mass Tort

Deborah S. Dixon • Gomez Trial Attorneys

4:30 - 5:30 PM TRACK I MCLE: 1.0 General

Practice Tips And Techniques For Admitting And Objecting To Evidence At Trial

Moderator: Jason R. Sanchez • Rizio Lipinsky Law Firm

Laying The Foundation For Your Evidence

Siannah Collado Boutté • S.C. LAW, APC

"OBJECTION, Hearsay." Yikes! What Now?

Bruce A. Broillet • Greene Broillet & Wheeler, LLP

Samples In How It's Done

Bibianne U. Fell • Athea Trial Lawyers LLP

Judicial Perspective

Hon. Wilfred J. Schneider, Jr. • San Bernardino County Superior Court

4:30 - 5:30 PM TRACK II MCLE: 1.0 General

Write To Win

Moderator: Lynn Pierce Whitlock • Rizio Lipinsky Law Firm

Finding Nuggets in MSJ's

Matthew W. Clark • Bentley & More, LLP

Win More Trial Court Motions With The Best Brief

Valerie T. McGinty • Law Office of Valerie T. McGinty

Common Issues In Appellate Briefing

Holly N. Boyer • Esner, Chang & Boyer

Judicial Perspective

Hon. Thomas S. Garza • San Bernardino County Superior Court

5:30 - 6:30 PM Welcome Reception

Guest Speaker: Assemblymember Eloise Gómez Reyes

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MCLE: 12 CREDITS

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PROGRAM • SATURDAY, MAY 1

8:45 - 9:45 AM TRACK I MCLE: 1.0 General

Handling And Following The Bad Faith Case – COVID What's Happening

Moderator: Steven Geeting • Law Offices of Steven C. Geeting
Business Interruption Claims

Ricardo Echeverria • Shernoff Bidart Echeverria LLP

Handling The First Party Bad Faith Case After A Natural Disaster

Brian S. Kabateck and Shant Karnikian • Kabateck LLP

Bad Faith And Financial Elder Abuse

Evangeline Fisher Grossman • Evangeline Fisher Grossman Law

8:45 - 9:45 AM TRACK II MCLE: 1.0 General

Tips On Dealing With Sub Rosa And Social Media

Moderator: Marina Pacheco • Kabateck LLP

Using Social Media To Your Advantage At Trial

Brad Simon • The Simon Law Group

What To Do When You Don't See It Coming And The Sub Rosa Dude/Dudette Shows Up At The Courtroom

Robert B. Gibson • Gibson & Hughes

How Social Media Evidence Impacts The Jury & Barriers To Its Admissibility

Hon. Jackson Lucky • Riverside County Superior Court

10:15 - 11:15 AM TRACK I MCLE: 1.0 General

Government Tort Liability

Moderator: Samuel Bruchey • Shernoff Bidart Echeverria LLP

Negligent Supervision - School's Duty To Supervise Students And Employees

Taylor Rayfield • Manly, Stewart & Finaldi

Avoiding Landmines, Hand Grenades, And Malpractice In Premise Cases Against Public Entities

Cory R. Weck • McCune Wright Arevalo, LLP

Overcoming Government Immunities

Gregory G. Rizio • Rizio Lipinsky Law Firm

10:15 - 11:15 AM TRACK II MCLE: 1.0 General

Sexual Abuse/Assault

Moderator: Allegra Rineer • Kubota & Craig, PC

Sexual Assault Case: From Victimhood To Empowerment

Micha Star Liberty • Liberty Law

Liability Of Third-Party Defendants In Sexual Assault And Abuse Cases

Yoshiaki C. Kubota • Kubota & Craig, PC

The Crucial Interplay Between Criminal And Civil Sex Abuse Cases

Dave M. Ring • Taylor & Ring

11:20 - 11:40 AM FIRESIDE CHATS

11:45 AM - 12:15 PM MCLE: .5 Ethics

Keynote: Wrongs Righted, Injustices Addressed, Laws Clarified. Results May Vary

Justice William W. Bedsworth • Associate Justice, 4th District Court of Appeal

Moderator: Cynthia A. Craig • Kubota & Craig, PC

1:15 - 2:30 PM TRACK I MCLE: 1.25 General

Killer Presentations: Creating And Using PowerPoints During Discovery And At Trial

Moderator: Vincent D. Howard • Gibson & Hughes

The Power Of Visual Presentations: Throughout Your Case

Shannon Lukei • Robinson Calcagnie, Inc.

PowerPoint, Preparing To Tell The Story

William D. Shapiro • Law Offices of William D. Shapiro

Use Of PowerPoint in Closing Argument

Christine D. Spagnoli • Greene Broillet & Wheeler, LLP

Judicial Perspective

Hon. Gilbert Ochoa • San Bernardino County Superior Court

1:15 - 2:30 PM TRACK II MCLE: 1.25 General

Howell, Sanchez, Pebley (Roundtable)

Moderator: Bryan L. McNally • McNally Law Firm

Conal Doyle • Doyle Law

Greyson M. Goody • The Simon Law Group

Michelle M. West • Robinson Calcagnie, Inc.

Hon. Nathan Scott • Orange County Superior Court

2:35 - 2:55 PM FIRESIDE CHATS

3:00 - 4:00 PM TRACK I MCLE: 1.0 General

Identifying and Understanding Unique Issues In PI

Moderator: Brian Shapiro • Law Offices of William D. Shapiro

Recognizing The CRPS Diagnosis

Geraldine G. Ly • Law Offices of Geraldine Ly

Product Liability And How To Settle The Case

H. Gavin Long • Bisnar | Chase Personal Injury Attorneys, LLP

Ideas vs. Understanding: Full Justice through Storytelling For Non-Economic Damages

Cynthia D. Hafif-Stonehouse • Hafif-Stonehouse Law Group

Tips For Finding Golden Nuggets In Your PI Case

Eric D. Paris, Esq. • The Paris Firm

3:00 - 4:00 PM TRACK II MCLE: 1.0 General

Trends In Elder Abuse Litigation (Financial Elder Abuse, ADA, Electronic Records)

Moderator: Casey R. Johnson • Aitken*Aitken*Cohn

New Frontiers: Use Of The ADA And Unruh Act In Elder Abuse Cases

Kathryn Stebner • Stebner & Associates

Discovery In Punitive Conduct Cases

Kimberly Valentine • Valentine Law Group, APC

Behind Closed Doors: Elder Abuse and Neglect in California Nursing Homes

Anne Marie Murphy • Cotchett, Pitre & McCarthy, LLP

Evaluating And Preparing A Commercial Financial Abuse Case Under The

Elder Abuse And Dependent Adult Civil Protection Act

Frank J. Fox, Jr. • Majors & Fox LLP

4:30 - 5:30 PM MCLE: 1.0 General

Masters Roundtable: Top Tips From The Legends

Moderator: Megan Demshki • Aitken*Aitken*Cohn

Potential Harm As A Factor In Determining Punitive Damages In A Low

Compensatory Damages Case

Michael J. Bidart • Shernoff Bidart Echeverria LLP

Taking Risks: Why "Every Wrong Deserves a Remedy" Matters!

Wylie A. Aitken • Aitken*Aitken*Cohn

The Jury Trial: We Have A Whole New Ball Game

Mary E. Alexander • Mary Alexander & Associates

Run Like A Girl, Fight Like A Girl, Try That Case Like A Girl!

Gretchen M. Nelson • Nelson & Fraenkel LLP

Judicial Perspective

Hon. Linda S. Marks • Orange County Superior Court

5:30 pm - 6:30 pm **Closing Reception:**
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