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2016 BENCH BAR CONFERENCE

Managing the Media, Social Media, Legislative Update, Expectations of the Bench and Bar



6.00 CLE Credits

Friday, March 11, 2016
Quaker Station • 135 S. Broadway •
Akron, Ohio

This seminar will provide an informative legislative update as well as discuss how to deal with the media and social media. It will also provide a unique opportunity for attorneys to interact directly with local judges. Attorneys of all experience levels will find this seminar invaluable.

8:00 a.m. Registration

MORNING SESSION (3.25 Hours)

8:30 a.m. **Status of the Bench and Bar in Summit County**
Lawrence J. Scanlon, Akron Bar Association President
Update on the Incubator
Mark Hilkert, Esq., Akron Bar Association, Incubator
Update on the Leadership Academy
Angelina C. Gingo, Esq., Gingo Law Office, LLC

8:45 a.m. **Legislative Update**
Representative Greta Johnson, Esq., Distinct 35

9:30 a.m. **Managing the Media: Lawyers and the Press**
Bruce M. Hennes, Managing Partner, Hennes Communications

10:30 a.m. Break

10:45 a.m. **Social Media Marketing and Your Law Practice**
Shon Christy, Focal Point Social Media
Mark Krohn, Esq., Brouse McDowell

11:45 a.m. **A Juror's Experience of the Legal System**
Larry G. Poulos, Esq., Rischitelli & Poulos, LLC

12:15 p.m. Lunch for Attendees

AFTERNOON SESSION (2.75 Hours)

1:15 p.m. **Social Media in the Courtroom: How to Deal Effectively with the Pitfalls of Social Media in Criminal and Civil Trials and with Jury Issues and Juror Misconduct**
The Honorable Kathryn Michael, Akron Municipal Court; The Honorable Mary Margaret Rowlands, Summit County Common Pleas Court; The Honorable Christine Croce, Summit County Common Pleas Court

2:00 p.m. **Open Discussion Forum on Social Media in the Courtroom**

2:45 p.m. Break

3:00 p.m. **Driving Each Other "Crazy": What Judges and Lawyers Can Do to Assist Each Other**
The Honorable Joy Malek Oldfield, Akron Municipal Court; The Honorable Kim Hoover, Stow Municipal Court; The Honorable Amy Corrigan Jones, Summit County Common Pleas Court; The Honorable Todd McKenney, Summit County Common Pleas Court; The Honorable Donna Carr, 9th District Court of Appeals; Paul G. Perantinides, Esq., Perantinides & Nolan Co., LPA; John F. Hill, Esq., Buckingham, Doolittle and Burroughs, LLC; Don Malarcik, Esq., Gorman, Malarcik, Pierce, Vuillemin & LoCascio

4:15 p.m. Adjournment