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Welcome to the 2022 State Bar of Texas Annual Meeting! After two years of virtual meetings and Zoom fatigue, we couldn't be more excited to gather this year in Houston for two days of CLE sessions and networking events.

We are thrilled to present three outstanding keynote speakers this year: James Beard Award-winning chef Chris Shepherd, who will speak Thursday at the Bar Leaders Recognition Luncheon; best-selling author Corban Addison, who will speak Friday at the Bench Bar Breakfast; and author, musician, and activist Simon Tam, who will speak at Friday's General Session Luncheon.

Multiple CLE sessions will explore the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the legal profession, including its effects on firm hiring and retention, court accessibility, and lawyer well-being. The technology-focused Adaptable Lawyer track returns this year, including the popular "60 Apps in 60 Minutes" and "Adaptable Lawyer Talks" sessions. At Friday's General Session Luncheon, the State Bar will swear in Houston lawyer Laura Gibson as its 2022-2023 president. And as usual, we will honor 50-year lawyers by recognizing attorneys licensed in Texas in 1972. You will find information on these and many other special events within the pages of this event guide.

Thank you to the exhibitors and sponsors who helped make this conference possible. I encourage you to take some time during the meeting to visit their booths to learn about their products and how they can enhance your practice.

This event could not take place without the hard work of a devoted team. We all owe a debt of gratitude to the 2022 State Bar of Texas Annual Meeting Committee, led by chairs Angelica Hernandez and Denise Scofield. I also want to thank all the other volunteers and staff members who worked so hard to make this conference a success.

Finally, thank you for attending—and for the honor of serving as your State Bar president this year.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely,

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Greetings,

As Mayor of Houston, I extend a special welcome to all attending the State Bar of Texas annual meeting at the Marriott Marquis in Downtown from June 9-10, 2022.

I commend the State Bar of Texas, the fifth largest organization of lawyers in America, for providing services, information and programs for its members. Its annual meeting offers a broad range of Continuing Legal Education courses on various subjects, as well as the opportunity to network with attorneys from all over Texas.

Our city is proud to host this exciting event. Houston has so much to offer, and I hope you will share in the Houston experience taking with you lasting impressions of the spirit, vitality and tradition that characterize our city.

Best wishes for a successful and rewarding event and we look forward to having you return soon.

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Download the Annual Meeting App

This is your mobile guide to Annual Meeting topics, speakers, exhibitors, and social events. Mark your favorites and plan your itinerary for the entire Annual Meeting. Visit the Apple and Google Play app stores after June 1 and search "State Bar of Texas Events" to download the app.

Join the Conversation on Social Media!

Add #sbot22 to your Annual Meeting social media posts to share your experience and join the conversation online. Search for #sbot22 to check up on the Annual Meeting buzz *before, during, and after* the meeting.

Connect to Win

Have your Connect Passport signed by 10 exhibitors and drop it off at the State Bar Booth to enter a daily drawing for an Amazon Kindle and other great prizes!

Prize drawings will take place in the exhibit area at 3:30 p.m. Thursday, June 9, and Friday, June 10. Be on hand for the drawings! Only registered Annual Meeting attendees are eligible.

Exhibit Hours

Exhibits will be conveniently located on 2nd Level in the Houston Ballroom Foyer — be sure to visit our great lineup of exhibitors!

Wednesday, June 8

4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, June 9

7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Friday, June 10

7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Free Continental Breakfast

Enjoy a FREE continental breakfast on Thursday, June 9, in the **Marriott Marquis 2nd – 3rd Level Foyers** sponsored by **Texas Lawyers' Insurance Exchange**



GENERAL INFORMATION

Registration and Exhibit Hours

Marriott Marquis – 2nd Level

Wednesday, June 8 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Thursday, June 9 7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Friday, June 10 7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

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Most activities at the State Bar Annual Meeting have been approved for CLE credit by the State Bar MCLE Department. You must be registered for Annual Meeting to claim CLE credit. Attorneys are responsible for tracking attended courses and must complete one MCLE Course Attendance Card. The MCLE credit number is **174154435**. Place your completed card in the designated drop box. Only one card will be accepted per attendee. All seminars approved for MCLE credit are approved for Texas Bar College credit. Texas Board of Legal Specialization approved credit has also been listed on your MCLE worksheet.

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Most Annual Meeting CLE events are creditable in other states and with the Texas State Board of Public Accountancy. If you are applying for continuing education credit with another provider, please pick up a Uniform Certificate of Attendance at the State Bar Merchandise Booth. We will provide you with a signed copy verifying your registration at this event. Attendees are responsible for using this certificate to apply to other entities for credit. The State Bar is registered with the Texas State Board of Public Accountancy under continuing education sponsor ID #135.

Information Booth/Lost and Found/Messages

Marriott Marquis – Registration Desk, 2nd Level

Need help or have a question? Found a lost item? Stop by the Annual Meeting Registration Desk during registration hours.

Refreshment Breaks

Included in registration!

Thursday and Friday • 3:15 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

Marriott Marquis – 2nd and 3rd Level Foyers

Kick back and enjoy complimentary refreshment breaks.

Be sure to check the signs to see if you are the lucky winner of an Amazon Kindle or other great prizes!

Wi-Fi Access

Wi-Fi access will not be available in the Marriott Marquis meeting rooms or common areas, which include pre-function areas and hallways. Complimentary Wi-Fi will be available in the hotel lobby as well as the café and lounge areas found on the lobby level.

Tips to Help You Find What You're Looking For

Daily Schedule by Time: This is a chronological listing of all Annual Meeting topics and activities. Pages **10, 16 & 20**

Daily Schedule by Event: This is a listing of all section CLE, Annual Meeting tracks, and social events listed alphabetically for Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. Pages **22, 29 & 35**

Annual Meeting App

All Annual Meeting materials will be on the State Bar Annual Meeting app and at bit.ly/SBOTwebapp for you to access during or after Annual Meeting. Hard copies of the materials are not available.

Business Center

Marriott Marquis

A FedEx Office Print and Ship Center is available onsite for your convenience. For additional details, please call (713) 222-0070.

Meals

These Annual Meeting sponsored events are included in your registration fee. Guest tickets can be purchased at the State Bar Registration Desk.

Thursday, June 9

Annual Meeting
Continental Breakfast

7:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

2nd and 3rd Level Foyers

Bar Leaders Recognition
Luncheon

12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

.75 hour

**Texas Ballroom A–E
(4th Level)**

Friday, June 10

Bench Bar Breakfast
7:30 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.

.75 hour

**Texas Ballroom F–H
(4th Level)**

General Session
Luncheon

12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

.75 hour

**Texas Ballroom A–E
(4th Level)**

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THURSDAY, JUNE 9

— THURSDAY, JUNE 9, BY TIME —

Time	Topic/Hours	Sponsor/Track	Room
7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Registration and Exhibits Open	Registration and Exhibits	Level 2
7:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Continental Breakfast	Texas Lawyers' Insurance Exchange	Levels 2 & 3
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Advertising Rules and Social Media <i>1 hour (1 ethics)</i>	Early Morning Ethics	Briargrove
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Emerging From a Pandemic: Tips and Strategies for Lawyer Well-Being <i>1 hour (1 ethics)</i>	Early Morning Ethics	Kingwood
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Civility vs. Zealous Advocacy – A False Dichotomy? <i>1 hour (1 ethics)</i>	Early Morning Ethics	Meyerland
7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Prayer Breakfast (Ticket Required)	Christian Legal Society	Westchase
8:00 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm Section Council Meeting (Private Event)	General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm Section	River Oaks
8:45 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm Section Membership Meeting and Elections	General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm Section	River Oaks
8:45 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Welcome and Keynote: Gen Z: What Kind of Colleagues Will They Be? <i>1 hour</i>	Adaptable Lawyer Track – Co-sponsored by <i>texasbar.com</i> and the Computer and Technology Section	Houston 1
8:55 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections Welcoming Remarks	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	Houston 4
9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Required Participation in Services Under 264.203 of the Texas Family Code <i>.5 hour</i>	Child Protection Law Section	Tanglewood
9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Issues in Formation and Drafting in Entity Documentation <i>.75 hour</i>	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	Houston 4
9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	The Role of Companies in Shaping Diversity, Equality, and Inclusion at Law Firms <i>.75 hour</i>	Diversity Forum – Sponsored by the African-American Lawyers, Asian Pacific Interest, Hispanic Issues, LGBT Law, Native American Law, and Women and the Law Sections	Meyerland
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Aviation Law Section Council Meeting (Private event)	Aviation Law Section	Houston 3
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Dying in the Fields: Who Gets the Farm? <i>1 hour</i>	General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm Section	River Oaks
9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	The Legal Implications of the War in Ukraine and the Russian Sanctions - Select Topics <i>1.5 hours</i>	International Law Section	Clear Lake
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Texas Lawyers Auxiliary Board Meeting and Installation (Private Event)	Texas Lawyers Auxiliary	Hunters Creek B
9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Service Issues in CPS Cases <i>1 hour</i>	Child Protection Law Section	Tanglewood
9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Privacy Laws <i>.5 hour</i>	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	Houston 4
9:45 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Unconscious Bias in Jury Selection <i>1 hour (1 ethics)</i>	Diversity Forum – Sponsored by the African-American Lawyers, Asian Pacific Interest, Hispanic Issues, LGBT Law, Native American Law, and Women and the Law Sections	Meyerland
10:00 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Aviation Hull and Liability War Risk Insurance – A Primer <i>.75 hour</i>	Aviation Law Section	Houston 3
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	TBD	Environmental and Natural Resources Law Section	Briargrove
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	What to Do if You Get a Grievance <i>1 hour</i>	General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm Section	River Oaks
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Getting Back to Trial: The Modern Juror <i>1 hour</i>	Adaptable Lawyer Track – Co-sponsored by <i>texasbar.com</i> and the Computer and Technology Section	Houston 1

THURSDAY, JUNE 9

Time	Topic/Hours	Sponsor/Track	Room
10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Purple Cows and Common Sense: Inspiration and Ideas for Creating and Sustaining a Remarkable Collaborative Practice <i>1.5 hours</i>	Collaborative Law Section	Kingwood
10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	Law Focused Education Board Meeting and Committee Meeting	Law Focused Education Committee	David Mitzner
10:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	The Texas Legal Legends Project and Induction of Legal Legend David J. Beck	Litigation Section and Texas Young Lawyers Association	Houston 5
10:30 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	What In-House Counsel Want Outside Counsel to Know <i>.75 hour</i>	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	Houston 4
10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Child Protection Law Case Law Update <i>1 hour</i>	Child Protection Law Section	Tanglewood
10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Human Rights Implications of the Crisis in Ukraine <i>1 hour</i>	International Law Section	Clear Lake
10:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	An Interview with David J. Beck: The Making of a Legend <i>.5 hour (.25 ethics)</i>	Litigation Section and Texas Young Lawyers Association	Houston 5
10:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.	Tales From the Script: A “Drama” in Two Acts, Involving Ethics in Mediation <i>1.5 hours (1.5 ethics)</i>	Aviation Law Section	Houston 3
10:45a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Hiring, Retention, and Other Impacts of COVID-19 on Law Firms <i>1 hour</i>	Diversity Forum – <i>Sponsored by the African–American Lawyers, Asian Pacific Interest, Hispanic Issues, LGBT Law, Native American Law, and Women and the Law Sections</i>	Meyerland
11:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Going Solo in a Pandemic: Lessons Learned by an Adaptable Lawyer <i>.75 hour</i>	Adaptable Lawyer Track – <i>Co-sponsored by texasbar.com and the Computer and Technology Section</i>	Houston 1
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Do a Good Deed: Lady Bird Deeds and TODDs <i>1 hour</i>	General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm Section	River Oaks
11:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Litigation Section Texas’ Young Litigator Award	Litigation Section and Texas Young Lawyers Association	Houston 5
11:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Litigation Update <i>.5 hour</i>	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	Houston 4
11:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.	International Law Section Membership Meeting	International Law Section	Clear Lake
11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Collaborative Law Section Membership Meeting	Collaborative Law Section	Kingwood
11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Computer and Technology Section Membership Meeting	Computer and Technology Section	Houston 1
11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Corporate Counsel Pro Bono Award and Access to Justice Update <i>.25 hour (.25 ethics)</i>	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	Houston 4
12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Entertainment and Sports Law Section Council Meeting (Private Event)	Entertainment and Sports Law Section	Briargrove
12:15 p.m. - 12:30 p.m.	Aviation Law Section Membership Meeting	Aviation Law Section	Houston 3
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Bar Leaders Recognition Luncheon <i>.75 hour</i>	Bar Leaders Recognition Luncheon – <i>Sponsored by the Litigation Section</i>	Texas Ballroom A–E
12:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.	Business Law Section Luncheon and Council Meeting (Private Event)	Business Law Section	Montrose
12:30 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Entertainment and Sports Law Section Membership Meeting	Entertainment and Sports Law Section	Briargrove
1:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Women and the Law Section Membership Meeting	Women and the Law Section	Houston 7
1:25 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Family Law Section Welcoming Remarks	Family Law Section	Meyerland

THURSDAY, JUNE 9

— THURSDAY, JUNE 9, BY TIME —

Time	Topic/Hours	Sponsor/Track	Room
1:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.	What's New in Sexual Harassment <i>.5 hour</i>	Labor and Employment Law Section	Hunters Creek A
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Name, Image, and Likeness: A Year of Dealmaking in Review <i>1 hour</i>	Entertainment and Sports Law Section	Houston 3
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	What Every Young Lawyer Needs to Know About Family Law: Including a Perspective From the Bench <i>1 hour (.5 ethics)</i>	Family Law Section	Meyerland
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Righting Past Injustices: Posthumous Bar Admissions for Pioneering Black Lawyers <i>1 hour</i>	African-American Lawyers Section	Tanglewood
1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	Asian Pacific Interest Section Officer and Council Meeting	Asian Pacific Interest Section	Clear Lake
1:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	The Man in the Ditch: A Redemption Story for Today <i>.75 hour (.75 ethics)</i>	Litigation Section and Texas Young Lawyers Association	Houston 5
1:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Adaptable Lawyer Talks: So You Want to Publish a Book?: One Lawyer's Journey; Life Is a Highway: Exiting In-House Security to Personal Fulfillment; Resilience and the Light Bill: Keys to Successfully Mentoring a New Lawyer; Mediation: Is Virtual the New Reality?	Adaptable Lawyer Track – Co-sponsored by <i>texasbar.com</i> and the Computer and Technology Section	Houston 1
1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Legislative Update <i>2 hours</i>	Hispanic Issues Section	Sugarland
1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	The New Age of Texas Receiverships <i>2 hours (.5 ethics)</i>	Justice of the Peace Courts Section	Kingwood
1:45 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	The Newest New Things in Employment Law <i>1 hour (.5 ethics)</i>	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	Houston 4
2:00 p.m.- 2:30 p.m.	Non-Competes and Employee Raiding <i>.5 hour</i>	Labor and Employment Law Section	Hunters Creek A
2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Lessons Learned: Creative Pro Bono Programs for Disaster-Related Legal Needs <i>1.5 hours (.5 ethics)</i>	Poverty Law Section	Briargrove
2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	The New World of Addressing Sexual Harassment in the Workplace <i>1.5 hours</i>	Women and the Law Section	Houston 7
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Judicial Section Board Meeting (Private Event)	Judicial Section	Montgomery
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Texas Local LGBT Bar Association Affiliates Congress	LGBT Law Section	Houston 2
2:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Out of the Fog: In-House Counsel Expectations in a Changed World <i>.75 hour</i>	Litigation Section and Texas Young Lawyers Association	Houston 5
2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	An Update on Standing in Family Law Cases <i>.5 hour</i>	Family Law Section	Meyerland
2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Asian Pacific Interest Section Annual Elections	Asian Pacific Interest Section	Clear Lake
2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Same Day, Different Place: 'Day and Date' Theatrical Releases <i>1 hour</i>	Entertainment and Sports Law Section	Houston 3
2:30 p.m.- 3:15 p.m.	State Update <i>.75 hour</i>	Labor and Employment Law Section	Hunters Creek A
2:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	AALS at 30: Historical Overview, Past-Chair Perspectives, and Preview <i>1.5 hours</i>	African-American Lawyers Section	Tanglewood
2:45 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Laughing Matters: How to Use Rules of Comedy to Make Your Practice Better <i>.5 hour</i>	Adaptable Lawyer Track – Co-sponsored by <i>texasbar.com</i> and the Computer and Technology Section	Houston 1
2:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	Crisis Communications & Crisis Management <i>1 hour</i>	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	Houston 4

THURSDAY, JUNE 9

Time	Topic/Hours	Sponsor/Track	Room
3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Recognizing Unique Property Issues in Divorce Cases <i>.5 hour (.25 ethics)</i>	Family Law Section	Meyerland
3:00 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	The Empathy Deficit in Online Jurors <i>.75 hour</i>	Litigation Section and Texas Young Lawyers Association	Houston 5
3:15 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	Annual Meeting Afternoon Refreshment Break	Capital One Business	Levels 2 & 3
3:15 p.m. - 4:00 p.m..	Federal Update <i>.75 hour</i>	Labor and Employment Law Section	Hunters Creek A
3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Justice of the Peace Courts Section Membership Meeting	Justice of the Peace Courts Section	Kingwood
3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Roadmap to Criminal Cases <i>1 hour</i>	Hispanic Issues Section	Sugarland
3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Astroworld Aftermath: Litigation and Its Impact on the Live Events Industry <i>1 hour</i>	Entertainment and Sports Law Section	Houston 3
3:45 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	What a Litigator Needs to Know About Data Security – The Rules and Remedies <i>.75 hour (.25 ethics)</i>	Litigation Section and Texas Young Lawyers Association	Houston 5
3:45 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.	60 Apps in 60 Minutes <i>1 hour</i>	Adaptable Lawyer Track – <i>Co-sponsored by texasbar.com and the Computer and Technology Section</i>	Houston 1
3:45 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.	When Divorce Turns Morbid: Litigating Probate & Estate Issues in Family Law <i>1 hour</i>	Family Law Section	Meyerland
4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	African–American Lawyers Section Annual Meeting	African–American Lawyers Section	Tanglewood
4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Technology: Legal Aspects <i>1 hour</i>	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	Houston 4
4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	LeadershipSBOT Awards Ceremony	LeadershipSBOT	Fort Bend
4:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Hispanic Issues Section Membership Meeting	Hispanic Issues Section	Sugarland
4:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Litigation Section Membership Meeting	Litigation Section	Houston 5
4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Justice of the Peace Courts Reception	Justice of the Peace Courts Section	Clear Lake A
5:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	ESG Movement <i>.5 hour (.25 ethics)</i>	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	Houston 4
5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	African-American Lawyers Section 30 th Anniversary Commemoration Reception	African-American Lawyers Section	River Oaks B
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Access to Justice Reception	Access to Justice Commission	Kingwood A
5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Intellectual Property Law Section Reception	Intellectual Property Law Section	Clear Lake B
5:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Business Law Section and Corporate Counsel Section Membership Meetings	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	Houston 4
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Friends of Bill W. Meeting	Friends of Bill W.	Galleria
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Baylor Law School Reception	Baylor Law School	Hunters Creek
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Consumer and Commercial Law Section Reception	Consumer and Commercial Law Section	Briargrove A
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Hispanic Issues Section Reception	Hispanic Issues Section	Briargrove B
5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	Law Practice Management Committee Reception	Law Practice Management Committee	Galveston B
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	South Texas College of Law Houston Reception	South Texas College of Law Houston	Kingwood B
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Southern Methodist University Dedman School of Law Reception	Southern Methodist University Dedman School of Law	Offsite – Grotto Downtown
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	St. Mary’s University School of Law Reception	St. Mary’s University School of Law	Westchase

THURSDAY, JUNE 9

Time	Topic/Hours	Sponsor/Track	Room
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Texas A&M University School of Law Reception	Texas A&M University School of Law	Liberty
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Texas Southern University Thurgood Marshall School of Law Reception	Texas Southern University Thurgood Marshall School of Law	River Oaks A
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Texas Tech University School of Law Reception	Texas Tech University School of Law	Montgomery
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Tweet and Greet	Adaptable Lawyer Track – <i>Co-sponsored by texasbar.com and the Computer and Technology Section</i>	Montrose A
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	University of Houston Law Center Reception	University of Houston Law Center	Houston 2
5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	Asian Pacific Interest Section Reception	Asian Pacific Interest Section	Offsite
5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	LGBT Law Section Reception	LGBT Law Section	Offsite – Hearsay on the Green
6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Women and the Law Section Reception	Women and the Law Section	Offsite – The Grove
7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	President’s Party Reception	President’s Party	Texas Ballroom F-H Pre-Function
7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	Intellectual Property Law Section Speakers’ Dinner	Intellectual Property Law Section	Offsite – Vic & Anthony’s
8:00 p.m. – 11:30 p.m.	President’s Party Dinner and Dance (Ticket Required)	President’s Party	Texas Ballroom F-H

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Time	Topic/Hours	Sponsor/Track	Room
7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Registration and Exhibits Open	Registration and Exhibits	2nd Level
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Intellectual Property Law Section Council Breakfast (Private Event)	Intellectual Property Law Section	Galveston
7:30 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	Bench Bar Breakfast .75 hour	Bench Bar Breakfast	Texas Ballroom F–H
8:30 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	Burn Pits and Beyond: Recent and Pending Changes in Veterans' Disability Law .75 hour	Military and Veterans Law Section	Houston 3
8:40 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	Intellectual Property Law Section Welcoming Remarks	Intellectual Property Law Section	Houston 1
8:40 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	Law Practice Management Welcoming Remarks	Law Practice Management	Houston 4
8:45 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	What to Do When You've Made a Mistake .5 hour (.25 ethics)	Law Practice Management	Houston 4
8:45 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Patent Law Update .75 hour	Intellectual Property Law Section	Houston 1
9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.	Antitrust and Business Litigation Section Membership Meeting	Antitrust and Business Litigation Section	Hunters Creek A
9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Texas Supreme Court Update .75 hour	Appellate and Civil Liberties & Civil Rights Sections	Chambers
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Fit to Admit? What You Need to Know About New Sources of Digital Evidence 1 hour	Adaptable Lawyer Track – Co-sponsored by <i>texasbar.com</i> and the <i>Computer and Technology Section</i>	Houston 5
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Courtroom Transparency – How the COVID-19 Pandemic Altered Court Accessibility and What Transparency Looks Like in a Post-COVID World 1 hour	Open Government Seminar	Houston 6
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Immigration Consequences of Criminal Convictions 1 hour	Immigration and Nationality Law Section	Liberty
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Parental Presumptions and Pavan Revisited 1 hour	LGBT Law Section	Houston 2
9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	From Pipeline to Practitioner: Implementing Diversity in the Profession 1.25 hours	African–American Lawyers Section	Tanglewood
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Oil, Gas, and Energy Resources Law Section Council Meeting (Private Event)	Oil, Gas, and Energy Resources Law Section	Montrose
9:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Hiring, Training, and Turnover of Staff .5 hour	Law Practice Management	Houston 4
9:25 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.	What Is Military Law and When Do You Need To Call an Attorney Who Does Military Law? .75 hour (.5 ethics)	Military and Veterans Law Section	Houston 3
9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	Developments From the Texas AG Antitrust Division .5 hour	Antitrust and Business Litigation Section	Hunters Creek A
9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	IP Issues in Decentralized Finance .5 hour (.25 ethics)	Intellectual Property Law Section	Houston 1
9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Student Speech .5 hour	Appellate and Civil Liberties & Civil Rights Sections	Chambers
9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Building Your Brand: Effective Ways to Grow Your Client Base .5 hour (.25 ethics)	Law Practice Management	Houston 4
10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	COVID-19 Vaccines and IP Rights .5 hour	Intellectual Property Law Section	Houston 1

FRIDAY, JUNE 10

Time	Topic/Hours	Sponsor/Track	Room
10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Municipal Judges Section Council Meeting (Private Event)	Municipal Judges Section	Clear Lake
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	State Consumer Data Privacy Laws in 2023 <i>1 hour</i>	Adaptable Lawyer Track – Co-sponsored by <i>texasbar.com</i> and the Computer and Technology Section	Houston 5
10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	Defending Criminal No-Poach & Wage Fixing Claims <i>1 hour</i>	Antitrust and Business Litigation Section	Hunters Creek A
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	State of the Union – Biden Immigration Update <i>1 hour</i>	Immigration and Nationality Law Section	Liberty
10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	Dobbs: Unraveling <i>Roe v. Wade</i> - How LGBTQ Civil Rights Will Be Affected <i>1 hour</i>	LGBT Law Section	Houston 2
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Legislative Update: Trends in Open Government Law <i>1 hour</i>	Open Government Seminar	Houston 6
10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Law Student Division Membership Meeting (Invitation Only)	Law Student Division	Galveston
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	50-Year Lawyers Reception (Invitation Only)	50-Year Lawyers	David Mitzner
10:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	The Constitutional Limits on Punitive Damage Awards <i>.5 hour</i>	Appellate and Civil Liberties & Civil Rights Sections	Chambers
10:20 a.m. – 11:05 a.m.	Veterans Law Update <i>.75 hour</i>	Military and Veterans Law Section	Houston 3
10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Setting Up Systems <i>.5 hour (.25 ethics)</i>	Law Practice Management	Houston 4
10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Municipal Judges Section Membership Meeting and Elections	Municipal Judges Section	Clear Lake
10:30 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Trademark Law Update <i>.75 hour</i>	Intellectual Property Law Section	Houston 1
10:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Practices Tips Panel: Effective and Ethical Client Development, Representation, and Retention <i>1.25 hours</i>	African-American Lawyers Section	Tanglewood
10:45 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	U.S. Supreme Court Update <i>.75 hour</i>	Appellate and Civil Liberties & Civil Rights Sections	Chambers
11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Client Management <i>.5 hour (.25 ethics)</i>	Law Practice Management	Houston 4
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	60 Apps in 60 Minutes <i>1 hour</i>	Adaptable Lawyer Track – Co-sponsored by <i>texasbar.com</i> and the Computer and Technology Section	Houston 5
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Issue Spotting and When to Refer Out an Immigration Case <i>1 hour</i>	Immigration and Nationality Law Section	Liberty
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	How to Protect LGBTQ Individuals During a Civil Trial <i>1 hour</i>	LGBT Law Section	Houston 2
11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Understanding the Role of Area Administrative Judges <i>1 hour</i>	Municipal Judges Section	Clear Lake
11:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Are Courts-Martial Actual Criminal Courts Subject to the U.S. Constitution? The Current Battle for Unanimous Verdicts in Military Tribunals <i>.75 hour</i>	Military and Veterans Law Section	Houston 3
11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Second Amendment <i>.5 hour</i>	Appellate and Civil Liberties & Civil Rights Sections	Chambers

FRIDAY, JUNE 10

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Time	Topic/Hours	Sponsor/Track	Room
11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Malpractice Insurance Coverage .5 hour (.25 ethics)	Law Practice Management	Houston 4
11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Section Awards Luncheon and Membership Meeting (Ticket Required)	Intellectual Property Law Section	River Oaks
12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Consumer and Commercial Law Section Council Meeting (Private Event)	Consumer and Commercial Law Section	Houston 6
12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch & Litigation Explanation 1 hour	LGBT Law Section	Houston 2
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Oil, Gas, and Energy Resources Law Section Past Chair's Luncheon (Private Event)	Oil, Gas, and Energy Resources Law Section	Sugarland
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	General Session Luncheon .75 hour	General Session Luncheon	Texas Ballroom A-E
12:30 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Consumer and Commercial Law Section Membership Meeting	Consumer and Commercial Law Section	Houston 6
12:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Texas Lawyers Auxiliary Board Meeting and Installation (Private Event)	Texas Lawyers Auxiliary	Fort Bend
1:00 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.	Option Contracts .75 hour	Consumer and Commercial Law Section	Houston 6
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Presenting on the Recent OAG Opinion Characterizing Trans-Affirming Care as Child Abuse 1 hour	LGBT Law Section	Houston 2
1:15 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.	e-Commerce Control: Asserting IP Rights in New Avenues to Control Copycats, Counterfeits, and Infringing Goods .5 hour	Intellectual Property Law Section	Houston 1
1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Military and Veterans Law Section Membership Meeting	Military and Veterans Law Section	Chambers
1:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	CCA Update .75 hour	Criminal Justice Section	Liberty
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Old Meets New: The First, Fourth and Fifth Amendments Face the Digital World 1 hour	Adaptable Lawyer Track – Co-sponsored by <i>texasbar.com</i> and the <i>Computer and Technology Section</i>	Houston 5
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Animal Cruelty and Violent Crime 1 hour	Animal Law Section	Houston 3
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	The Indian Child Welfare Act: Updates 1 hour	Native American Law Section	Tanglewood
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Oil, Gas, and Energy Resources Law Section Membership Meeting	Oil, Gas, and Energy Resources Law Section	Montrose
1:45 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	How the New Exemption Rules Will Affect Collections .75 hour	Consumer and Commercial Law Section	Houston 5
1:45 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	Scaling Up .5 hour	Law Practice Management	Houston 4
1:45 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	IP Considerations in Green Technology 1 hour	Intellectual Property Law Section	Houston 1
2:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Drafting Engagement Letters .5 hour (.5 ethics)	Law Practice Management	Houston 4
2:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Ethics Opinions and Recent Cases .75 hour (.75 ethics)	Criminal Justice Section	Liberty
2:30 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Fair Credit Reporting Act .75 hour	Consumer and Commercial Law Section	Houston 6
2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Ten Tips to Avoid Grievances 1 hour	Native American Law Section	Tanglewood

FRIDAY, JUNE 10

Time	Topic/Hours	Sponsor/Track	Room
2:35 p.m. – 3:35 p.m.	Dangerous Dog Hearings <i>1 hour</i>	Animal Law Section	Houston 3
2:45 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Social Media and IP <i>.5 hour (.25 ethics)</i>	Intellectual Property Law Section	Houston 1
3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Duty to Report Ethical Violations <i>.5 hour (.5 ethics)</i>	Law Practice Management	Houston 4
3:00 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	Recent Changes to the Criminal Pattern Jury Charge Committee <i>.75 hour</i>	Criminal Justice Section	Liberty
3:15 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	Annual Meeting Refreshment Break – <i>Sponsored by Net Documents</i>	Annual Meeting	Levels 2 & 3
3:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Article 3 Standing <i>.75 hour</i>	Consumer and Commercial Law Section	Houston 6
3:15 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.	Jury Selection in IP Cases <i>1.5 hours (.25 ethics)</i>	Intellectual Property Law Section	Houston 1
3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Ethics From the Trenches <i>.5 hour (.5 ethics)</i>	Law Practice Management	Houston 4
3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Native American Law Section Membership Meeting	Native American Law Section	Tanglewood
3:40 p.m. – 4:40 p.m.	Service Animals <i>1 hour</i>	Animal Law Section	Houston 3
3:45 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Let's Make a Deal: Plea Negotiations <i>.75 hour</i>	Criminal Justice Section	Liberty
4:00 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.	Familial ID Theft and Coerced Debt <i>.75 hour</i>	Consumer and Commercial Law Section	Houston 6
5:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	TYLA Annual Meeting and Reception	Texas Young Lawyers Association	Texas Ballroom B–C
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Friends of Bill W. Meeting	Friends of Bill W.	Galleria
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	James C. Watson Inn Reception	James C. Watson Inn	Montgomery
6:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Texas Bar Foundation VIP Reception (Invitation Only)	Texas Bar Foundation	River Oaks
6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	Texas Bar Foundation Annual Dinner Reception (Invitation Only)	Texas Bar Foundation	Texas Ballroom E–H
6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	Asian Pacific Interest Section Awards Ceremony for Past and Present Award Winners	Asian Pacific Interest Section	Offsite
7:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m.	Texas Bar Foundation Annual Dinner and Dance (Invitation Only)	Texas Bar Foundation	Texas Ballroom E–H
10:00 p.m. – 1:00 a.m.	TYLA Joseph M. Pritchard Inn Midnight Mambo	Texas Young Lawyers Association	Houston 5–6

SATURDAY, JUNE 11

Time	Topic/Hours	Sponsor/Track	Room
8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	State Bar of Texas Past Presidents' Breakfast (Invitation Only)	State Bar of Texas	Brazoria
8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	TYLA Past Presidents' Breakfast (Invitation Only)	Texas Young Lawyers Association	Montgomery
10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	TYLA New Directors Orientation (Invitation Only)	Texas Young Lawyers Association	Fort Bend

BREAKFAST EVENTS

Registration and Exhibits Open—2nd Level

7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

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Continental Breakfast—2nd – 3rd Level Foyers

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7:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Included in registration!
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Early Morning Ethics

Earn early morning ethics. Ethics sessions are concurrent. Please choose one:

7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.

Track 1: Civility vs. Zealous Advocacy – A False Dichotomy? – Meyerland 1 hour (1 ethics)

Moderator:

Jonathan Smaby, *Austin*
Texas Center for Legal Ethics

Panelists:

Hon. Irma Carrillo Ramirez, *Dallas*
United States Magistrate Judge,
Northern District of Texas

Kevin Dubose, *Houston*
Alexander Dubose & Jefferson LLP

Marie Jamison, *Houston*
Wright Close & Barger, LLP

Track 2: Advertising Rules & Social Media – Briargrove
1 hour (1 ethics)

Gene Major, *Austin*
Attorney Compliance Division
Director, State Bar of Texas

Track 3: Emerging From a Pandemic: Tips and Strategies for Lawyer Well-Being—Kingwood
1 hour (1 ethics)

Erica Grigg, JD, *Austin*
Director, Texas Lawyers' Assistance Program, State Bar of Texas

Prayer Breakfast—Westchase

7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Christian Legal Society Prayer Breakfast

\$55 per person – Tickets may be purchased at the State Bar Registration Desk

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Texas Lawyers Auxiliary—Hunters Creek B

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Board Meeting and Installation (Private Event)

Adaptable Lawyer Track—Houston 1

In cooperation with the Computer and Technology Section

8:45 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Welcome and Opening Remarks

Michael Maslanka, *Dallas*
UNT Dallas College of Law

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Keynote Address – Gen Z: What Kind of Colleagues Will They Be? 1 hour

Laura Graham, *Winston-Salem, NC*
Director of Legal Analysis, Writing, & Research Program,
Wake Forest University School of Law

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Getting Back to Trial: The Modern Juror 1 hour

Jason S. Bloom, M.A., *Dallas*
Bloom Strategic Consulting, Inc.

11:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

Going Solo in a Pandemic: Lessons Learned by an Adaptable Lawyer .75 hour

Zach Wolfe, *Houston*
Zach Wolfe Law

11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Computer & Technology Section Membership Meeting

1:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.

Adaptable Lawyer Talks: So You Want to Publish a Book?: One Lawyer's Journey; Life Is a Highway: Exiting In-House Security to Personal Fulfillment; Resilience and the Light Bill: Keys to Successfully Mentoring a New Lawyer; Mediation: Is Virtual the New Reality?

1.25 hours

Ted Meyer, *Houston*
BLANKROME

Zandra Pulis, *San Antonio*
DeDe Church & Associates

Amanda Gadison, *Dallas*
Condon Tobin Sladek Thornton Nerenberg PLLC

Greg Bourgeois, *Austin*
Lakeside Mediation Center

2:45 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.

Laughing Matters: How to Use Rules of Comedy to Make Your Practice Better .5 hour

Samantha Martinez, *Houston*
Martinez Firm, PLLC

3:45 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

60 Apps in 60 Minutes 1 hour

Robert Ray, *Lantana*
TexasInheritance.com

Michael Curran, *Austin*
Michael Curran, PC

Mark I. Unger, *San Antonio*
The Unger Law Firm, PC, and
Muse Legal Tech Consulting, LLC

Lavonne Burke Hopkins, *Houston*
Dell Technologies, Inc.

5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Tweet and Greet—Montrose A
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Computer and Technology Section

The Adaptable Lawyer Track continues Friday morning

African-American Lawyers Section—Tanglewood

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Righting Past Injustices: Posthumous Bar Admissions for Pioneering Black Lawyers 1 hour

John Browning, *Plano*
Spencer Fane, LLP, and former justice, 5th District Court of Appeals

2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

AALS at 30: Historical Overview, Past-Chair Perspectives, and Preview 1.5 hours

Moderator:

Paul K. Stafford, *Dallas*
AALS Chair, Stafford Moore, PLLC

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

African-American Lawyers Section Annual Meeting

5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

African-American Lawyers Section 30th Anniversary Commemoration Reception – River Oaks B

The African-American Lawyers Section programming continues Friday morning

Asian Pacific Interest Section—Clear Lake

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Section Officer and Council Meeting

2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Section Annual Elections

5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Reception – Offsite

Aviation Law Section—Houston 3

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Section Council Meeting
(Private Event)

10:00 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.

Aviation Hull and Liability War Risk Insurance – A Primer .75 hour

Christa Hinckley, *Dallas*
Fox Rothschild LLP

Bar Leaders Recognition Luncheon

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10:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Tales From the Script: A “Drama” in Two Acts, Involving Ethics in Mediation 1.5 hours (1.5 ethics)

Frederick P. Alimonti, *Vallhalla, NY*
Alimonti Law Offices

12:15 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections—Houston 4

8:55 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Welcoming Remarks

Brent Benoit, *Houston*
National Oilwell Varco, Inc.

Emma Cano, *San Antonio*
Jefferson Cano

9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.

Issues in Formation and Drafting in Entity Documentation .75 hour

Cliff Ernst, *Austin*
McGinnis Lochridge, L.L.P.

Prof. Elizabeth S. Miller, *Waco*
Baylor University School of Law

9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

Privacy Laws .5 hour

Jeremy Rucker, *Plano*
Spencer Fane LLP

10:30 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.

What In-House Counsel Want Outside Counsel to Know .75 hour

Moderator:

Emma Cano, *San Antonio*
Jefferson Cano

Brent Benoit, *Houston*
National Oilwell Varco, Inc.

Yolanda Brown, *Dallas*
Sammons Corporation

Jennifer Morris, *Dallas*
AT&T Services, Inc.

11:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

Litigation Update .5 hour

David Harrell, *Houston*
Locke Lord LLP

11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Corporate Counsel Pro Bono Award and Access to Justice Update .25 hour (.25 ethics)

Hon. Brett Busby, *Austin*
Justice, Supreme Court of Texas

12:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.

Business Law Section Luncheon and Council Meeting
(Private Event) – **Montrose**

1:45 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.

The Newest New Things in Employment Law 1 hour
(.5 ethics)

Tony Campiti, *Dallas*
Holland & Knight LLP

Lawrence Morales II, *San Antonio*
The Morales Law Firm, P.C.

2:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

Crisis Communications & Crisis Management 1 hour

Moderator:
Denise Scofield, *Houston*
Winston & Strawn LLP

Bradley Adams, *Dallas*
Southwest Transplant Alliance

David Margulies, *Dallas*
The Margulies Communications Group

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Technology: Legal Aspects 1 hour

Moderator:
T. Jason Smith, *Kingwood*
DocuSign

Antony Ng, *Austin*
Russell Ng, PLLC

Grant Scheiner, *Houston*
Scheiner Law Group, P.C.

Alex Shahrestani, *Austin*
Promise Legal PLLC

5:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

ESG Movement .5 hour (.25 ethics)

Timothy A. Wilkins, *Austin*
Bracewell, LLP

5:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Business Law Section and Corporate Counsel Section Membership Meetings

Child Protection Law Section—Tanglewood

9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

Required Participation in Services Under 264.203 of the Texas Family Code .5 hour

Robert J. Hazeltine-Shedd, *Houston*
Harris County Attorney

9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Service Issues in CPS Cases 1 hour

Sandra Hachem, *Houston*
Harris County Attorney

10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Child Protection Law Case Law Update 1 hour

Michael Hull, *Houston*
Harris County Attorney

Collaborative Law Section—Kingwood

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Purple Cows and Common Sense: Inspiration and Ideas for Creating and Sustaining a Remarkable Collaborative Practice 1.5 hours

Ronald D. Ousky, *Edina, MN*
Ousky Law Offices

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

Consumer and Commercial Law Section—Briargrove A

5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Reception

Diversity Forum—Meyerland

Sponsored by the African-American Lawyers, Asian Pacific Interest, Hispanic Issues, LGBT Law, Native American Law, and Women and the Law Sections

9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.

The Role of Companies in Shaping Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion at Law Firms .75 hour

Moderator:
John Treviño, *Dallas*
Perkins Coie LLP

Panelists:

Elena Villaseñor Sullivan, *San Antonio*
Message Heights

Mike Henning, *Houston*
United Airlines, Inc.

Charlene Tsang-Kao, *Houston*
Marathon Oil Corporation

9:45 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.

Unconscious Bias in Jury Selection 1 hour (1 ethics)

Moderator:
Hon. Ravi K. Sandill, *Houston*
Harris County District Court

Panelists:

Hon. Audrie Lawton Evans, *Houston*
Harris County Civil Court

Hon. Maria Salas Mendoza, *El Paso*
120th District Court

10:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

Hiring, Retention, and Other Impacts of COVID-19 on Law Firms 1 hour

Moderator:
Paul K. Stafford, *Dallas*
Stafford Moore, PLLC

Panelists:

Monica W. Latin, *Dallas*
Carrington Coleman

Donna K. McElroy, *San Antonio*
Dykema

Entertainment and Sports Law Section—Houston 3

12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Section Council Meeting (Private Event)—Briargrove

12:30 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting—Briargrove

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Name, Image, and Likeness: A Year of Dealmaking in Review 1 hour

Jeremy M. Evans, *Los Angeles, CA*
California Sports Lawyer®

2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Same Day, Different Place: 'Day and Date' Theatrical Releases
1 hour

Nicholas Soltman, *Santa Monica, CA*
Iser Kump Holley

Kinsella Weitzman, *Santa Monica, CA*
Iser Kump Holley

3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Astroworld Aftermath: Litigation and Its Impact on the Live Events Industry
1 hour

Saba Syed, *Dallas*
Bell Nunnally & Martin LLP

Barrett Robin, *Dallas*
Hamilton Wingo, LLP

Brent Turman, *Dallas*
Bell Nunnally & Martin

Environmental and Natural Resources Law Section—Briargrove

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

CLE TBD *1 hour*

Family Law Section—Meyerland

1:25 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Welcoming Remarks

Kelly L. Fritsch, *Houston*
Kelly L. Fritsch, P.C.

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

What Every Young Lawyer Needs to Know About Family Law: Including a Perspective From the Bench *1 hour (.5 ethics)*

Hon. Janice Berg, *Houston*
247th Judicial District Court

Jacob Cohen, *Houston*
The Rainwater Firm

Hon. Gloria Lopez, *Houston*
308th Judicial District Court

Alicia Palmer, *Houston*
Kelly L. Fritsch, P.C.

2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

An Update on Standing in Family Law Cases *.5 hour*

Shailey Gupta–Brietzke, *Houston*
Shailey Gupta–Brietzke PLLC

3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Recognizing Unique Property Issues in Divorce Cases *.5 hour (.25 ethics)*

John Van Ness, *Houston*
Lilly & Van Ness, LLP

3:45 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

When Divorce Turns Morbid: Litigating Probate & Estate Issues in Family Law *1 hour*

Taylor Imel, *Houston*
Koons Fuller

Jeff Uzick, *Houston*
Jeff Uzick, P.C.

General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm Section—River Oaks

8:00 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.

Section Council Meeting
(Private Event)

8:45 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Section Membership Meeting and Elections

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Dying in the Fields: Who Gets the Farm? *1 hour*

Cole Shooter, *Lubbock*
Shooter & Agee

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

What to Do if You Get a Grievance *1 hour*

Patrick Scott, *Conroe*
Scott Law Firm

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Do a Good Deed: Lady Bird Deeds and TODDs *1 hour*

Julie Ezell-Perez, *Harlingen*
Ezell & Ezell

Hispanic Issues Section—Sugarland

1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Legislative and Litigation Update – on the Horizon... *2 hours*

Moderator:

Gloria Leal, *Austin*
Gloria Leal & Associates

Nina Perales, *San Antonio*
Vice President of Litigation,
Mexican American Legal Defense
and Education Fund

Hon. Gina Benavides, *Corpus Christi*
Justice, 13th Court of Appeals

Jerry D. Bullard, *Grapevine*
Adams Lynch & Loftin P.C.

3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Roadmap to Criminal Cases
1 hour

José A. Ceja, *Houston*
Scheiner Law Group, P.C.

4:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Reception – Briargrove B

Intellectual Property Law Section—Clear Lake B

5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Reception

7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Speakers' Dinner – Offsite –
Vic & Anthony's

International Law Section—Clear Lake

9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

The Legal Implications of the War in Ukraine and the Russian Sanctions - Select Topics
1.5 hours

10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Human Rights Implications of the Crisis in Ukraine *1 hour*

11:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

Section Membership Meeting

Judicial Section—Montgomery

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Section Board Meeting
(Private Event)

Justice of the Peace Courts Section—Kingwood

1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

The New Age of Texas Receiverships 2 hours (.5 ethics)

Michael Scott, *Dallas*
Scott & Associates, P.C.

Craig Noack, *San Antonio*
Noack Law Firm, PLLC

Judge Mike Yarbrough, *Frisco*
Justice of the Peace, Precinct 4

Brian Staley, *Houston*
Midland Credit Management

3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting and Election

4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Reception – Clear Lake A

Labor and Employment Law Section—Hunters Creek A

1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

What's New in Sexual Harassment .5 hour

Harrison M. Smith, *Fort Worth*
Schmoyer Reinhard LLP

2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Non-Competes and Employee Raiding .5 hour

Jason S. Boulette, *Austin*
Boulette Golden & Marin L.L.P.

2:30 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.

State Update .75 hour

Prof. Richard R. Carlson, *Houston*
South Texas College of Law
Houston

3:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Federal Update .75 hour

BB Sanford, *Dallas*
Sanford Firm

Law Focused Education Inc./Law Focused Education Committee—David Mitzner

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Board Meeting and Committee Meeting

Law Practice Management—Galveston B

5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Law Practice Management Committee Reception

LeadershipSBOT—Fort Bend

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Awards Ceremony

LGBT Law Section—Houston 2

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Texas Local LGBT Bar Association Affiliates Congress

5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Reception—Offsite—Hearsay on the Green

Litigation Section and Texas Young Lawyers Association—Houston 5

10:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.

The Texas Legal Legends Project and Induction of Legal Legend David J. Beck

10:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.

An Interview with David J. Beck: The Making of a Legend .5 hour (.25 ethics)

Interviewer:
Geoff Gannaway, *Houston*
Beck Redden LLP

David J. Beck, *Houston*
Beck Redden LLP

11:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Litigation Section Texas' Young Litigator Award

12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Bar Leaders Recognition Luncheon .75 hour
(Sponsored by the Litigation Section)

1:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.

Emerging from a Pandemic: Tips for Rebuilding Our Resiliency as Lawyers .75 hour (.75 ethics)

Erica Grigg, JD, *Austin*
Director, Texas Lawyers' Assistance Program, State Bar of Texas

2:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Out of the Fog: In-House Counsel Expectations in a Changed World .75 hour

Moderator:
Morgan Thomas, *Houston*
Accenture

Megan Bluntzer, *San Antonio*
Valero

President's Party

Featuring Manhattan
Texas Ballroom F–H, 4th Level

7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Reception

8:00 p.m. – 11:30 p.m. Dinner and Dance

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James Cespedes, *Houston*
Sysco

3:00 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

The Empathy Deficit in Online Jurors .75 hour

Quentin Brogdon, *Dallas*
Crain Brogdon Rogers

3:45 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

What a Litigator Needs to Know About Data Security – The Rules and Remedies .75 hour (.25 ethics)

Jason B. Freeman, *Frisco*
Freeman Law

Johnny Lee, *Peachtree, AL*
Grant Thornton

Peter S. Vogel, *Dallas*
Foley & Lardner

4:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

Poverty Law Section—Briar Grove

2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Lessons Learned: Creative Pro Bono Programs for Disaster-Related Legal Needs 1.5 hours (.5 ethics)

Shelby Jean, *Fort Worth*
Legal Aid of NorthWest Texas

Dana Karni, *Houston*
Lone Star Legal Aid

Mark Melton, *Dallas*
Holland & Knight LLP

Melissa Thraikill, *Dallas*
Law Offices of Brandy Wingate Voss, PLLC

Women and the Law Section—Houston 7

1:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

The New World of Addressing Sexual Harassment in the Workplace 1.5 hours

Lea Ream, *San Antonio*
Davidson, Troilo, Ream & Garza, P.C.

Lecia Chaney, *The Woodlands*
Insperity, Inc.

Karen Koehler Fitzgerald, *Dallas*
Fitzgerald Law, PLLC

6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Reception – Offsite – The Grove

THURSDAY RECEPTIONS

All receptions take place from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at the Marriott Marquis unless otherwise noted.

Access to Justice (5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.) – **Kingwood A**
Honoring Champions of Justice Society Members

African-American Lawyers Section 30th Anniversary Commemoration Reception (5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.) – **River Oaks B**

Asian Pacific Interest Section (5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.) – **Offsite**

Baylor Law School – **Hunters Creek**

Consumer and Commercial Law Section – **Briar Grove A**

Hispanic Issues Section – **Briar Grove B**

Intellectual Property Law Section (5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.) – **Clear Lake B**

Justice of the Peace Courts Section (4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.) – **Clear Lake A**

Law Practice Management Committee Reception – **Galveston B**

LGBT Law Section (5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.) – **Offsite** – **Hearsay on the Green**

South Texas College of Law Houston – **Kingwood B**

Southern Methodist University Dedman School of Law – **Offsite** – **Grotto Downtown**

St. Mary's University School of Law – **Westchase**

Texas A&M University School of Law – **Liberty**

Texas Southern University Thurgood Marshall School of Law – **River Oaks A**

Texas Tech University School of Law – **Montgomery**

Tweet and Greet – **Montrose A**

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University of Houston Law Center – **Houston 2**

Women and the Law Section (6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.) – **Offsite** – **The Grove**

**Adaptable Lawyer Track—
Houston 5**

*In cooperation with the Computer and
Technology Section
(Programming continued from Thursday)*

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

**Fit to Admit? What You Need to
Know About New Sources of
Digital Evidence** 1 hour

John G. Browning, *Plano*
Spencer Fane, LLP, and former
justice, 5th District Court of
Appeals

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

**State Consumer Data Privacy
Laws in 2023** 1 hour

John G. Browning, *Plano*
Spencer Fane, LLP, and former
justice, 5th District Court of
Appeals

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

60 Apps in 60 Minutes 1 hour

Chris Krupa Downs, *Plano*
Krupa Downs Law, PLLC

Shannon Warren, *Houston*
Law Office of Shannon Warren, PLLC

Grant Scheiner, *Houston*
Scheiner Law Group, PC

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

**Old Meets New: The First,
Fourth, and Fifth Amendments
Face the Digital World** 1 hour

Pierre Grosdidier, *Houston*
City of Houston

**African–American Lawyers
Section—Tanglewood**

(Programming continued from Thursday)

9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

**From Pipeline to Practitioner:
Implementing Diversity in the
Profession** 1.25 hours

Greg Franklin, *Dallas*
GreenbergTraurig

Sydne Collier, *Dallas*
Holland & Knight LLP

Robin Burgess, *Houston*
City of Houston

Bench Bar Breakfast

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7:30 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.
Included in Registration!
.75 hour

Texas Ballroom F–H, 4th Level
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Sponsored by Judicial Section

Dominique D. Calhoun, *Houston*
Calhoun Meredith

10:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

**Practices Tips Panel: Effective
and Ethical Client
Development, Representation,
and Retention** 1.25 hours

Nikki Chriesman-Green, *Dallas*
Foster & Foster inc.

Daniella Landers, *Houston*
Womble Bond Dickinson

**Animal Law Section—
Houston 3**

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

**Animal Cruelty and Violent
Crime** 1 hour

Ashley Kraus, *Pflugerville*
Sheehan Law LLC

2:35 p.m. – 3:35 p.m.

Dangerous Dog Hearings 1 hour

Eric Torberson, *Austin*
Attorney at Law

3:40 p.m. – 4:40 p.m.

Service Animals 1 hour

Cindy Smiley, *Austin*
Smiley Law Firm

Service Dog, Puppy-In-Training
Canine Companions

**Antitrust and Business Litigation
Section—Hunters Creek A**

9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

Section Membership Meeting

9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

**Developments From the Texas
AG Antitrust Division** .5 hour

James Lloyd, *Austin*
Chief of the Antitrust Division for
the Texas Attorney General

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

**Defending Criminal No-Poach &
Wage Fixing Claims** 1 hour

Moderator:

Alex C. Wolens, *Dallas*
Winston & Strawn LLP

Panelists:

Paul E. Coggins, *Dallas*
Locke Lord LLP

Thomas M. Melsheimer, *Dallas*
Winston & Strawn LLP

**Appellate and Civil Liberties &
Civil Rights Sections—Chambers**

9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.

Texas Supreme Court Update
.75 hour

Scott Rothenberg, *Bellaire*
Law Offices of Scott Rothenberg

9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

Student Speech .5 hour

Chad Baruch, *Dallas*
Johnston Tobey Baruch

10:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.

The Constitutional Limits on Punitive Damage Awards .5 hour

Gino Rossini, *Dallas*
Thompson, Coe, Cousins & Irons, LLP

10:45 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

U.S. Supreme Court Update .75 hour

Susanna Allen, *Houston*
Yetter Coleman

11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Second Amendment .5 hour

Hon. April Farris, *Houston*
Justice, First Court of Appeals

Asian Pacific Interest Section—Offsite

6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Section Awards Ceremony for Past and Present Award Winners

Consumer and Commercial Law Section—Houston 6

12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Section Council Meeting (Private Event)

12:30 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

1:00 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.

Option Contracts .75 hour

Rachel Hytken, *Dallas*
Quilling, Selander, Lownds,
Winslett & Moser, P.C.

1:45 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

How the New Exemption Rules Will Affect Collections .75 hour

Richard (Rich) Tomlinson, *Houston*
Lone Star Legal Aid

2:30 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.

Fair Credit Reporting Act .75 hour

James Foley, *Fort Worth*
Foley Law, PLLC

3:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Article 3 Standing .75 hour

Manny Newburger, *Austin*
Newburger, Barron & Newburger, PC

4:00 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

Familial ID Theft and Coerced Debt .75 hour

Carla Sanchez-Adams, *Austin*
Texas Rio Grande Legal Aid, Inc.

Criminal Justice Section—Liberty

1:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.

CCA Update .75 hour

Hon. David Newell, *Austin*
Judge, Texas Court of Criminal Appeals

Hon. Bert Richardson, *Austin*
Judge, Texas Court of Criminal Appeals

2:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Ethics Opinions and Recent Cases .75 hour (.75 ethics)

Hon. Lisa Michalk, *Houston*
Presiding Judge, 221st District Court

3:00 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

Recent Changes to the Criminal Pattern Jury Charge Committee .75 hour

Hon. Melissa Goodwin, *Austin*
Justice, 3rd Court of Appeals

Andrew Fletcher, *San Antonio*
Harris County District Attorney's Office

3:45 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Let's Make a Deal: Plea Negotiations .75 hour

Philip Mack Furlow, *Lamesa*
District Attorney, 106th Judicial District

Mark Snodgrass, *Lubbock*
Mark Snodgrass Law Office

Immigration and Nationality Law Section—Liberty

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Immigration Consequences of Criminal Convictions 1 hour

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

State of the Union: Biden Immigration Update 1 hour

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Issue Spotting and When to Refer Out an Immigration Case 1 hour

Intellectual Property Law Section—Houston 1

7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.

Section Council Breakfast (Private Event) – **Galveston**

8:40 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.

Welcoming Remarks

Course Director:
Joseph F. Cleveland, Jr., *Fort Worth*
Brackett & Ellis, PC

8:45 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

Patent Law Update .75 hour (.25 ethics)

Derrick Pizarro, *San Antonio*
Pizarro Allen, PC

9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

IP Issues in Decentralized Finance .5 hour (.25 ethics)

Samuel G. Campbell III, *Austin*
Womble Bond Dickinson US, LLP

Joshua P. Davis, *Houston*
Womble Bond Dickinson US, LLP

10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

COVID-19 Vaccines and IP Rights .5 hour

Carlyn Burton, *Houston*
Osha Bergman Watanabe & Burton, LLP

10:30 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.

Trademark Law Update .75 hour

Purvi Patel Albers, *Dallas*
Haynes and Boone, LLP

David J. Cho, *Dallas*
AT&T Services, Inc.

11:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Break

11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Section Awards Luncheon and Membership Meeting (Ticket Required) – **River Oaks**

Luncheon Keynote Speakers, Fireside Chat:

Hope Shimabuku, *Dallas*
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

Kathi Vidal, *Alexandria, VA*
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

1:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.

Break

1:15 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.

e-Commerce Control: Asserting IP Rights in New Avenues to Control Copycats, Counterfeits, and Infringing Goods .5 hour

Jeremy Harrison, *Houston*
Vorys, Sater, Seymour and Pease LLP

1:45 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.

IP Considerations in Green Technology 1 hour

Sparkle Ellison, *Houston*
LyondellBasell

Steve Fowler, *Houston*
NRG

Melody van Denzen, *Houston*
ConocoPhillips

2:45 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.

Social Media and IP .5 hour (.25 ethics)

Anna E. Raimer, *Houston*
Jones Day

3:15 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

Jury Selection in IP Cases 1.5 hours (.25 ethics)

Moderator:

Joseph F. Cleveland, Jr., *Fort Worth*
Brackett & Ellis, PC

Panelists:

David Barnard, PhD, *New York City*
Trask Consulting

E. Leon Carter, *Dallas*
Carter Arnett, PLLC

Douglas A. Cawley, *Dallas*
McKool Smith, PC

Michael E. Jones, *Tyler*
Potter Minton

James C. Watson Inn—Montgomery A

5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Reception

Law Practice Management—Houston 4

8:40 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.

Welcoming Remarks

Penny Robe, *Plano*
Robe Law Firm

8:45 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

What to Do When You've Made a Mistake .5 hour (.25 ethics)

Scott C. Skelton, *Lufkin*
Skelton Slusher Barnhill Watkins Wells PLLC

9:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.

Hiring, Training and Turnover of Staff .5 hour

Missy Khan, *The Woodlands*
Cooksey, Marcin & Parecki, PLLC

John Meredith, *Houston*
Chamberlain Hrdlicka

9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

Building Your Brand: Effective Ways to Grow Your Client Base .5 hour (.25 ethics)

Ruby Powers, *Houston*
Powers Law Group

10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Break

10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Setting Up Systems .5 hour (.25 ethics)

David M. Evans, *San Antonio*
Attorney at Law

11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Client Management .5 hour (.25 ethics)

Debra L. Bruce, *Houston*
Lawyer-Coach LLC

Naval Patel, *Plano*
Attorney at Law

11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Malpractice Insurance Coverage .5 hour (.25 ethics)

Patricia Peterson, *Austin*
Texas Lawyer's Insurance Exchange

12:00 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.

Break for Lunch

1:45 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.

Scaling Up .5 hour

Holly J. Draper, *McKinney*
The Draper Law Firm, PC

2:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.

Drafting Engagement Letters .5 hour (.5 ethics)

Greg Sampson, *Dallas*
Gray Reed

Steven M. Traeger, *New Braunfels*
Traeger & Ricks PLLC

2:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Break

3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Duty to Report Ethical Violations .5 hour (.5 ethics)

Penny Robe, *Plano*
Robe Law Firm

3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Ethics from the Trenches .5 hour (.5 ethics)

William (Bill) Betts, Jr., *Brenham*
Betts, Walters & Mutscher, PC

E. Steve Bolden II, *Dallas*
Bracewell LLP

Law Student Division—Galveston

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Division Membership Meeting (Invitation Only)

LGBT Law Section—Houston 2

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Parental Presumptions and Pavan Revisited 1 hour

Kassie Hines, *Dallas*
O'Neil Wysocki

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

How to Protect LGBTQ Individuals During a Civil Trial
1 hour
Jessica Rodriguez-Wahlquist, *Houston*
Sorrels Law

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Presenting on the Recent OAG Opinion Characterized Trans-Affirming Care as Child-Abuse
1 hour

Derek Mergele-Rust, *Dallas*
DebnamRust

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Doobs: Unraveling Roe v. Wade – How LGBTQ Civil Rights & Others May Be Affected 1 hour

Professor Elizabeth Sepper, *Austin*
University of Texas School of Law

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Litigation Against the State Bar: What It Was About and What It Means For The State Bar

Tom Leatherbury, *Washington D.C.*
Vinson & Elkins

Military and Veterans Law Section—Houston 3

8:30 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

Burn Pits and Beyond: Recent and Pending Changes in Veterans' Disability Law
.75 hour

Julie Glover, *Dallas*
GloverLuck LLP

Amanda Sunday, *Dallas*
GloverLuck LLP

9:25 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.

What Is Military Law and When Do You Need To Call an Attorney Who Does Military Law? .75 hour (.5 ethics)

Patrick McLain, *Dallas*
The Law Office of Patrick J McLain PLLC

10:20 a.m. – 11:05 a.m.

Veterans Law Update .75 hour

Julie Glover, *Dallas*
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11:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Are Courts-Martial Actual Criminal Courts Subject to the U.S. Constitution? The Current Battle for Unanimous Verdicts in Military Tribunals .75 hour

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1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting – Chambers

Municipal Judges Section—Clear Lake

10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Section Council Meeting
(Private Event)

10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Section Membership Meeting and Elections

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Understanding the Role of Area Administrative Judges 1 hour

Hon. Susan Brown, *Houston*
11th Administrative Judicial
Region, Presiding Judge

Native American Law Section—Tanglewood

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

The Indian Child Welfare Act: Updates 1 hour

Ray T. Torgerson, *Houston*
Porter Hedges

2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Ten Tips to Avoid Grievances 1 hour

Gaines West, *College Station*
West Webb Allbritton & Gentry P.C.

3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

General Session Luncheon

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12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Included in Registration!
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Laura Gibson

Oil, Gas, and Energy Resources Law Section—Montrose

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Section Council Meeting
(Private Event)

12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Past Chairs' Luncheon (Private Event) – **Sugarland**

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

Open Government Seminar—Houston 6

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Courtroom Transparency — How the COVID-19 Pandemic Altered Court Accessibility and What Transparency Looks Like in a Post-COVID World 1 hour

Tom Leatherbury, *Dallas*
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Hon. Emily Miskel, *McKinney*
470th District Court

Chief Justice Tracy Christopher, *Houston*
14th Court of Appeals

Victor Vital, *Dallas*
Barnes & Thornburg

Gabrielle Banks, *Houston*
Houston Chronicle

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Legislative Update: Trends in Open Government Law 1 hour

Amy Bresnen, *Austin*
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The Marshall Project

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Texas Municipal League

Texas Bar Foundation Annual Dinner

6:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

VIP Reception—River Oaks
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6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Reception—Texas Ballroom E-H (Invitation Only)

7:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m.

Dinner and Dance—Texas Ballroom E-H (Invitation Only)
Black-tie attire

Texas Lawyers Auxiliary—Fort Bend

12:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Board Meeting and Installation
(Private Event)

Texas Young Lawyers Association

5:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Annual Meeting and Reception — Texas Ballroom B-C

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Jeanine
Novosad Rispoli



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10:00 p.m. – 1:00 a.m.

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State Bar of Texas Past Presidents' Breakfast—Brazoria
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8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

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LeadershipSBOT

DEADLINE FOR NOMINATIONS IS THURSDAY, JUNE 30

The State Bar of Texas and Texas Young Lawyers Association are looking for 20 Texas lawyers to participate in LeadershipSBOT. This diversity initiative is designed to recruit, train, and retain Texas lawyers for leadership positions in the legal community and the State Bar of Texas. Program participants will be selected to reflect the cultural, ethnic, geographic, and practice area diversity of the state. It is not designed to compete with bar association and local affiliate leadership academies but to complement those exceptional programs.

Take a minute to think about lawyers in your area who might benefit from participating in LeadershipSBOT. Those selected for LeadershipSBOT will be:

- Current members of the State Bar of Texas.
- Individuals who aspire to lead and have the demonstrated potential to become leaders.
- Individuals who have a goal to serve their communities and the profession and are committed to a profession and judiciary that reflect the diversity of the state.
- Individuals willing to commit sufficient time to attend two sessions of LeadershipSBOT plus the 2023 State Bar of Texas Annual Meeting.

- Individuals willing to make an additional year commitment of service within the organized bar (the individual will have a variety of options for service presented throughout the sessions).

Participants will examine what is expected of leaders and receive guidance and advice from current leaders on appropriate activities in which to be engaged to be effective in the profession and respected in the community.

Nomination forms should be submitted by **June 30, 2022**. Once your nomination is received, we will follow up with that individual to ascertain their interest and commitment in participating.

Thank you so much for helping us assure that Texas lawyers remain committed to the importance of the organized bar, professionalism, and community service. It is our goal that this program and others like it lead to a legal community in Texas that reflects the demographics of the state.

To submit a nomination, fill out the form below or visit texasbar.com/leadershipform for a nomination form, and for more information, visit texasbar.com/leadershipletter.

LeadershipSBOT Nomination Form

Name of Nominee: _____

Title: _____

Firm/Company Name: _____

Address: _____

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Please describe why you are nominating this person, including community or bar involvement, type of diversity represented (racial, ethnic, gender, geographic, practice area, etc.). We encourage you to nominate an attorney who has not previously participated in a bar association or local affiliate leadership academy.

Please return this form by **June 30, 2022**, to ensure that your nominee(s) receive full consideration. Mail, e-mail (jreames@texasbar.com), or fax (512.427.4215) your nomination to the State Bar of Texas, c/o Jennifer Reames. Those selected for LeadershipSBOT will receive a packet informing them of their selection and asking them to commit to attending two 2-day sessions and the 2023 Annual Meeting during the coming bar year. They will also be required to commit to serving on a State Bar, TYLA, or related-entity committee/board the year following the academy.

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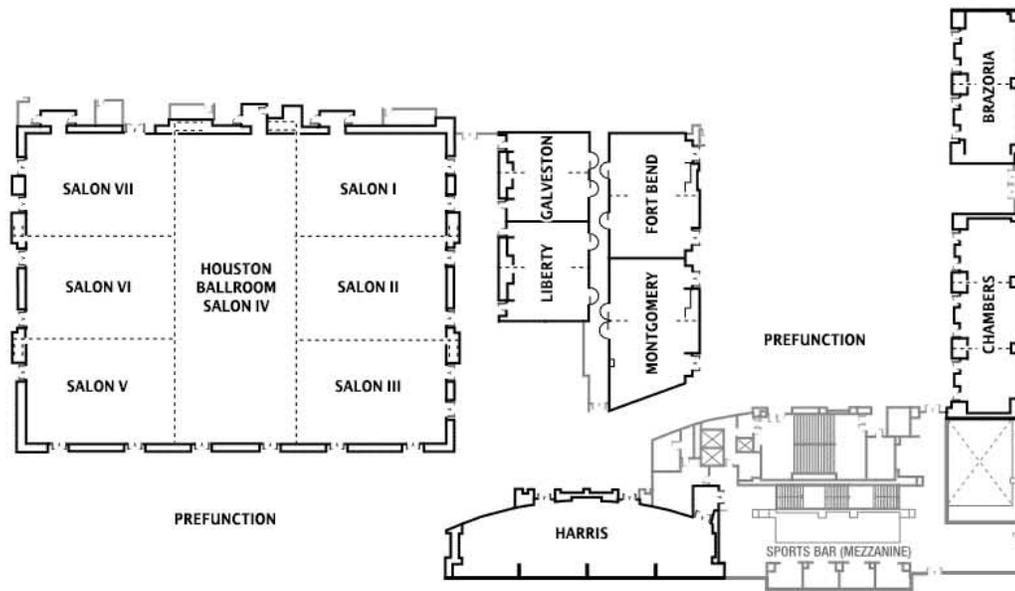
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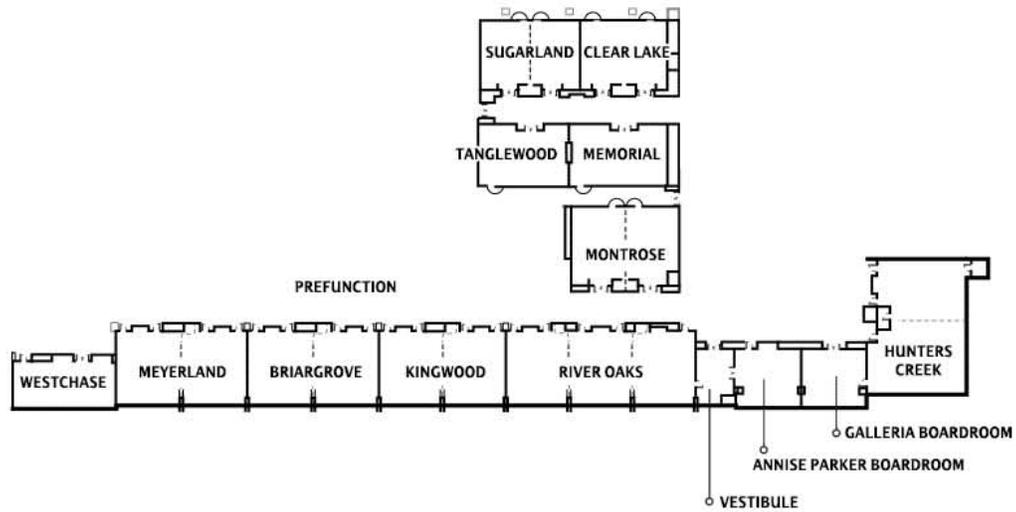
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