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STATE BAR OF TEXAS



Welcome to the 2019 State Bar of Texas Annual Meeting. Thank you for joining your fellow bar members in Austin for two days of informative CLE sessions and networking events.

This year we're celebrating the 80th anniversary of the State Bar's creation in 1939 granting Texas lawyers the privilege of self-governance that continues to this day.

Keynoting this occasion will be three outstanding speakers: Dan Rather of News and Guts, award-winning author and reporter Wil Haygood, and former FBI agent Asha Rangappa, who is a senior lecturer at Yale University and CNN contributor.

The technology-focused Adaptable Lawyer track returns again this year, including the popular "60 Apps in 60 Minutes" and "Adaptable Lawyer Talks" sessions. The State Bar will swear in a new president, Houston lawyer Randy Sorrels. And as usual, we will honor 50-year lawyers by recognizing Texas attorneys licensed in 1969—including yours truly. You'll find information on these and many other special events within these pages.

Our gratitude is due to the exhibitors and sponsors who help make this event possible each year. You will not regret taking a few moments during the meeting to visit their booths to learn about their products and how they can enhance your practice.

This event is the result of the hard work of a devoted team. I extend my thanks to everyone on the 2019 Annual Meeting Committee, led by co-chairs Karen Burgess of Austin and Cliff Gunter of Houston. A special thanks goes out to all of the other volunteers and staff who have worked so hard to put this meeting together.

Thank you for attending—and also for the opportunity to serve as your president for the past year.

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On behalf of the City of Austin, and as a fellow lawyer, I welcome you to the Annual State Bar of Texas Meeting. We are thrilled to host each of you in our beautiful city, the capital of Texas, and the Live Music Capital of the World!

Some quick facts about us: Austin is now the 11th largest city in America. We are ranked as one of the top cities to start a business, raise a family, and to have fun! We are home to the University of Texas at Austin, St. Edward's University, and Huston-Tillotson University, a historically black college with roots dating back to 1875.

This is a magical town. While you're here make sure to take out a boat or paddleboard on beautiful Lady Bird Lake, catch a show at the Paramount Theatre or the Long Center for Performing Arts, or explore Zilker Park, home to the Austin City Limits festival. Grab a taco and cool off in Barton Springs or take in views from Mount Bonnell or the 360 Bridge. And if you are headed downtown for a night of live music, you might make a stop on Congress Avenue. Austin is home to 1.5 million bats that can be viewed flying out from under Congress Bridge at dusk!

But Austin is a whole lot more than great food, natural beauty and good music. Take a tour at the LBJ library where you can experience the presidency in the '60s and hear LBJ's phone call to Jackie Kennedy right after her husband's assassination. Take a guided segway tour of our state capitol or visit the Bob Bullock Museum and learn about the history of the great state of Texas.

We hope that you can carve out your own Austin experience during your short stay. You'll be walking away with a stomach full of barbecue and breakfast tacos, with new Austin music for your playlists and a weekend full of stories to tell your colleagues.

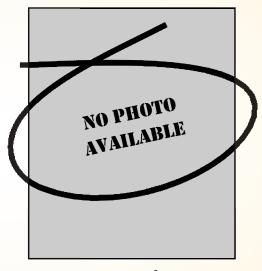
Sincerely,

Steve Adler Mayor

Don't be a name without a face.



Jack Smith Attorney at Law



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Attorney at Law

Don't let this happen to you!

We are taking portraits at the Annual Meeting, free of charge.

Your portrait will be added to your attorney profile on TexasBar.com.

If you have not yet scheduled an appointment, please stop by Griffin Hall.



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Join the Conversation on Social Media!

Add **#sbot19** to your Annual Meeting social media posts to share your experience and join the conversation online. Search for **#sbot19** 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 13, and Friday, June 14.

Be on hand for the drawings! Only registered Annual Meeting attendees are eligible.

Exhibit Hours

Exhibits will be conveniently located on the 2nd floor of the JW Marriott — be sure to visit our great lineup of exhibitors!

Wednesday, June 12 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Thursday, June 13 7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Friday, June 14 7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Free Continental Breakfast

Enjoy a FREE continental breakfast on Thursday, June 13, in the

JW Marriott –

2nd – 4th Level Foyers

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Registration and Exhibit Hours

JW Marriott - 2nd and 4th Levels

 Wednesday, June 12
 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

 Thursday, June 13
 7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

 Friday, June 14
 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 174046503. 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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JW Marriott - Registration Desk, Griffin Hall

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Refreshment Breaks

Included in registration!
Thursday and Friday • 3:15 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

JW Marriott - 2nd - 4th 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!

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**

Business Center

JW Marriott

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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 13

Annual Meeting Continental Breakfast 7:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. 2nd – 4th Level Foyers

Bar Leaders
Recognition Luncheon
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.
.75 hour

JW Grand Ballroom 5-8 (4th Level)

Friday, June 14

Bench Bar Breakfast 7:30 a.m. – 8:45 a.m. .75 hour

Lone Star Ballroom A-D (3rd Level)

General Session Luncheon 12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. .75 hour

JW Grand Ballroom 5–8 (4th Level)

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Time	Topic/Hours	Sponsor/Track	Room
7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Registration	Registration	2 nd Level, Griffin Hall
7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Exhibits Open	Exhibits	2 nd , 3 rd , & 4 th Level Foyers
7:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Continental Breakfast	Texas Lawyers' Insurance Exchange	2 nd , 3 rd , & 4 th Level Foyers
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Advertising Rules and Social Media 1 hour (1 ethics)	Early Morning Ethics	Room 301-302
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Implicit Bias and Legal Ethics – What You Need to Know 1 hour (1 ethics)	Early Morning Ethics	Lone Star Ballroom C
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	How Technology Impacts Lawyers' Mental Health and What to Do About It 1 hour (1 ethics)	Early Morning Ethics	Room 303–304
7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Prayer Breakfast (Ticket Required)	Christian Legal Society	Room 208
8:00 a.m. – 8:15 a.m.	Aviation Law Section Council Meeting (Private Event)	Aviation Law Section	Room 202
8:00 a.m. – 8:15 a.m.	General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm Section Council Meeting (Private Event)	General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm Section	Lone Star Ballroom A-B
8:15 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm Section Membership Meeting (Private Event)	General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm Section	Lone Star Ballroom A-B
8:15 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Current and Future Legal Issues in International Space Law .75 hour	Aviation Law Section	Room 202
8:30 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	Legislative Update .75 hour	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
8:30 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	Joint Venturing Cases: Referrals, Multiple Firms, and Splitting Fees .75 hour	General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm Section	Lone Star Ballroom A-B
8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Family Immigration Overview and Best Practices 1 hour	Immigration and Nationality Law Section	Room 201
8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Texas Access to Justice Commission's Poverty Simulation 3.5 hours (2.25 ethics)	Poverty Law Section	Room 408–409
9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Antitrust and Business Litigation Section Membership Meeting and Elections (Private Event)	Antitrust and Business Litigation Section	Room 303–304
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Keynote Address: The Science of Speaking 1 hour	Adaptable Lawyer Track	JW Grand Ballroom 3–4
9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Drones: Privacy Implications and Evolving Regulatory Landscape <i>.75 hour</i>	Aviation Law Section	Room 202
9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Case Law Update .75 hour	Child Protection Law Section	Room 209
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Update on Affirmative Action and Current Impacts in Texas 1 hour	Diversity Forum – Sponsored by the African– American Lawyers, Asian Pacific Interest, Hispanic Issues, LGBT Law, Native American Law, and Women and the Law Sections	Brazos
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	The Impact of the New Ethics of Human Rights on International Business 1 hour (1 ethics)	International Law Section	Room 305
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Texas Lawyers Auxiliary Board Meeting and Installation (Private Event)	Texas Lawyers Auxiliary	Room 402
9:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Cybersecurity Update .5 hour (.25 ethics)	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
9:15 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Tax Reform: What Lawyers Need to Know for Their Clients and Their Practice .75 hour	General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm Section	Lone Star Ballroom A-B

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Time	Topic/Hours	Sponsor/Track	Room
9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Antitrust in the Amazon Era: Hipster Antitrust, Consumer Welfare, and the Future of Antitrust Theory 1.5 hours	Antitrust and Business Litigation Section	Room 303-304
9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Employment-Based Immigration Update 1 hour	Immigration and Nationality Law Section	Room 201
9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Law Focused Education Committee Meeting	Law Focused Education Committee	Room 205
9:45 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	The Texas Legal Legends Project .25 hour	Litigation Section and Texas Young Lawyers Association	Room 203–204
9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Associate Judges in CPS Cases: Emergencies, Rulings, Authority and De Novo Appeals .5 hour	Child Protection Law Section	Room 209
9:45 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Social Media Law Update .75 hour (.5 ethics)	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Texas Legal Legends Induction .5 hour	Litigation Section and Texas Young Lawyers Association	Room 203–204
10:00 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Ethics in Aviation: The GC's Perspective .75 hour (.75 ethics)	Aviation Law Section	Room 202
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Representing Diverse Clients: Issues of Culture, Disability, and Lifestyle 1 hour (1 ethics)	Adaptable Lawyer Track	JW Grand Ballroom 3–4
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Threats to Diversity on the Horizon 1 hour	Diversity Forum – Sponsored by the African– American Lawyers, Asian Pacific Interest, Hispanic Issues, LGBT Law, Native American Law, and Women and the Law Sections	Brazos
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	What Every Lawyer Should Know about Water Law 1 hour	Environmental and Natural Resources Law Section	Room 301-302
10:15 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Legislative Update .75 hour	Child Protection Law Section	Room 209
10:15 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Fiduciary and Tracing Issues in Probate and Family Law Litigation .75 hour	General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm Section	Lone Star Ballroom D
10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Doing Business in Canada 1 hour	International Law Section	Room 305
10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Update on Legal Opinions .5 hour (.25 ethics)	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	2019 Texas Legislature and Proposals Related to Immigration <i>1 hour</i>	Immigration and Nationality Law Section	Room 201
10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Texas Legal Legends Panel 1 hour (.5 ethics)	Litigation Section and Texas Young Lawyers Association	Room 203–204
10:45 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	The Broadening of the Air Charter Market – Comments from DOT on Its New Air Charter Broker Rules .75 hour	Aviation Law Section	Room 202
11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Child Protection Law Section Membership Meeting (Private Event)	Child Protection Law Section	Room 209
11:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Speaking to a Mirror? The Changing Face of the American Juror .75 hour	Adaptable Lawyer Track	JW Grand Ballroom 3–4
11:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Privacy Law in America – Changes Coming .75 hour	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
11:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Moving the Needle: Examining the Progress Made in Diversifying the Legal Profession .75 hour	Diversity Forum – Sponsored by the African– American Lawyers, Asian Pacific Interest, Hispanic Issues, LGBT Law, Native American Law, and Women and the Law Sections	Brazos
11:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	A View From the Bench: Simple Things Everyone Does Wrong .75 hour	General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm Section	Lone Star Ballroom A-B

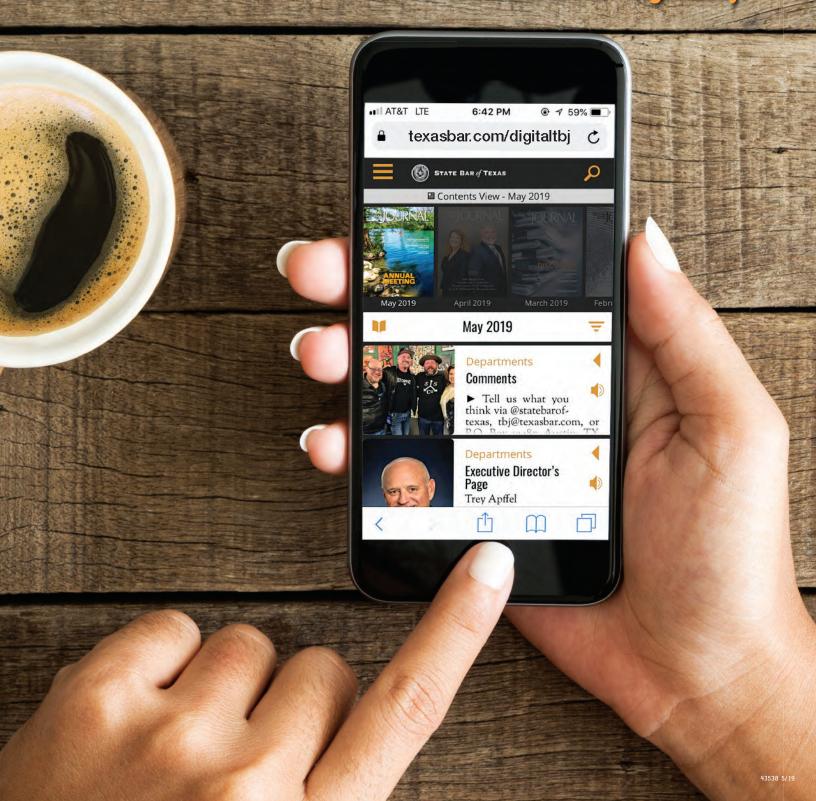
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11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Scholarship Presentation & Recipient Speech	Aviation Law Section	Room 202
11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Immigration and Nationality Section Council Meeting (Private Event)	Immigration and Nationality Law Section	Room 201
11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	International Law Section Membership Meeting (Private Event)	International Law Section	Room 305
11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Labor and Employment Law Section Council Meeting and Lunch (Private Event)	Labor and Employment Law Section	Room 205
11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Computer and Technology Section Membership Meeting (Private Event)	Computer and Technology Section	JW Grand Ballroom 3-4
11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Corporate Counsel Pro Bono Award Presentation and the Texas Access to Justice Update .25 hour (.25 ethics)	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Aviation Law Section Membership Meeting (Private Event)	Aviation Law Section	Room 202
12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Entertainment and Sports Law Section Council Meeting (Private Event)	Entertainment and Sports Law Section	Room 303–304
12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Immigration and Nationality Law Section Membership Meeting (Private Event)	Immigration and Nationality Law Section	Room 201
12:30 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Entertainment and Sports Law Section Membership Meeting (Private Event)	Entertainment and Sports Law Section	Room 303–304
12:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.	Business Law Section Council Luncheon (Private Event)	Business Law Section	Room 208
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Bar Leaders Recognition Luncheon .75 hour	Bar Leaders Recognition Luncheon – Sponsored by the Litigation Section	JW Grand Ballroom 5–8
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	When Good Festivals Go Bad and Other Legal Issues Surrounding Live Music Performances <i>1 hour</i>	Entertainment and Sports Law Section	Room 303–304
1:25 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Family Law Section Welcoming Remarks	Family Law Section	Brazos
1:30 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.	Labor and Employment Law Section Membership Meeting (Private Event)	Labor and Employment Law Section	Room 213
1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	When Divorce Turns Civil: Litigating Business and Estate Planning Issues in Family Law .5 hour	Family Law Section	Brazos
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Employment Law Update 1 hour	Hispanic Issues Section	Room 404
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Legislative Update 1 hour	Justice of the Peace Courts Section	Room 202
1:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	The Free Press Free–for–All: Rethinking the First Amendment in the Age of Twitter .75 hour	Litigation Section and Texas Young Lawyers Association	Room 203–204
1:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Adaptable Lawyer Talks: Lawyers Reinventing Themselves 1.25 hours	Adaptable Lawyer Track	JW Grand Ballroom 3–4
1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Barristers on a Budget: Modern Day Guide to Running a Law Practice 1.5 hours	African-American Lawyers Section	Room 209
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Ethical Considerations Involving the Use of Translators in the Legal Practice 1 hour (.5 ethics)	Asian Pacific Interest Section	Room 407
1:45 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	Update on Electronic Notarizations .5 hour	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
1:45 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	The Texas Citizens Participation Act (Anti–SLAPP) in Employment: A Case Update .75 hour	Labor and Employment Law Section	Room 213

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2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Trusts: The Intersection of Family Law and Estate Planning/Tax Law .5 hour	Family Law Section	Brazos
2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Austin FC – The Inception of an MLS Franchise 1 hour	Entertainment and Sports Law Section	Room 303-304
2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Identifying and Overcoming Obstacles and Stereotypes 1.5 hours	Women and the Law Section	Room 408–409
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Texas Local LGBT Bar Association Affiliates Congress	LGBT Law Section	Room 505
2:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	2019 Amendments to Texas Business Organizations Code .5 hour	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
2:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	To Guantánamo: It Is Not About Them; It Is About Us . <i>75 hour</i>	Litigation Section and Texas Young Lawyers Association	Room 203–204
2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Technology Issues in Family Law .5 hour	Family Law Section	Brazos
2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Immigration and Employment .5 hour	Labor and Employment Law Section	Room 213
2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Asian Pacific Interest Section Membership Meeting (Private Event)	Asian Pacific Interest Section	Room 407
2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Construction Law Section Council Meeting (Private Event)	Construction Law Section	Room 402
2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Immigration Law Update 1 hour	Hispanic Issues Section	Room 404
2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	The Justice of the Peace: One Robe, Many Hats 1 hour	Justice of the Peace Courts Section	Room 202
2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Judicial Section Board Meeting (Private Event)	Judicial Section	Room 406
2:45 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Emerging Technologies in Appellate Practice .5 hour	Adaptable Lawyer Track	JW Grand Ballroom 3–4
2:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	M&A – Ethical Overview 1 hour (1 ethics)	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Jurisdiction in Family Law Cases .5 hour	Family Law Section	Brazos
3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Civil Rights and Liberties: Lawyers and Advocacy in an Era of Fake News and Resistance .5 hour	Litigation Section and Texas Young Lawyers Association	Room 203–204
3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	African–American Lawyers Section Membership Meeting (Private Event)	African-American Lawyers Section	Room 209
3:00 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	McDonald v. Longley & Other Challenges to Mandatory Bars	State Bar of Texas	Room 301-302
3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	What Kanye Can Teach Us About Litigation 1 hour	Entertainment and Sports Law Section	Room 303-304
3:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Employment Law (State) Update .75 hour	Labor and Employment Law Section	Room 213
3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Justice of the Peace Courts Section Membership Meeting (Private Event)	Justice of the Peace Courts Section	Room 202
3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Mental Health & Wellness for Lawyers .5 hour (.5 ethics)	Hispanic Issues Section	Room 404
3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	A Conversation about Judicial Selection 1 hour	Litigation Section and Texas Young Lawyers Association	Room 203–204
3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Women and the Law Section Council and Membership Meetings and Awards Presentation	Women and the Law Section	Room 408–409
3:30 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.	Legislative Update .75 hour	Construction Law Section	Room 201
3:45 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.	Marital Agreements .5 hour	Family Law Section	Brazos
3:45 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	M&A Transactions that Everyone Should Know .75 hour	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2

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3:45 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.	60 Apps in 60 Minutes 1 hour	Adaptable Lawyer Track	JW Grand Ballroom 3–4
4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Legislative Update .5 hour	Hispanic Issues Section	Room 404
4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Employment Law (Federal) Update .5 hour	Labor and Employment Law Section	Room 213
4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	2018–2019 LeadershipSBOT Awards Ceremony	LeadershipSBOT	Room 208
4:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Construction Law Section Membership Meeting (Private Event)	Construction Law Section	Room 201
4:15 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.	Mediation in Family Law Cases .5 hour	Family Law Section	Brazos
4:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Hispanic Issues Section Membership Meeting	Hispanic Issues Section	Room 404
4:30 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.	Tax Law Update – State and Federal .75 hour	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
5:15 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.	Business Law Section and Corporate Counsel Section Membership Meetings (Private Event)	Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Justice of the Peace Courts Reception	Justice of the Peace Courts Section	Room 407
5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Access to Justice Reception	Access to Justice Commission	Room 303-304
5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Asian Pacific Interest Section Reception	Asian Pacific Interest Section	Offsite – Wu Chow
5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Construction Law Section Reception	Construction Law Section	Offsite
5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Tax Section Reception	Tax Section	4 th Level Pre—function East
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Friends of Bill W. Meeting	Friends of Bill W.	Room 505
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Baylor Law School Reception	Baylor Law School	Room 205
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Hispanic Issues Section Reception	Hispanic Issues Section	Room 207
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Intellectual Property Law Section Reception	Intellectual Property Law Section	Room 213
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	South Texas College of Law Houston Reception	South Texas College of Law Houston	Room 406
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Southern Methodist University Dedman School of Law Reception	Southern Methodist University Dedman School of Law	Offsite – Max's Wine Dive
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	St. Mary's University School of Law Reception	St. Mary's University School of Law	Room 401
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Texas A&M University School of Law Reception	Texas A&M University School of Law	Room 402
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	Room 209
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Texas Tech University School of Law Reception	Texas Tech University School of Law	Room 408–409
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Tweet and Greet	Adaptable Lawyer Track – Co-sponsored by texasbar.com and the Computer and Technology Section	Corner Restaurant – JW Marriott
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	University of Houston Law Center Reception	University of Houston Law Center	Room 403
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	University of Texas School of Law Reception	University of Texas School of Law	Brazos
5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	African–American Lawyers Section Reception	African–American Lawyers Section	Offsite – Mr. Catfish
5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	LGBT Law Section Reception	LGBT Law Section	Offsite – Baker Botts L.L.P.
6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Women and the Law Section and Texas Women Lawyers Reception	Women and the Law Section	Offsite – Max's Black Door Wine Lounge (Underground)
7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Presidents' Party Reception (Ticket Required)	Presidents' Party	Lone Star Ballroom A–D
8:00 p.m. – 11:30 p.m.	Presidents' Party Dinner and Dance (Ticket Required)	Presidents' Party	Lone Star Ballroom A–D

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7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Registration	Registration	2 nd Level, Griffin Hall
7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Exhibits Open	Exhibits	2 nd , 3 rd , & 4 th Level Foyers
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Intellectual Property Law Section Council Breakfast (Private Event)	Intellectual Property Law Section	Room 401
7:30 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	Bench Bar Breakfast .75 hour	Bench Bar Breakfast	Lonestar Ballroom A–D
8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Collaborative Law Section Council Meeting (Private Event)	Collaborative Law Section	Room 209
8:30 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	Tax Section Membership Meeting and Awards	Tax Section	Brazos
8:40 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	Intellectual Property Law Section Welcoming Remarks	Intellectual Property Section	Room 203–204
8:40 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	Law Practice Management Section Welcoming Remarks	Law Practice Management Section	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
8:45 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	LGBT Law Section Welcome and Announcements	LGBT Law Section	Room 303-304
8:45 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Get Paid! Have a Life .75 hour (.25 ethics)	Law Practice Management	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
8:45 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Patent Law Update 1 hr (.25 ethics)	Intellectual Property Law Section	Room 203–204
9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Texas Supreme Court and Fifth Circuit Update .75 hour	Appellate and Civil Liberties & Civil Rights Sections	Room 205
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Keynote: Opportunity in the Accelerating Pace of Innovation <i>1 hour</i>	Adaptable Lawyer Track	Room 201–202
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Special Immigrant Juvenile Status (SIJS): Considerations for State Court Practitioners Representing Undocumented Children in Texas 1 hour	African–American Lawyers Section	Room 207
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Immigrants in the Military — A Vital National Interest <i>1 hour</i>	Military and Veterans Law Section	Room 208
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Open Government Law: Vaccine for "Fake News" or Sometime Pathogen? <i>1 hour</i>	Open Government Seminar	Room 301–302
9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	LGBT Judicial Ethics 1.25 hours (1.25 ethics)	LGBT Law Section	Room 303–304
9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Conscious Contracting: Building More Satisfying, Resilient Contracts Through Interest—Based Negotiations—An Innovative Contract Drafting Tool 2 hours	Collaborative Law Section	Room 209
9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Oil, Gas, and Energy Resources Law Section Council Meeting (Private Event)	Oil, Gas, and Energy Resources Law Section	Room 406
9:15 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	The United States of America – Our National Debt, Our Annual Deficits and the Increasing Risks They Pose – What Can Be Done About Them .75 hour	Tax Section	Brazos
9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	The Ethical Re-Tooling of Your Practice .5 hour (.5 ethics)	Law Practice Management	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Judicial Update: How the Recent Session Will Affect the Courts .5 hour	Legislative Update	JW Grand Ballroom 3–4

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9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Digital Privacy Rights .5 hour (.25 ethics)	Appellate and Civil Liberties & Civil Rights Sections	Room 205
9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	IP Issues in Community Property Law .5 hour	Intellectual Property Law Section	Room 203–204
10:00 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Legislative Update – Litigation .75 hour	Legislative Update	JW Grand Ballroom 3–4
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	15 Tech Cases and Statutes Every Lawyer Should Know About 1 hour	Adaptable Lawyer Track	Room 201–202
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Bankruptcy for the Non–Bankruptcy Practitioner: How to Prevent Disgorgement of Fees and Automatic Stay 101 <i>1 hour</i>	African–American Lawyers Section	Room 207
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Municipal Judges Section Membership Meeting (Private Event)	Municipal Judges Section	Room 409
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Legislative Update: Trends in Open Government 1 hour	Open Government Seminar	Room 301-302
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Professional Responsibility Concerns for Military and Civilian Attorneys in Contested Cases Involving Art. 120 UCMJ <i>1 hour</i>	Military and Veterans Law Section	Room 208
10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Law Student Division Membership Meeting (Invitation Only)	Law Student Division	Room 405
10:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Corporate Constitutional Rights .5 hour (.25 ethics)	Appellate and Civil Liberties & Civil Rights Sections	Room 205
10:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Trade Secrets: Filing and Defending Against Anti–SLAPP Motions in Trade–Secret Misappropriation Cases .5 hour	Intellectual Property Law Section	Room 203–204
10:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Spilling the Texas Tea: A Legislative Update .5 hour	LGBT Law Section	Room 303–304
10:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Business Succession Planning Made Easy .5 hour (.25 ethics)	Law Practice Management	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Federal Tax Update 1 hour	Tax Section	Brazos
10:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Malpractice Insurance: A Primer .5 hour (.25 ethics)	Law Practice Management	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
10:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Legislative Update – Insurance Law .5 hour	Legislative Update	JW Grand Ballroom 3–4
10:45 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	U.S. Supreme Court Update .75 hour	Appellate and Civil Liberties & Civil Rights Sections	Room 205
10:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Criminal Counterfeiting 1 hour	Intellectual Property Law Section	Room 203–204
10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	50–Year Lawyers Reception (Invitation Only)	50-Year Lawyers	Room 402–403
10:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Implicit Bias — Building Awareness and Overcoming Obstacles 1.25 hours (.5 ethics)	LGBT Law Section	Room 303-304
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Ethical Issues with Technology in the Courtroom 1 hour	Adaptable Lawyer Track	Room 201–202
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Privacy Considerations for Legal Practitioners: Protecting Client Confidentiality in the Era of Growing Technology Dependency 1 hour (.5 ethics)	African–American Lawyers Section	Room 207
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Handling Sexual Assault in the Military and on the University Campus 1 hour	Military and Veterans Law Section	Room 208
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Trends: A Snapshot of the 86 th Texas Legislature 1 hour	Municipal Judges Section	Room 409

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11:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Online Advertising .75 hour	Law Practice Management	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
11:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Legislative Update – Family Law .75 hour	Legislative Update	JW Grand Ballroom 3–4
11:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Penalties Above 20%: What Are They, When Are They Applied, and How Do You Defend .75 hour	Tax Section	Brazos
11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	You Gotta Fight, For Your Right: The Pledge of Allegiance in the Classroom, the Courtroom, and the Locker Room. 5 hour (.25 ethics)	Appellate and Civil Liberties & Civil Rights Sections	Room 205
11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Collaborative Law Section Membership Meeting (Private Event)	Collaborative Law Section	Room 209
11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Oil, Gas, and Energy Resources Law Section Past Chairs' Luncheon (Private Event)	Oil, Gas, and Energy Resources Law Section	Offsite
11:45 a.m. – 1:15 p.m.	Intellectual Property Law Section Awards Luncheon and Membership Meeting (Ticket Required)	Intellectual Property Law Section	Room 211–212
12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Tax Section Buffet Luncheon Service (Ticket Required)	Tax Section	Brazos
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	General Session Luncheon .75 hour	General Session Luncheon	JW Grand Ballroom 5–8
12:30 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Consumer and Commercial Law Section Council Meeting (Private Event)	Consumer and Commercial Law Section	Room 301–302
12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Tax Section Lunch Session: Interview of Larry A. Campagna <i>1 hour</i>	Tax Section	Brazos
1:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Consumer and Commercial Law Section Membership Meeting	Consumer and Commercial Law Section	Room 301-302
1:00 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.	Legislative and Ethics Update from the 86 th Legislative Session .75 hour	Legislative and Campaign Law Section	Room 205
1:00 p.m 2:00 p.m.	Animal Law Section Membership Meeting	Animal Law Section	Room 210
1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Trademark Protection and Registration Strategy for Marks Relating to Cannabis/Cannabidiol (CBD) .5 hour (.25 ethics)	Intellectual Property Law Section	Room 203–204
1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	3 rd Party Financing for Litigation — Not Just for PI Anymore .5 hour	Law Practice Management	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
1:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	DTPA and Consumer Arbitration Update .75 hour	Consumer and Commercial Law Section	Room 301-302
1:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	Texas Court of Criminal Appeals Update .75 hour	Criminal Justice Section	Room 209
1:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	Legislative Update – Real Estate Law .75 hour	Legislative Update	JW Grand Ballroom 3–4
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	60 Tech Tips in 60 Minutes 1 hour	Adaptable Lawyer Track	Room 201–202
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	The Criminalization of Free Speech in the Military 1 hour	Military and Veterans Law Section	Room 208
1:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Federal Policies & Courts Under Trump 1.25 hours	LGBT Law Section	Room 303-304
1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Real World Application of the 2018 Grievance Rule Amendments 1.5 hours (1.5 ethics)	Native American Law Section	Room 213
1:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Oil, Gas and Energy Resources Law Section Membership Meeting (Private Event)	Oil, Gas and Energy Resources Law Section	Room 406
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1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	How Settlements and Judgments Impact Your Client's Public Benefits 2 hours (2 ethics)	Poverty Law Section	Room 409
1:45 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	State and Federal Trends in Election Law 1 hour	Legislative and Campaign Law Section	Room 205
1:45 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	It Still Takes A Village: Balancing Professionalism, Privileges and Advocacy in Tax Controversies 1 hour	Tax Section	Brazos
2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Professionalism in the Courtroom .5 hour (.5 ethics)	Intellectual Property Law Section	Room 203–204
2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	The Modern File Clerk: How to Document .5 hour	Law Practice Management	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
2:00 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Animal Seizures under Texas Law .75 hour	Animal Law Section	Room 210
2:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Assisting Clients with ID Theft Issues .75 hour (.25 ethics)	Consumer and Commercial Law	Room 301–302
2:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Is There Meat in Those Beans? The 2019 Texas Estate and Trust Legislative Update .75 hour	Legislative Update	JW Grand Ballroom 3–4
2:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Extraneous Offenses .75 hour	Criminal Justice Section	Room 209
2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Sovereign Immunity: Infringements, Licensing and Music Waivers .5 hour (.5 ethics)	Intellectual Property Law Section	Room 203–204
2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Al in Practice, Law Firm Cybersecurity, and the Shifting Regulatory Landscape <i>1 hour</i>	Adaptable Lawyer Track	Room 201–202
2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Representing Mentally III Veterans 1 hour	Military and Veterans Law Section	Room 208
2:45 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	The LINK between Animal Abuse and Interpersonal Violence .5 hour	Animal Law Section	Room 210
2:45 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Gay and Trans Panic: Is it a Defense? .5 hour	LGBT Law Section	Room 303-304
2:45 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Ethical Use of Contract Lawyers .5 hour (.5 ethics)	Law Practice Management	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
2:45 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	What Corporate Counsel Need to Know About Government Relations .5 hour	Legislative and Campaign Law Section	Room 205
2:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	South Dakota v. Wayfair—Where Are We Now? 1 hour	Tax Section	Brazos
3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Architectural Copyrights .5 hour	Intellectual Property Law Section	Room 203–204
3:00 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	Expunctions and Nondisclosure .75 hour	Criminal Justice Section	Room 209
3:00 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	Update on Indian Child Welfare Act .75 hour	Native American Law Section	Room 213
3:15 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Legislative and Campaign Law Section Membership Meeting (Private Event)	Legislative and Campaign Law Section	Room 205
3:15 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	Consumer Law Legislative Update .5 hour	Consumer and Commercial Law	Room 301-302
3:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Service and Emotional Support Animals .75 hour	Animal Law Section	Room 210
3:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Navigating the New Grievance Rules .75 hour (.75 ethics)	Law Practice Management	JW Grand Ballroom 1–2
3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Battle of the Brands: Bands in IP – Music Industry .5 hour	Intellectual Property Law Section	Room 203–204

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3:30 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.	Masterpiece Cakeshop: What It Really Means and How It's Being Used .75 hour	LGBT Law Section	Room 303–304
3:45 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.	Consumer Reporting: Who has Your Personal Data? Is it Accurate? What Can You Do About it? .5 hour	Consumer and Commercial Law Section	Room 301–302
3:45 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Legislative Update – Criminal .75 hour	Criminal Justice Section	Room 209
3:45 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Federal Indian Law Update .75 hour	Native American Law Section	Room 213
4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Legislative Update .5 hour	Animal Law Section	Room 210
4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	The Latest and the Greatest in Property Tax 1 hour	Tax Section	Brazos
4:15 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.	Post-Judgment Collection Defense .5 hour	Consumer and Commercial Law Section	Room 301–302
4:15 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	The Paradox of Bodily Autonomy: Sex Conforming Surgeries and Circumcision .75 hour	LGBT Law Section	Room 303–304
4:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Native American Law Section Membership Meeting (Private Event)	Native American Law Section	Room 213
5:00 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.	LGBT Law Section Membership Meeting (Private Event)	LGBT Law Section	Room 303–304
5:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	TYLA Annual Meeting and Reception	Texas Young Lawyers Association	JW Grand Ballroom 5
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Friends of Bill W. Meeting	Friends of Bill W.	Room 505
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	James C. Watson Inn Reception	James C. Watson Inn	Room 209
6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	LGBT Law Section Reception	LGBT Law Section	Offsite–Private Residence
6:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Texas Bar Foundation VIP Reception (Invitation Only)	Texas Bar Foundation	Lone Star Ballroom F–G
6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	Texas Bar Foundation Annual Dinner Reception (Invitation Only)	Texas Bar Foundation	Lone Star Ballroom Pre–Function
7:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m.	Texas Bar Foundation Annual Dinner and Dance (Invitation Only)	Texas Bar Foundation	Lone Star Ballroom A–E
10:00 p.m. – 1:00 a.m.	TYLA Joseph M. Pritchard Inn Midnight Mambo	Texas Young Lawyers Association	JW Grand Ballroom 3–4

SATURDAY, JUNE 15

Time	Topic/Hours	Sponsor/Track	
8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	State Bar of Texas Past Presidents' Breakfast (Invitation Only)	State Bar of Texas	Room 210
8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	TYLA Past Presidents' Breakfast (Invitation Only)	Texas Young Lawyers Association	Room 209
10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	TYLA New Directors Orientation (Invitation Only)	Texas Young Lawyers Association	Room 201-202

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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: Implicit Bias and Legal Ethics – What You Need to Know – Lone Star Ballroom C 1 hour (1 ethics)

Hon. Audrey Moorehead, *Dallas* Judge, County Criminal Court 3, Dallas County

Jonathan Smaby, *Austin* Texas Center for Legal Ethics

Track 2: Advertising Rules & Social Media – Room 301-302 1 hour (1 ethics)

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

Track 3: How Technology Impacts Lawyers' Mental Health and What to Do About It – Room 303-304 1 hour (1 ethics)

Chris Ritter, JD, M.Ed., Austin State Bar of Texas, Texas Lawyers' Assistance Program

Diana Reinhart, JD, MA, LMFT, Austin Embark Counseling

Prayer Breakfast—Room 208

7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Christian Legal Society Prayer Breakfast

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Texas Lawyers Auxiliary— Room 402

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Board Meeting and Installation (Private Event)

Adaptable Lawyer Track—

JW Grand Ballroom 3-4

In cooperation with the Computer and Technology Section

9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Welcome and Keynote: The Science of Speaking 1 hour

Noah Zandan, *Austin* Quantified Communications

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Representing Diverse Clients: Issues of Culture, Disability, and Lifestyle 1 hour (1 ethics)

Rocky Dhir, *Dallas* Atlas Legal Research

Nicole LeBoeuf, *Dallas* LeBoeuf Law, PLLC

Michelle Cheng, *Austin*Whitehurst Harkness Brees Cheng
Alsaffar Higginbotham & Jacob, PLLC

Lia Davis, *Austin* Disability Rights Texas

Jacob M. Monty, *Houston*Monty & Ramirez LLP

11:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

Speaking to a Mirror? The Changing Face of the American Juror .75 hour

Kacy Miller, M.Ed., Dallas
CourtroomLogic Consulting, LLC

11:45 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Computer & Technology Section Membership Meeting

1:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.

Adaptable Lawyer Talks: Lawyers Reinventing Themselves 1.25 hours

Sammetria L. Goodson, *Dallas* Goodson Law PLLC

Teri Danish, Port Isabel and Somewhere in The Bahamas Contract Attorney/Legal Consultant, Fitness Coach, and Sailor

Shruti Krishnan, *Dallas* Tabletop Media, LLC dba Ziosk

2:45 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.

Emerging Technologies in Appellate Practice .5 hour

Don Cruse, Austin
Law Office of Don Cruse

3:45 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

60 Apps in 60 Minutes 1 hour

Mark I. Unger, San Antonio The Unger Law Firm PC

Michael Curran, Austin Michael Curran, P.C.

Michael D. Peck, *Flatonia* Law Offices of Michael D. Peck

5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Tweet and Greet – Corner Restaurant

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The Adaptable Lawyer Track continues Friday morning

African-American Lawyers Section—Room 209

1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Barristers on a Budget: Modern Day Guide to Running a Law Practice 1.5 hours

Jaclyn Y. Roberson, *San Antonio* Law Office of Jaclyn Y. Roberson

Artessia House, San Antonio Tess House Law, PLLC

3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Reception - Offsite - Mr. Catfish

The African-American Lawyers Section programming continues Friday morning

Antitrust and Business Litigation Section—Room 303-304

9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

Section Membership Meeting and **Elections**

9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Antitrust in the Amazon Era: The New Brandeis Movement, Consumer Welfare, and the Future of Antitrust Theory 1.5 hours

Sandeep Vaheesan, Washington, D.C. The Open Markets Institute

Elyse Dorsey, *Washington*, *D.C.*Office of Commissioner Noah
Joshua Phillips

Asian Pacific Interest Section— Room 407

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Ethical Considerations Involving the Use of Translators in the Legal Practice

1 hour (.5 ethics)

Richard Jung, *Austin*Duggins Wren Mann & Romero, LLP

Hon. Chari Kelly, *Austin* Texas Third Court of Appeals

Ricardo Salazar, *San Antonio* Ad Hoc Lingua

2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

5:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Reception - Offsite - Wu Chow

Aviation Law Section— Room 202

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8:00 a.m. - 8:15 a.m.

Section Council Meeting (Private Event)

Bar Leaders Recognition Luncheon Featuring Dan Rather,

President & CEO of News and Guts, author of What Unites Us:

Reflections on Patriotism



Dan Rather *Photo courtesy of John Filo

12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Included in Registration!

.75 hour

JW Grand Ballroom 5-8, 4th Level

Guest tickets may be purchased for \$65 at the State Bar Registration Desk

Sponsored by the Litigation Section

8:15 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.

Current and Future Legal Issues in International Space Law .75 hour

Shalem Massey, *Irvine*, *CA*Partner, Bryan Cave Leighton
Paisner LLP

9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

Drones: Privacy Implications and the Evolving Regulatory Landscape .75 hour

Jennifer Trock, Washington, D.C. Partner, Baker McKenzie

10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

Ethics in Aviation: The GC's Perspective .75 hour (.75 ethics)

Moderator:

Bruce Marshall, *Oklahoma City, OK* EVP & General Counsel, AIC Title Service

Panelists:

Mark Shaw, *Dallas*Executive Vice President, Chief
Legal and Regulatory Officer,
Southwest Airlines

Brad Ferrell, *Columbus*, *OH*Executive Vice President and
General Counsel. NetJets

Eric Levenhagen, Minneapolis— St. Paul, MN Chief Administrative Officer & General Counsel, Sun Country Airlines Crystal Gordon, *Houston*SVP, General Counsel & Chief
Administrative Officer, Era Group,
Inc.

10:45 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

The Broadening of the Air Charter Market – Comments From DOT on Its New Air Charter Broker Rules .75 hour

Lisa Swafford-Brooks,
Washington, D.C.
Deputy General Counsel,
Office of Operations, C-60
Office of the General Counsel U.S.
Department of Transportation

11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Scholarship Presentation & Recipient Speech

12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections— JW Grand Ballroom 1-2

8:30 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

Legislative Update .75 hour

Arthur Val Perkins, *Houston* Foley & Lardner LLP

9:15 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

Cybersecurity Update .5 hour (.25 ethics)

Ronald Chichester, *Magnolia* Ronald Chichester, PC

9:45 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Social Media Law Update .75 hour (.5 ethics)

Craig Carpenter, *Dallas* Thompson & Knight

Caitlin Mitchell, *Dallas* The Richards Group

10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. **Update on Legal Opinions** .5 hour (.25 ethics)

> Stephen Tarry, Houston Vinson & Elkins, LLP

11:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

Privacy Law in America – Changes Coming .75 hour

Stephen E. Stein, *Dallas* Thompson & Knight

Raghu Seshadri, *Austin* G.E. Aviation

11:45 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

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

Hon. Eva M. Guzman, *Austin*Justice, Supreme Court of Texas

12:00 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.

Business Law Section Council Luncheon – Room 208 (Private Event)

1:45 p.m. - 2:15 p.m.

Update on Electronic Notarizations .5 hour

Joseph Jacobson, *Dallas*Law Offices of Joseph Jacobson

2:15 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.

2019 Amendments to Texas Business Organizations Code.5 hour

Daryl B. Robertson, *Dallas* Hunton Andrews Kurth

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

M&A – Ethical Overview 1 hour (1 ethics)

Byron Egan, Dallas Jackson Walker, LLP

Brad Whitlock, *Dallas* Scheef & Stone, LLP 3:45 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

M&A Transactions that Everyone Should Know .75 hour

Adrienne Randle Bond, *Houston* Fortitude Management Group, LLC

Howard Nirken, *Austin*Dubois Bryant & Campbell

Matthew B. Wiener, *Houston* Aon | M&A and Transaction Solutions

4:30 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.

Tax Law Update – State and Federal .75 hour

William H. (Willie) Hornberger, *Dallas* Jackson Walker, LLP

Steven D. Moore, Austin Jackson Walker, LLP

5:15 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.

Business Law Section and Corporate Counsel Sections Membership Meetings

Child Protection Law Section — Room 209

9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

Case Law Update .75 hour

Brenda Kinsler, *Austin*Texas Department of Family and
Protective Services

9:45 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

Associate Judges in CPS Cases: Emergencies, Rulings, Authority and De Novo Appeals .5 hour

Sandra Hachem, *Houston* Harris County Attorney's Office

10:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Legislative Update .75 hour

Dylan Moench, *Austin*Texas Department of Family and
Protective Services

11:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Section Membership Meeting

Hon. Debra Lehrmann, *Austin*Justice, Supreme Court of Texas

Construction Law Section— Room 201

2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Section Council Meeting (Private Event)

3:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

Legislative Update .75 hour

William (Ben) Westcott, *Houston* Andrews Myers, P.C.

4:15 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Reception - Offsite

Diversity Forum—Brazos Room

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. - 10:00 a.m.

Update on Affirmative Action and Current Impacts in Texas 1 hour

Moderator:

Lisa M. Tatum, *San Antonio* LM Tatum, PLLC

State Rep. Jessica Farrar, Houston District 148

Angelica Hernandez, *Houston* Linebarger Goggan Blair & Sampson

Mathiew Le, *Austin*The University of Texas at Austin
School of Law

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Threats to Diversity on the Horizon 1 hour

Moderator:

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

Paul D. Castillo, *Dallas* Lambda Legal

Ryan V. Cox, San Antonio Texas Civil Rights Project

J. Eric Reed, *Richardson* Reed Law

11:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

Moving the Needle: Examining the Progress Made in Diversifying the Legal Profession .75 hour

Moderator:

John Trevino, *Dallas* Mannatt, Phelps & Phillips, LLP

Britney E. Harrison, *Dallas*GoransonBain Ausley Family Law

Hon. Beau Miller, *Houston* 190th Civil District Court

Toni Nguyen, Austin Holland & Knight LLP

Entertainment and Sports Law Section—Room 303-304

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. - 2:00 p.m.

When Good Festivals Go Bad and Other Legal Issues Surrounding Live Music Performances 1 hour

Graham Williams, Austin Margin Walker Presents

Adam Mandell, *Austin*Millen, White, Zelano & Branigan, P.C.

Gwen Seale, *Austin*Mike Tolleson and Associates

2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Austin FC – the Inception of an MLS Franchise 1 hour

Andy Loughnane, *Austin* Austin FC

Christian Dennie, Fort Worth Barlow, Garsek & Simon, LLP

Phil McNicholas, *Dallas* Kessler Collins P.C.

3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

What Kanye Can Teach Us
About Litigation 1 hour (.5 ethics)

Brent Turman, *Dallas* Senior Associate, Bell Nunnally & Martin, LLP

Elliot Mayen, *Dallas* Lead Producer, DHD Films

Environmental and Natural Resources Law Section—

Room 301-302

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

What Every Lawyer Should Know about Water Law 1 hour

Greg Ellis, Houston Attorney at Law

Emily Rogers, *Austin*Bickerstaff Health Delgado
Acosta LLP

Family Law Section— Brazos Room

1:25 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Welcoming Remarks

Eric Robertson, Austin
GoransonBain Ausley, PLLC

1:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

When Divorce Turns Civil: Litigating Business and Estate Planning Issues in Family Law .5 hour

Daniel C. Bitting, Austin
Scott Douglass & McConnico LLP

Keith D. Maples, *Austin* Noelke Maples St. Leger Bryant, LLP

2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Trusts: The Intersection of Family Law and Estate Planning/Tax Law .5 hour

P. Lindley Bain, *Austin*GoransonBain Ausley, PLLC

Russell Booth, Austin McGinnis Lochridge

2:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Technology Issues in Family Law .5 hour

Sam Colletti, *Austin* Noelke Maples St. Leger Bryant, LLP 3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Jurisdiction in Family Law Cases .5 hour

JoAl Cannon Sheridan, Austin Sheridan Family Law, PLLC

3:45 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

Marital Agreements .5 hour

Michael Burnett, Austin Burnett Turner, PLLC

4:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

Mediation in Family Law Cases .5 hour

Kathleen D. Coble, *Austin*Coble Law and Mediation, PLLC

General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm Section—

Lone Star Ballroom A-B

8:00 a.m. – 8:15 a.m. Section Council Meeting

8:15 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

Section Membership Meeting

8:30 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.

Joint Venturing Cases: Referrals, Multiple Firms, and Splitting Fees .75 hour

James A. Pikl, *Frisco* Scheef & Stone, LLP

9:15 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Tax Reform: What Lawyers Need to Know for Their Clients and Their Practice

.75 hour

Katherine P. Noll, *San Antonio* Chamberlain Hrdlicka

10:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Fiduciary and Tracing Issues in Probate and Family Law Litigation .75 hour

Kristal C. Thomson, *San Antonio* Langley & Banack, Inc.

Chris T. Hodge, San Antonio Langley & Banack, Inc.

11:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

A View From the Bench: Simple Things Everyone Does Wrong .75 hour

Hon. Roy Ferguson, *Fort Davis* 394th Judicial District Court

Hispanic Issues Section— Room 404

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Employment Law Update 1 hour

Frank Valenzuela, *Dallas* Fanning, Harper, Martinson, Brandt & Kutchin, PC

2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Immigration Law Update 1 hour

Kate Lincoln-Goldfinch, Austin Lincoln-Goldfinch Law

Estella Rendall, *Austin* Azarmehr Law Group

3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Mental Health & Wellness for Lawyers .5 hour (.5 ethics)

Chris Ritter, JD, M.Ed., Austin State Bar of Texas, Texas Lawyers' Assistance Program

4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Legislative Update .5 hour

Gloria Leal, *Austin* Strategic Partnerships, Inc.

4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Reception - Room 207

Immigration and Nationality Law Section—Room 201

8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

Family Immigration Overview and Best Practices 1 hour

Ruby Powers, *Houston* Powers Law Group, P.C.

9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Employment-Based Immigration Update 1 hour

Robert Loughran, *Austin* Foster LLP

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

2019 Texas Legislature and Proposals Related to Immigration 1 hour

Fatima Menendez, San Antonio MALDEF

11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Section Council Meeting

12:00 p.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

Intellectual Property Law Section—Room 213

5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Reception

International Law Section — Room 305

9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

The Impact of the New Ethics of Human Rights on International Business 1 hour (1 ethics)

Karla Pascarella, *Austin* Peckar & Abramson, P.C.

10:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

Break

10:15 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.

Doing Business in Canada 1 hour

Brad Gold, *Austin*Grable Martin Fulton PLLC

11:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Break

11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

Judicial Section—Room 406

2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Section Board Meeting (Private Event)

Justice of the Peace Courts Section — Room 202

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Legislative Update 1 hour

Randall Sarosdy, *Austin* General Counsel, Texas Justice Court Training Center 2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

The Justice of the Peace: One Robe, Many Hats 1 hour

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

Russ Ridgway, *Houston*Justice of the Peace Court Precinct 5, Place 1

Randall Slagle, *Austin*Travis County Justice of the Peace

3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Reception - Room 407

Labor and Employment Law Section — Room 213

11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Section Council Meeting and Lunch – Room 205 (Private Event)

1:30 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

1:45 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

The Texas Citizens Participation Act (Anti-SLAPP) in Employment: A Case Update .75 hour

David C. Holmes, *Houston* Law Offices of David C. Holmes

Corey E. Devine, *Houston* Muskat, Mahoney & Devine, LLP

2:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Immigration and Employment .5 hour

Lisa Sotelo, *Dallas* Elise Healy & Associates

3:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Employment Law (State)
Update .75 hour

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

4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Employment Law (Federal) Update .5 hour

Kathy Butler, *Houston* Butler & Harris

Law Focused Education Inc./Law Focused Education Committee—Room 205

9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Board Meeting and Committee Meeting

LeadershipSBOT—Room 208

4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Awards Ceremony

LGBT Law Section—Room 505

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 - Baker Botts L.L.P. - 111 Congress Avenue (Plaza Level Conference Center)

Litigation Section and Texas Young Lawyers Association— Room 203-204

9:45 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

The Texas Legal Legends Project .25 hour

Jennifer Doan, Texarkana Haltom & Doan

10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Texas Legal Legends Induction .5 hour

Dicky Grigg, Austin Spivey & Grigg

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Texas Legal Legends Panel 1 hour (.5 ethics)

Moderators:

Sally Pretorius, Dallas President, Texas Young Lawyers Association, KoonsFuller, P.C.

Joel Towner, Houston Beck Redden

Panelists:

Hon. Royal Furgeson, Dallas U.S. District Judge (Ret.)

Hon. Ruby Sondock, Houston Justice, Supreme Court of Texas (Ret.)

Broadus Spivey, Austin Spivey & Grigg

12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

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

Guardians at the Gate: **Protecting the American Dream**

1:30 p.m. - 2:15 p.m.

The Free Press Free-for-All: **Rethinking the First** Amendment in the Age of Twitter.75 hour

David McCraw, New York, NY Vice President and Deputy General Counsel, The New York **Times Company**

2:15 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

To Guantánamo: It Is Not About Them; It Is About Us .75 hour

Dicky Grigg, Austin Spivey & Grigg

3:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Civil Rights and Liberties: Lawyers and Advocacy in an Era of Fake News and Resistance 5 hour

James C. Harrington, Austin Proyecto Santiago

3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

A Conversation about Judicial **Selection** 1 hour

Moderator:

Craig Enoch, Austin **Enoch Kever**

Panelists:

Hon. William J. Boyce, Houston Alexander Dubose & Jefferson LLP

David Chamberlain, Austin Chamberlain McHaney

Hon. Latosha Lewis Payne, Judge, 55th Civil District Court

Hon. Xavier Rodriguez, San Antonio **U.S. District Court** - Western District

Hon, Karen Gren Scholer, Dallas United States District Judge -Northern District

4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

Poverty Law Section— Room 408-409

8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Texas Access to Justice Commission's Poverty Simulation 3.5 hours (2.25 ethics)

Facilitator:

Cathryn Ibarra, Austin State Bar of Texas, Legal Access Division

Presidents' Party

Featuring the Love & Happiness Band Lone Star Ballroom A-D, 3rd Level

7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Reception 8:00 p.m. - 11:30 p.m. Dinner and Dance

Tickets may be purchased for \$125 at the State Bar Registration Desk

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Performing will be the Love & Happiness Band who will play ALL of your favorite hits.



Resolutions—Room 301-302

3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. **Registration**

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. **Meeting**

State Bar of Texas—

Room 301-302

3:00 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

McDonald v. Longley & Other Challenges to Mandatory Bars

Rocky Dhir, *Dallas* Atlas Legal Research

Thomas S. Leatherbury, *Dallas* Vinson & Elkins LLP

Tax Section— 4th Level Pre-Function East

5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. **Reception**

Women and the Law Section— Room 408-409

2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Identifying and Overcoming Obstacles and Stereotypes 1.5 hours

Moderator:

Amy Stewart, *Dallas* Stewart Bradbury

Panelists:

Heather Stern, *Austin* General Counsel for Whole Foods

Toni Nguyen, Austin Holland & Knight

Jeanne C. (Cezy) Collins, *El Paso* El Paso Ind. School District

Michael Cowen, San Antonio Cowen | Rodriguez | Peacock 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Section Council and Membership Meetings and Awards Presentation

The Sarah T. Hughes Women Lawyers of Achievement Award

The Louise B. Raggio Award

The Harriet E. Miers Writing Competition Award

6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Reception – Offsite – Max's Black Door Wine Lounge (Underground)

THURSDAY RECEPTIONS

4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Justice of the Peace Courts Section—Room 407

5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. Access to Justice—Room 303-304

Honoring Champions of Justice Society Members

Asian Pacific Interest Section—Offsite - Swifts Attic

5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Construction Law Section—Offsite

Tax Section—4th Level Pre-Function East

5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Baylor Law School — Room 205

Hispanic Issues Section—Room 207

Intellectual Property Law Section—Room 213

South Texas College of Law Houston—Room 406

Southern Methodist University Dedman School of Law—Offsite

St. Mary's University School of Law—Room 401

Texas A&M University School of Law—Room 402

Texas Southern University Thurgood Marshall School of Law—Room 209

Texas Tech University School of Law—Room 408-409

Tweet and Greet—Corner Restaurant

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University of Houston Law Center—Room 403

University of Texas School of Law-Brazos Room

5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

African-American Lawyers Section—Offsite – Mr. Catfish

LGBT Law Section—Offsite – Baker Botts L.L.P. – 111 Congress Avenue (Plaza Level Conference Center)

6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Women and the Law Section and Texas Women Lawyers— Offsite – Max's Black Door Wine Lounge (Underground)

Adaptable Lawyer Track— Room 201-202

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

9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Keynote: Opportunity in the Accelerating Pace of Innovation

Josh Team, Austin President, Keller Williams Realty

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

15 Tech Cases and Statutes Every Lawyer Should Know About *1 hour*

Lisa M. Angelo, *Houston* Angelo Law Firm PLLC

Shawn Tuma, *Plano* Spencer Fane LLP

11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Ethical Issues with Technology in the Courtroom 1 hour

Hon. Emily A. Miskel, *McKinney* Judge, 470th District Court

John G. Browning, *Dallas* Passman & Jones

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

60 Tech Tips in 60 Minutes 1 hour

Craig Ball, New Orleans, LA Craig D. Ball, P.C.

Sanjeev Kumar, *Austin* Hunt Pennington Kumar & Dula PLLC

Robert A. (Tony) Ray, *Lantana* Attorney at Law

Bench Bar Breakfast

Featuring Wil Haygood Acclaimed Biographer, Pulitzer Finalist, Award-Winning Author & Reporter



Wil Haygood

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

.75 hour

Book signing immediately following event

Lone Star Ballroom A-D, 3rd Level

Guest tickets may be purchased for \$55 at the State Bar Registration Desk

Sponsored by the Judicial Section

2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Al in Practice, Law Firm Cybersecurity, and the Shifting Regulatory Landscape 1 hour

Ronald Chichester, *Magnolia* Ronald Chichester, PC

John G. Browning, *Dallas* Passman & Jones

African-American Lawyers Section—Room 207

(Programming continued from Thursday)

9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Special Immigrant Juvenile Status (SIJS): Considerations for State Court Practitioners Representing Undocumented Children in Texas 1 hour

Lynette M. Boggs-Perez, San Antonio Lynette Boggs Law & Mediations, PC

Marlyn Moreno, San Antonio Moreno Law Firm, PLLC

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Bankruptcy for the Non– Bankruptcy Practitioner: How to Prevent Disgorgement of Fees and Automatic Stay 101 1 hour

James Q. Pope, *Houston* The Pope Law Firm

11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Privacy Considerations for Legal Practitioners: Protecting Client Confidentiality in the Era of Growing Technology Dependency 1 hour (.5 ethics)

Toysha (TJ) Martin, Austin
Texas Education Agency (TEA)

Animal Law Section— Room 210

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

2:00 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.

Animal Seizures under Texas Law .75 hour

Lara Tomlin, *Denton*Denton County Criminal District
Attorney

2:45 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.

The LINK between Animal Abuse and Interpersonal Violence .5 hour

Robyn Katz, *New Braunfels* Comal County District Attorney's Office

3:15 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Service and Emotional Support Animals .75 hour

Randy Turner, Fort Worth Law Offices of Randall E. Turner, PLLC

4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Legislative Update .5 hour

Shelby Bobosky, *Dallas* Texas Humane Legislation Network

Appellate and Civil Liberties & Civil Rights Sections—Room 205

9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

Texas Supreme Court and Fifth Circuit Update .75 hour

April L. Farris, *Houston* Yetter Coleman LLP

Steven J. Knight, *Houston* Chamberlain, Hrdlicka, White, Williams & Aughtry

9:45 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

Digital Privacy Rights

.5 hour (.25 ethics)

Candace M. Groth, *Dallas* Virtus Law, PLLC

10:15 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

Corporate Constitutional Rights .5 hour (.25 ethics)

Prof. Eliot D. Shavin, *Dallas* SMU Dedman School of Law

Matthew J. Kolodoski, *Dallas* Thompson, Coe, Cousins & Irons, LLP

10:45 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

U.S. Supreme Court Update .75 hour

Prof. Erin G. Busby, *Houston* University of Texas School of Law

11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

You Gotta Fight, For Your Right: The Pledge of Allegiance in the Classroom, the Courtroom, and the Locker Room

.5 hour (.25 ethics)

Chad Baruch, *Dallas*Johnston Tobey Baruch

Collaborative Law Section— Room 209

8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.

Section Council Meeting (Private Event) 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Conscious Contracting: Building More Satisfying, Resilient Contracts Through Interest-Based Negotiations – An Innovative Contract Drafting Tool 2 hours

Linda Graham Alvarez, *Rockport* Author and Attorney at Law

11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

Consumer and Commercial Law Section—Room 301-302

12:30 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Section Council Meeting (Private Event)

1:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

1:30 p.m. - 2:15 p.m.

DTPA and Consumer Arbitration Update .75 hour

Richard Alderman, Santa Fe, NM University of Houston Law Center

2:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Assisting Clients With ID Theft Issues .75 hour (.25 ethics)

Paula Jo Pierce, Austin P. Pierce Law, PC

3:15 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

Consumer Law Legislative Update .5 hour

Karen Neeley, *Austin* Kennedy Sutherland LLP

3:45 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

Consumer Reporting: Who has Your Personal Data? Is it Accurate? What Can You Do About it? .5 hour

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

4:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

Post-Judgment Collection Defense .5 hour

Richard Tomlinson, *Houston* Lone Star Legal Aid

Criminal Justice Section— Room 209

1:30 p.m. - 2:15 p.m.

Texas Court of Criminal Appeals Update .75 hour

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

2:15 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Extraneous Offenses .75 hour

Jack Strickland, Fort Worth Law Office of Jack V. Strickland

3:00 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

Expunctions and Nondisclosures .75 hour

Dwight (Quinton) McDonald, *Lubbock* Texas Tech School of Law

3:45 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Legislative Update – Criminal .75 hour

David Gonzalez, *Austin* Sumpter & Gonzalez

Intellectual Property Law Section—Room 203-204

7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

Section Council Breakfast – Room 401 (Private Event)

8:40 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

Welcoming Remarks

Course Director:

Derrick A. Pizarro, *San Antonio* Pizarro Allen PC

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

Patent Law Update
1 hour (.25 ethics)

Derrick A. Pizarro, *San Antonio* Pizarro Allen PC

9:45 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

IP Issues in Community Property Law .5 hour

Hon. Emily A. Miskel, *McKinney* Judge, 470th District Court

10:15 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

Trade Secrets: Filing and Defending Against Anti-SLAPP Motions in Trade-Secret Misappropriation Cases .5 hour

Austin Teng, Dallas
Thompson & Knight LLP

10:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

Criminal Counterfeiting 1 hour

Lisa Meyerhoff, *Houston* Seyfarth Shaw LLP

Michael Chu, *Houston* U.S. Department of Justice

Charles Martin Hosch, *Dallas* Clark Hill Strasburger PLC

Sanjiv Sarwate, *Round Rock* Dell Inc.

11:45 a.m. - 1:15 p.m.

Section Awards Luncheon and Membership Meeting –

Room 211-212 (Ticket Required)

Luncheon Moderator:

Kirby B. Drake, *Dallas* Klemchuk LLP

Luncheon Keynote Speaker:

Dr. Larry J. Hornbeck, *Dallas*Professor of Materials Science
and Engineering Director,
Center for Digital MEMS, The
University of Texas at Dallas

1:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Trademark Protection and Registration Strategy for Marks Relating to Cannabis/Cannabidiol (CBD)

.5 hour (.25 ethics)

Chelsie Spencer, *Richardson* Ritter Spencer PLLC

2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Professionalism in the Courtroom .5 hour (.5 ethics)

Hon. Lee Yeakel, *Austin*Judge, United States District Court

2:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Sovereign Immunity: Infringements, Licensing and Music Waivers .5 hour (.5 ethics)

Michael A. Shaunessy, *Austin* McGinnis Lochridge

3:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Architectural Copyrights .5 hour

Louis K. Bonham, *Houston* Osha Liang, LLP

3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Battle of the Brands: Bands in IP – Music Industry .5 hour

Danae Robinson, Round Rock Pirkey Barber PLLC

James C. Watson Inn— Room 209

5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. **Reception**

LGBT Law Section—

Room 303-304

8:45 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.

Welcome and Announcements

Nicole LeBoeuf, *Dallas* LeBoeuf Law, PLLC

Elliott Beck, Austin Travis County

9:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

LGBT Judicial Ethics

1.25 hours (1.25 ethics)

Hon. Robert Pitman, Austin Western District of Texas

Hon. Charles Spain, *Houston* 14th Court of Appeals

10:15 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

Spilling the Texas Tea:
A Legislative Update .5 hour

Steven M. Rudner, *Dallas*Rudner Law Offices

Elizabeth G. Myers, Austin Thompson & Knight LLP

10:45 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Implicit Bias: Building Awareness and Overcoming Obstacles 1.25 hours (.5 ethics)

Mindy Gulati, *Austin*Fundamental Consulting LLC dba
Fundamental Advisory

1:30 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.

Federal Policies & Courts Under Trump 1.25 hours

Prof. Stephen Vladeck, *Austin* The University of Texas at Austin School of Law

2:45 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.

Gay and Trans Panic: Is it a **Defense?** .5 hour

Prof. Carsten Andresen, *Austin* St. Edward's University

3:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

Masterpiece Cakeshop: What It Really Means and How It's Being Used .75 hour

Jody Scheske, Austin James J. Scheske PLLC

4:15 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

The Paradox of Bodily Autonomy: Sex Conforming Surgeries and Circumcision .75 hour

Claire Bow, Austin Attorney at Law, Transgender Rights Advocate/Activist

Alicia Weigle, Austin

Christopher J. Maurer, *Bellaire*Park Place Financial

5:00 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Reception – Offsite – Private Residence

Law Practice Management— JW Grand Ballroom 1-2

8:40 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

Welcoming Remarks

Course Director:

Penny Robe, *Plano* Robe Law Firm

General Session Luncheon

Featuring Asha Rangappa

Former FBI Agent, Senior Lecturer at Yale University, CNN Contributor



12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Included in Registration! .75 hour

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JW Grand Ballroom 5–8, 4th Level

Asha Rangappa



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Houston. We will also honor Texas attorneys
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Randall O. Sorrels

8:45 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

Get Paid! Have a Life .75 hour (.25 ethics)

Hon. Audrey Moorehead, *Dallas* Judge, Dallas County Criminal Court

Dana Palmer, McKinney Palmer Law Group, PC

9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

The Ethical Re-Tooling of Your Practice .5 hour (.5 ethics)

Brian Hall, Austin Hall Law (Traverse Legal, PLC)

Dirk Jordan, Austin Jordan Law Firm

10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. **Break**

10:15 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

Business Succession Planning Made Easy .5 hour (.25 ethics)

Kevin Mutscher, *Brenham* Betts, Walters & Mutscher, PC

Gregory W. Sampson, *Dallas* Gray Reed & McGraw

10:45 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.

Malpractice Insurance: A Primer .5 hour (.25 ethics)

Diana Brown, Cypress Law Office of Diana Brown 11:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. **Online Advertising** .75 hour

Robert S. Guest, Forney Guest and Gray Law Firm

John Meredith, Houston Chamberlain Hrdlicka

12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. **Break for Lunch**

1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

3rd Party Financing for
Litigation – Not Just for PI
Anymore .5 hour

Melissa A. Khan, *Houston* Boston & Hughes, PC

2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

The Modern File Clerk: How to Document .5 hour

Cameron Brumfield, *Corpus Christi* Brumfield Law, PLLC

Cristal Robinson, *Amarillo* Robinson Law, A CDR Law Group, PLLC

2:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m. **Break**

2:45 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. Ethical Use of Contract Lawyers .5 hour (.5 ethics)

> Penny Robe, *Plano* Robe Law Firm

3:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Navigating the New Grievance Rules .75 hour (.75 ethics)

Steve Fischer, *El Paso* Attorney at Law

Jeanne M. Huey, *Dallas* Hunt Huey PLLC

With a Special Appearance By Roosticus Fischer

Law Student Division— Room 405

10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Division Membership Meeting (Invitation Only)

Legislative and Campaign Law Section—Room 205

1:00 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.

Legislative and Ethics Update from the 86th Legislative Session .75 hour

Ross Peavey, Austin Brady & Peavey

1:45 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.

State and Federal Trends in Election Law 1 hour

Ross Fischer, Austin The Gober Group

2:45 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.

What Corporate Counsel Need to Know About Government Relations .5 hour

Royce Poinsett, *Austin* Poinsett PLLC

3:15 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

Legislative Update— JW Grand Ballroom 3-4

9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Judicial Update: How the Recent Session Will Affect the Courts .5 hour

Hon. Alfonso Charles, *Longview* Judge, 124th District Court

10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

Legislative Update – Litigation .75 hour

David Chamberlain, *Austin* Chamberlain McHaney

Guy Choate, San Angelo Webb, Stokes & Sparks, L.L.P.

10:45 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.

Legislative Update – Insurance Law .5 hour

Lisa Songy, *Dallas* Tollefson Bradley Mitchell & Melendi

11:15 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Legislative Update – Family Law .75 hour

Karl E. Hays, Austin Law Office of Karl E. Hays, PLLC

12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. **Break for Lunch**

1:30 p.m. - 2:15 p.m.

Legislative Update – Real Estate Law .75 hour

Richard A. Crow, *Houston* Schlanger, Silver, Barg & Paine, LLC

Jack Miller, Houston Irelan McDaniel, PLLC

2:15 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Is There Meat in Those Beans?
The 2019 Texas Estate and Trust
Legislative Update .75 hour

Craig Hopper, Austin Hopper Mikeska PLLC

William D. Pargaman, *Austin* Saunders Norval Pargaman & Atkins LLP

Military and Veterans Law Section—Room 208

9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Immigrants in the Military – A Vital National Interest 1 hour

Margaret Stock, *Anchorage*, *AK* Cascadia Cross Border Law Group 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Professional Responsibility
Concerns for Military and
Civilian Attorneys in Contested
Cases Involving Art. 120, UCMJ
1 hour

Jon Shelburne, San Diego, CA Law Offices of Jon Shelburne

11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Handling Sexual Assault in the Military and on the University Campus 1 hour

Prof. Rick Rosen, *Lubbock*Texas Tech University School of Law

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

The Criminalization of Free Speech in the Military 1 hour

Prof. Rachel VanLandingham, Los Angeles, CA Southwestern School of Law

2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Representing Mentally III Veterans 1 hour

Lisa Marie Windsor, *Galveston*Lisa Marie Windsor, Attorney at Law

3:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

Section Council and Membership Meeting

Municipal Judges Section— Room 409

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Section Membership Meeting

11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Trends: A Snapshot of the 86th Texas Legislature 1 hour

Hon. Ryan Kellus Turner, Austin General Counsel & Director of Education, Texas Municipal Courts Education Center

Native American Law Section— Room 213

1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Real World Application of the 2018 Grievance Rule Amendments

1.5 hours (1.5 ethics)

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

3:00 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

Update on Indian Child Welfare Act .75 hour

J. Eric Reed, *Richardson* Reed Law

3:45 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Federal Indian Law Update .75 hour

Ray Torgerson, *Houston* Porter Hedges, LLP

4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

Oil, Gas, and Energy Resources Law Section—Room 406

9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Section Council Meeting (Private Event)

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Past Chairs' Luncheon (Private Event) – Offsite

1:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Section Membership Meeting

Open Government Seminar— Room 301-302

9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Open Government Law: Vaccine for 'Fake News' or Sometime Pathogen? 1 hour

Theodore J. Boutrous, Jr., Los Angeles, CA Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP

Thomas S. Leatherbury, *Dallas* Vinson & Elkins LLP

Ross Ramsey, *Austin* The Texas Tribune

Kelley Shannon, *Austin* Freedom of Information Foundation of Texas

Mark N. Vamos, *Dallas* Southern Methodist University

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Legislative Update: Trends in Open Government 1 hour

Rep. Todd Hunter, *Corpus Christi* Law Office of Todd A. Hunter

Laura Lee Prather, Austin Haynes and Boone, LLP

Justin Gordon, *Austin*Office of the Attorney General

Lauren McGaughy, *Austin* The Dallas Morning News

Rudy England, *Austin* Texas Senate

Poverty Law Section— Room 409

1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

How Settlements and Judgments Impact Your Client's Public Benefits 2 hours (2 ethics)

Renee Trevino, *San Antonio* Texas RioGrande Legal Aid, Inc.

Bernadette Segura, *El Paso* Texas RioGrande Legal Aid, Inc.

Tax Section—Brazos Room

8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

Sign-In and Breakfast

8:30 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.

Section Membership Meeting and Awards

9:15 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

The United States of America – Our National Debt, Our Annual Deficits and the Increasing Risks They Pose – What Can Be Done About Them? .75 hour

Lawrence B. Gibbs, Washington, D.C. Senior Counsel – Miller & Chevalier; Former IRS Commissioner

10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. **Break**

10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. **Federal Tax Update** *1 hour*

> Prof. Cassady V. (Cass) Brewer, Atlanta, GA Georgia State University College of Law

Prof. Bruce McGovern, Houston South Texas College of Law Houston 11:15 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Penalties Above 20%: What Are They, When Are They Applied, and How Do You Defend? .75 hour

Hon. Elizabeth A. Copeland, Washington, D.C.
U.S. Tax Court

12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m. **Buffet Luncheon Served**(Ticket Required)

12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Lunch Session: Interview of Larry A. Campagna 1 hour

William D. (Bill) Elliott, *Dallas* Elliott Thomason & Gibson

1:30 p.m. – 1:45 p.m. **Break**

1:45 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.

It Still Takes A Village: Balancing Professionalism, Privileges and Advocacy in Tax Controversies 1 hour

Larry A. Campagna, *Houston* Chamberlain Hrdlicka

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

South Dakota v. Wayfair – Where Are We Now? 1 hour

Nancy L. Prosser, *Dallas*Chief Counsel for the Texas
Comptroller of Public Accounts

Sam Megally, *Dallas* Partner, K&L Gates, LLP

3:45 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. **Break**

4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

The Latest and the Greatest in **Property Tax** 1 hour

Moderator:

Braden W. Metcalf, *Dallas* Jackson, Dillard, Hager & Smith

Panelists:

Marya Crigler, *Austin* Chief Appraiser of Travis County Appraisal District Office

John Brusniak, Jr., *Dallas* Brusniak Turner Fine LLP, Former Chair, State Bar of Texas Tax Section

Texas Bar Foundation Annual Dinner

6:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

VIP Reception—

Lone Star Ballroom F-G

(Invitation Only)

6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Reception—Lone Star Ballroom
Pre-Function (Invitation Only)

7:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m.

Dinner and Dance— Lone Star Ballroom A-E(Invitation Only) Black—Tie Attire

Texas Young Lawyers Association

5:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Annual Meeting and Reception—
JW Grand Ballroom 5

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Sally Pretorius

Victor Flores

10:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.

TYLA Joseph M. Pritchard Inn Midnight Mambo— JW Grand Ballroom 3-4

Everyone is invited – no ticket required! Join TYLA in this annual celebration with entertainment provided.

SATURDAY, JUNE 15

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

State Bar of Texas Past Presidents' Breakfast— **Room 210**

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

TYLA Past Presidents' Breakfast— **Room 209**

10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

TYLA New Directors Orientation—Room 201-202





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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 2020 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 28, 2019**. 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:	Nominated By:
Title:	Title:
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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 28, 2019**, 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 2020 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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