



# THE RICHMOND BAR

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A newsletter for members of The Bar Association of the City of Richmond

September 2018

## Carla Williams, Director of Athletics at UVA, to speak at Bar's luncheon on September 27th

Carla Williams, Director of Athletics at the University of Virginia, will be the featured speaker at the Richmond Bar's luncheon on Thursday, September 27, 2018. The luncheon will be held at the Omni Hotel beginning at 12:30 p.m. Reservations may be made by returning the enclosed flier or by calling the Bar office at 780-0700. Additionally, you may make a reservation by visiting <https://www.richmondbar.org/luncheons/>. The deadline for reservations is 12:00 noon on Monday, September 24th. Cost to attend is \$32.00 for RBA members and \$37 for guests. **If you require a vegetarian meal or have a dietary restriction, please inform us at the time you make the reservation.**

**The Hon. Kevin R. Huennekens and The Hon. Keith L. Phillips** will host Judges' Tables at the September luncheon. At the time you make your reservation, please indicate if you would like to be seated at a judge's table.

Carla Williams was named Virginia's Director of Athletics on October 22, 2017. With the appointment, Williams became the first female African-American athletics director at a Power Five conference institution and is the fifth active female athletics director at that level.

Previously, Williams served as an athletics administrator at the University of Georgia for 13 years and was named Deputy Director of Athletics in 2015. In that capacity, she was responsible for the day-to-day operations of the department and its \$127 million budget.

Ms. Williams has the unique background of competing, coaching and administering at the highest levels of intercollegiate athletics. She was an All-SEC guard on the UGA basketball court, then helped recruit and coach some of the greatest teams in Georgia's history. Williams began her administrative career at Georgia in 2004. She served as Associate Athletic Director (2004-2008), Senior



Carla Williams

Associate Athletic Director (2008-2011) and Executive Associate Athletic Director (2011-2015). Prior to joining the Bulldogs' staff, Williams was an assistant director of athletics at Vanderbilt (2000-03) and an associate director of athletics (2003-04). During the past decade she has served on numerous committees and boards focusing on athletic administration.

Members are reminded that a waiting list for individuals who have not made reservations by the deadline will be started at 12:00 noon at the registration table on the day of the event. If space is available, members will be accommodated on a first come, first served basis. There is no guarantee that members on the waiting list will be admitted.

Judges are invited to attend the luncheon free of charge as guests of the Association. Judges who would like to be picked up at either the John Marshall Courts Building or the Supreme Court Building are asked to notify the Bar office by 1:00 p.m. on the day before the luncheon.

## Judge Douglas Tice to receive RBA's Professionalism Award

The Association's Hunter W. Martin Professionalism Award will be presented to the Honorable Douglas O. Tice, Jr. at the Bar's luncheon on September 27th. The award is presented annually to members of the legal profession who, throughout their lives and careers in the law, have best exemplified the conduct and high ideals embodied in the Bar's Principles of Professionalism.

Judge Tice, a North Carolina native, was appointed to the bankruptcy bench by the 4th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals for a 14-year term in September 1987. He was reappointed to a second 14-year term in September 2001 and retired after the appointment of his successor on June 30, 2013. Before his appointment, he practiced law with the Richmond firm of Hubbard, Tice, Marchant and Samuels, specializing in bankruptcy law and serving as a chapter 7 trustee under first the Bankruptcy Act of 1938 and later a chapter 7 and chapter 13 trustee under the Bankruptcy Code as enacted in 1978.

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*See pages 4-9 for details on the many CLE seminars offered by the RBA this Fall:*

- *Bench-Bar Conference*
- *Let's Talk Tech*
- *Ethics*
- *Drone Law*
- *Blockchain*
- *Employment Law*
- *and many more!*

## Share the news

If you've recently landed a new job or promotion, share the good news with the Richmond Bar. Include your full name, your company's name and location, your new title and your areas of concentration in your letter, press release, fax or e-mail. Announcements can be e-mailed to [lmartin@richmondbar.org](mailto:lmartin@richmondbar.org) or mailed to Lee Martin at P.O. Box 1213, Richmond, VA 23218.

**Vernon E. Inge, Jr.** and **Corey S. Booker** join Whiteford, Taylor & Preston in opening its new Richmond office. The new office is located at 919 East Main Street, Suite 1000, Richmond, Virginia 23219; the phone number is (804) 977.3300.

Mr. Inge's practice focuses in the areas of commercial litigation, bankruptcy and sports law. Ms. Booker concentrates her practice in commercial and bankruptcy litigation.

## Refer new members and earn rewards

Promote RBA membership and earn incentives during the 2018-2019 membership drive!

- Recruit 1-2 new members and receive 1 free reservation to a 2019-20 luncheon
- Recruit 3-4 new members and receive 1 free reservation to the Spring Cocktail Party
- Recruit 5-6 new members and receive 1 free reservation to the Holiday Cocktail Party
- Recruit 7-9 new members and receive 2 free reservations to the Cocktail Party of your choice
- Recruit 10+ new members and your 2019-2020 dues are free!

To be eligible, you must sign the new member's application on the "referred by" line.

### 35th Annual Red Mass and Brunch

His Excellency, Bishop Barry C. Knestout, D.D. Bishop of Richmond



AND

The Saint Thomas More Society of Richmond

*Invite you to join us as we petition Our Lord for guidance and pray for the Blessings of the Holy Spirit on the Judiciary, legal practitioners, law students, and all elected officials.*



Bishop Barry C. Knestout

#### Sunday, October 7, 2018

Cathedral of the Sacred Heart  
18 North Laurel Street, Richmond 23220  
11:00 a.m. The Liturgy of the Eucharist

His Excellency, **Bishop Barry C. Knestout**  
Bishop of Richmond  
Principal Celebrant and Homilist

#### Brunch immediately following

The Jefferson Hotel  
The Grand Ballroom  
101 West Franklin Street  
Richmond, 23220

For details and to attend, please contact  
**James E. Schliessmann, President**  
The Saint Thomas More Society  
804.873.1035 or [jeschliessmann@hotmail.com](mailto:jeschliessmann@hotmail.com)



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Edited by Lelia N. Martin

## Luncheon Registration Form

Please reserve a place for me at the **Thursday, September 27, 2018** luncheon which will be held at the Omni Richmond Hotel at 12:30 p.m.

Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to make reservations for the following guest(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Method of payment (check one):

- Firm billing. Firm: \_\_\_\_\_
- Check enclosed. (\$32.00 for RBA members, \$37.00 for guests; payable to "Bar Association of Richmond")
- At the door.
- Member of the Judiciary.

To comply with PCI regulations, credit card payment is not accepted by mail or Fax. For security purposes, you must register online at <https://www.richmondbar.org/luncheons/>.

**If you require a vegetarian or special dietary meal, please inform us at the time you make the reservation.**

Return this form to: Richmond Bar Association, P.O. Box 1213, Richmond, Virginia 23218-1213.

Reservations may be made by calling the Bar office at 780-0700 no later than noon on Monday, September 24, 2018.

**IMPORTANT NOTE: Under the reservation policy, members who make reservations will be expected to pay whether or not they attend. No cancellations or refunds after noon on September 24th. Reservations made by credit card payment are subject to a 5% service fee if cancelled by the appropriate cut-off date.**

## Judge Tice to receive RBA award

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During his tenure on the bench, Judge Tice oversaw the bankruptcy cases of many of the Richmond region's most notable companies, including department store chain Miller & Rhoads, catalog showroom retailer Best Products and home furnishings giant Heilig-Meyers.

Judge Tice is a member of the American College of Bankruptcy attorneys and his scholarship continues throughout bankruptcy practice through his innumerable reported cases and scholarly articles. Court proce-

dures and practices implemented during his decades on the bench continue to be utilized with great efficiency and effectiveness today in the courts.

The lawyers nominating Judge Tice write, "His time on the bench is well remembered through the bar for his kindness, patience,

and compassion to all parties in a case, while at the same time tackling many difficult issues, complex cases, and changes in the law. Many members of the Richmond Bar Association served as law clerks or interns in his chambers with nothing but complementary and fond memories of their time in his presence.

This is even further evidenced by the attendance at his (still held) annual law clerk lunch where the great majority of his former law clerks gather to connect and reminisce about their time in his chambers.

"Throughout his career he exemplified, and instilled, in all that practiced with and before him, the highest standards of professionalism, respect, civility, and ethical standards. His legacy continues through the reputation of and respect found in the bankruptcy bar in Richmond."



## Lawyers Helping Lawyers offers support groups for attorneys

Feeling stressed out? The practice of law getting you down?

Since 1985, Lawyers Helping Lawyers has helped Virginia's legal professionals take the first steps toward recovery with confidential, 24-hour assistance. Lawyers Helping Lawyers provides many services tailored to meet the needs of each situation, including verification of a problem, planning and implementing interventions, referral to treatment providers, assessments, support from and for peers, supporting family members, establishing and monitoring rehabilitation contracts and educational presentations. Support groups meet weekly; attendance and everything that occurs in this group is confidential. For confidential assistance, call (804) 644-3212 or 1-877-LHL IN VA (877-545-4682 or [info@valhl.org](mailto:info@valhl.org)).

# Bench-Bar Conference

The Bench-Bar Conference is designed to promote discussion on issues of interest to judges and lawyers and provide an opportunity for each to offer their reactions and feedback. The format features breakout sessions allowing groups of judges and lawyers to actively discuss topics of interest in their individual areas of practice. Included in the cost of the conference is admission to the Richmond Bar luncheon and a continental breakfast reception with members of the judiciary.

Complete program on reverse side.

**Thursday, October 25, 2018**

**LOCATION:** Omni Richmond Hotel, 100 South 12th Street, Richmond, VA 23219

**COST:** \$90.00 (\$100 after October 5th) - fee includes admission to luncheon  
Special rate for lawyers practicing less than 6 years - \$70.00 (\$80 after October 5th)

**MCLE CREDIT:** This program has been approved by the Virginia Mandatory Continuing Legal Education Board for 3.0 hours of credit. *CLE materials will be e-mailed to attendees approximately one week prior to the conference. Participants will also receive materials on a flash drive upon check-in on the day of the event.*

**REGISTRATION INFORMATION:** Use the form below and indicate your break-out session preferences on the reverse side. You will receive no confirmation of your registration. There will be no refunds after October 5th, 2018. Space is limited. There will be no registration at the door unless there is space available after those who have pre-registered have been admitted.

The conference is sponsored by the following Richmond metropolitan area bar associations: The Bar Association of the City of Richmond; Chesterfield County Bar Association, Greater Richmond Criminal Bar Association, Hanover County Bar Association, Henrico County Bar Association, Hill-Tucker Bar Association, Metro Richmond Family Law Bar Association, and the Metropolitan Richmond Women’s Bar Association.

## Bench-Bar Conference - October 25, 2018

**PROVIDE THE INFORMATION REQUESTED BELOW AND INDICATE ON THE REVERSE SIDE YOUR PREFERENCES FOR EACH OF THE BREAK-OUT SESSIONS. PLEASE PHOTOCOPY AND RETAIN A COPY OF THIS FLYER FOR YOUR RECORDS AND RETURN THE ORIGINAL, WITH PAYMENT, TO THE BAR OFFICE AT THE ADDRESS GIVEN BELOW.**

How to register:

- ◆ By Credit Card - To comply with PCI regulations, credit card payment is not accepted by mail or Fax. For security purposes, you must register online at <https://www.richmondbar.org/events/bench-bar-conference-2018/>.
- ◆ By Check
  - \$90.00 - lawyer attendee (\$100 after October 5th)
  - \$70.00 - new lawyers attendee (\$80.00 after October 5th); Bar #/date admitted to practice: \_\_\_\_\_
- Member of the Judiciary

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 E-mail Address (required) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Send form and payment to:  
Richmond Bar Association  
P.O. Box 1213  
Richmond, Virginia 23218-1213

# Bench-Bar Conference

October 25, 2018

8:00-8:55 a.m. Registration/Continental Breakfast Reception with the Judges  
(Sponsored by *Minnesota Lawyers Mutual Insurance Company*)

9:00-10:30 Break-Out Sessions (check the box corresponding to the session that you wish to attend) 1.5 hr. of MCLE credit

- State and Federal Civil Practice - “Experts<sup>2</sup>: Becoming an Expert on Expert Depositions”**  
Panelists: Robyn P. Ayres; Jonathan T. Lucier; Harold G. Martin, CPA; John P. McGee, M.D.  
Moderator: Hon. Lynn S. Brice
- Criminal Practice - “A Community Response to Human Trafficking”**  
Panelists: Michael Y. Feinmel; Heather L. Hart; Devika E. Davis; Maureen Moslow-Benway  
Moderator: Amy L. Austin
- Domestic Relations Practice - “Third Party Custody in Virginia: What the Judges Are Saying Now?”**  
Panelists: Hon. Shannon O. Hoehl; Hon. Randall G. Johnson Jr.; Hon. Edward A. Robbins Jr., Hon. Jayne A. Pemberton  
Moderator: Melissa S. VanZile

10:30-10:45 Coffee Break (Sponsored by *Virginia Lawyers Weekly*)

10:45-12:15 Break-Out Sessions (check the box corresponding to the session that you wish to attend) 1.5 hr. of MCLE credit

- State and Federal Civil Practice - “Social Media and the Law: Obtaining Information & Admitting It Into Evidence”**  
Panelists: Hon. Tanya Bullock; Ryan T. Walker; Laura Lee Miller  
Moderator: Hon. John A. Gibney, Jr.
- Criminal Practice - “Body Worn Cameras.....Probative or Prejudicial?”**  
Panelists: Brooke E. Pettit; Christopher Bradshaw; Carolyn Naoroz  
Moderator: Hon. Bradley B. Cavedo
- Domestic Relations Practice - “Child Support: Understanding the “New” Guidelines and Other Issues in Child Support Cases”**  
Speaker: Mitchell D. Broudy  
Panelists: Hon. Frank G. Uvanni; Brian H. Jones; Alexandra “Sandra” D. Bowen

**12:30-1:45 Richmond Bar Association Luncheon - remarks by Robert J. Wagner**, Supervisory Assistant Federal Public Defender for the Richmond Division of the Federal Public Defenders Office, Eastern District of Virginia (no MCLE credit offered) (Sponsored by *KLDisccovery*)

**Flash drives for CLE materials provided by Superior Document Services**

*Law Firm Sponsors of the Conference are:*

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Let's Talk Tech:
Radical Shifts in Marketing Ethics, Cyberinsurance and Legal Tech

A perennial favorite, "Let's Talk Tech" is returning with all new sessions, including two hours of ethics credit. As technology changes the practice of law, the rules regulating the profession and the processes needed to protect your practice are constantly evolving. Our panel of experts is here to offer tips and help you avoid the pitfalls!

Faculty: James M. McCauley (Ethics Counsel, Virginia State Bar); Kellam T. Parks (Member, Parks Zeigler, PLLC, Virginia Beach); Charles B. Molster, III (The Law Offices of Charles B. Molster, III PLLC, Washington, D.C.); Sharon D. Nelson (President, Sensei Enterprises Inc.); John Simek (Vice-President, Sensei Enterprises, Inc.).

DATE: Tuesday, October 30, 2018
TIME: 8:30 a.m. to 1:15 p.m.
LOCATION: 1111 E. Main Street 3rd floor conference room
COST: \$150 (\$160 if charged/postmarked after October 19th)

MCLE CREDIT: THIS PROGRAM IS EXPECTED TO BE APPROVED BY THE VIRGINIA MCLE BOARD FOR 4.0 HOURS OF CREDIT, INCLUDING 2.0 HOURS OF ETHICS CREDIT AND 2.0 HOURS OF REGULAR CREDIT

- 8:30 a.m. Networking Coffee
9:00 a.m. Lawyer Marketing: Boy oh Boy Have the Virginia Rules Changed! (1.0 hour of MCLE ethics credit)
10:00 a.m. Technology Revamps the Practice of Law at the Warp Speed (1.0 hour of MCLE ethics credit)
11:00 a.m. Coffee Break
11:15 a.m. Cyberinsurance for Law Firms: Necessary, Expensive and Complicated as Heck (1.0 hour of MCLE credit)
12:15 p.m. 60 Cybersecurity Tips in 60 Minutes (1.0 hour of MCLE credit)

CLE REGISTRATION FORM
LET'S TALK TECH - October 30, 2018

How To Register: (no cancellations/refunds after October 19th)

- By Check - Return form and payment to Richmond Bar Association, P.O. Box 1213, Richmond, VA 23218 by October 19th.
By Credit Card - To comply with PCI regulations, credit card payment is not accepted by mail or Fax. For security purposes, you must register online at https://www.richmondbar.org/events/event/lets-talk-tech-seminar/.

Name \_\_\_\_\_
Address \_\_\_\_\_
Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

No Fault Divorce Cases and Pro Bono Opportunities in the Richmond Area

This program, by former Virginia State Bar President, Doris Causey, exposes participants to easy pro bono opportunities. Doing pro bono has been scientifically proven to make you will feel happier, provide help to people who really need it, make the justice system work better, give people hope, teach you new skills, make a positive difference in the world and make you feel that you are a better person. In addition, you will learn the nuts and bolts of representing indigent clients in transactional no-fault divorces – complete with draft pleadings, forms, and letters.

DATE: Tuesday, September 18, 2018
TIME: 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
LOCATION: 2nd Floor Conference Room, 707 E. Main Street
COST: \$37.50 for members (\$47.50 after October 11); \$75 for non-members (\$85 after October 11)
MCLE CREDIT: THIS PROGRAM HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE VIRGINIA MCLE BOARD FOR 1.0 HOUR OF CREDIT

An Immigration Primer: Understanding Your Non-Citizen Client's Immigration Status & Case Impact

Immigration litigation attorney Soulmaz Taghavi of Novo Taghavi will lead an overall discussion on Immigration Law and current hot topics under the Trump Administration. She will provide a break-down of different types of Immigration Law - Employment, Family and Humanitarian based practices and an in-depth overview of various immigration statuses, such as, TPS, DACA, Asylum Law, Lawful Permanent Residents and how these may affect your work or professional responsibilities.

DATE: Tuesday, September 18, 2018
TIME: 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
LOCATION: 2nd Floor Conference Room, 707 E. Main Street
COST: \$37.50 for members (\$47.50 after October 11); \$75 for non-members (\$85 after October 11)
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Beyond the Hype: How Blockchain Technology is Changing Business and the Law

This program will provide a primer on blockchain and distributed ledger technology and then walk you through the legal issue-spotting in blockchain's most relevant applications. Supply chain, food and product safety, customer rewards programs and many types of payments beginning to transition to blockchain-based systems. Join Mayme Beth F. Donohue of Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP as she prepares you to recognize the legal and regulatory considerations that come along with this disruptive technology.

DATE: Wednesday, September 26, 2018
TIME: 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
LOCATION: 2nd Floor Conference Room, 707 E. Main Street
COST: \$75 for members (\$85 after September 19); \$150 for non-members (\$160 after September 19)
MCLE CREDIT: THIS PROGRAM HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE VIRGINIA MCLE BOARD FOR 2.0 HOURS OF CREDIT

## Continuing Legal Education courses

### Employment Law 101

Join panelists Craig J. Curwood (The Curwood Law Firm), Andrew P. Sherrod (Hirschler Fleischer) and A. Tevis Marshall (Ogletree, Deakins, Nash, Smoak & Stewart, P.C.) to learn the basics of employment law. The interactive panel will feature a high level discussion of common employment law -related issues and hot button topics that practicing attorneys should know, regardless of practice area. The program will touch on employment contracts, relevant federal, state and local laws and litigation in the employment law context.

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 16, 2018  
**TIME:** 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** 2nd Floor Conference Room, 707 E. Main Street  
**COST:** \$75 for members (\$85 after October 9); \$150 for non-members (\$160 after October 9)  
**MCLE CREDIT:** THIS PROGRAM HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE VIRGINIA MCLE BOARD FOR 2.0 HOURS OF CREDIT

### Eye in the Sky: Recent Developments in Unmanned Airspace

The use of drones, or unmanned aerial systems (UAS), is rapidly expanding in spite of regulatory and legislative uncertainty, and with it the demand for related legal services. Join us for a two-hour CLE exploring the drone industry in the local and regional market, the status of federal regulation and legislation, plus a discussion of frequently-raised client needs and concerns regarding best practices, privacy and data security, and risk mitigation. Speakers for this program are Mark Dombroff of LeClair Ryan and Kevin Pomfret of Williams Mullen.

**DATE:** Thursday, October 18, 2018  
**TIME:** 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** 2nd Floor Conference Room, 707 E. Main Street  
**COST:** \$75 for members (\$85 after October 11); \$150 for non-members (\$160 after October 11)  
**MCLE CREDIT:** THIS PROGRAM HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE VIRGINIA MCLE BOARD FOR 2.0 HOURS OF CREDIT

### A Sobering Look at Lawyer Impairment

Discussion of issues surrounding lawyer wellness have taken a front seat across the country. This one-hour ethics seminar takes a hard look at the alarming statistics regarding lawyers and alcohol/substance abuse. The program will focus on the signs of impairment in the legal community and provide information about the resources that are available. We all have a duty to help our fellow colleagues. What difference will you make? The speaker for this program is Joyvan Malbon-Griffin, Esq. of Minnesota Lawyers Mutual Insurance Company.

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 23, 2018  
**TIME:** 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** 2nd Floor Conference Room, 707 E. Main Street  
**COST:** \$37.50 for members (\$47.50 after October 16); \$75 for non-members (\$85 after October 16)  
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## Continuing Legal Education courses

### Attorney-Client Communication; Tips, Tricks and Traps

Effective communication with your client can minimize the risk of a bar complaint-- even when you have to communicate bad news. This presentation will focus on an attorney's obligation pursuant to Rule of Professional Conduct (RPC) 1.4 to communicate with his or her clients and discuss how to accomplish this goal. RPCs addressed in the presentation, in addition to RPC 1.4 (Communication), include RPC 1.1 (Competence), 1.2 (Scope of Representation), 1.3 Diligence and 1.6 (Confidentiality). The speaker for this program is Prescott L. Prince, Assistant Bar Counsel at the Virginia State Bar.

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### Recent Developments in Virginia Civil Litigation

Back by popular demand! Are you up-to-date on major statutory and rule changes and court opinions? This two-hour CLE summarizes major state and federal rule and statutory changes as well as Virginia appellate, Fourth Circuit, and U.S. Supreme Court decisions over the last year affecting civil litigation in the Commonwealth's state and federal courts. Speakers: George P. Sibley, III and Jonathan L. Caulder, both of Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP.

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 24, 2018  
**TIME:** 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** 2nd Floor Conference Room, 707 E. Main Street  
**COST:** \$75 for members (\$85 after October 17); \$150 for non-members (\$160 after October 17)  
**MCLE CREDIT:** THIS PROGRAM HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE VIRGINIA MCLE BOARD FOR 2.0 HOURS OF CREDIT

### Welcome new members

The Richmond Bar Association welcomes the following new members:

|                            |                        |                        |
|----------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Robert D. Bauer            | Zachary S. Berry       | Anthony R. Bessette    |
| Margaret A. Bowman         | Michael J. Braggs      | Clifford S. Brantley   |
| Susan E. Burgin            | Dabney J. Carr, IV     | Tennille J. Checkovich |
| Benjamin R. Fox            | Barry D. Gabay         | Noopur N. Garg         |
| Frederick R. Gerson        | James M. Giudice       | Joelle E. Gotwals      |
| Brendan C. Horgan          | Jonathan G. Kastenbaum | Mary F. Balthasar Lake |
| Juliana Lyons              | Charles M. Matthews    | Joseph T. McNally, Jr. |
| Kendall R. von Michalofski | Saemi Murphy           | Richard N. P. Naylor   |
| Angela N. Neiman           | Noah S. Oberlander     | Christopher A. Pierce  |
| Marieke van Rijn           | John W. Smithers       | Ryan J. Starks         |
| Parisa Tabassian           | David A. Tierney       | Daniel J. Webster      |
| Jennifer E. Wuebker        |                        |                        |

Each new RBA member is contacted by a member of the Board of Directors to encourage them to become active in Bar activities. We invite all RBA members to reach out and welcome our new members.

# CLE Registration Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

| Date         | Seminar Title                          | CLE Hours | Members<br>(Registration/Late Registration) | Non-Members  |          |
|--------------|--|-----------|---|--------------|----------|
| September    | Pro Bono Divorces                      | 1.0       | 37.50/\$47.50                               | \$75/\$85    | \$ _____ |
| September 18 | Immigration Primer                     | 1.0       | 37.50/\$47.50                               | \$75/\$85    | \$ _____ |
| September 26 | Blockchain Technology                  | 2.0       | \$75/\$150                                  | \$85/\$160   | \$ _____ |
| October 16   | Employment Law 101                     | 2.0       | \$75/\$150                                  | \$85/\$160   | \$ _____ |
| October 18   | Drone Law                              | 2.0       | \$75/\$150                                  | \$85/\$160   | \$ _____ |
| October 23   | Lawyer Impairment (Ethics)             | 1.0       | \$37.50/\$47.50                             | \$75/\$85    | \$ _____ |
| October 23   | Attorney-Client Communication (Ethics) | 1.0       | \$37.50/\$47.50                             | \$75/\$85    | \$ _____ |
| October 24   | Recent Developments in VA Litigation   | 2.0       | \$75/\$150                                  | \$85/\$160   | \$ _____ |
|              |  |           |   | <b>Total</b> | \$ _____ |

### How To Register:

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# Announcements

## Bankruptcy Section schedules CLE/luncheon program for September 13th

The Bankruptcy Section will host its first luncheon/CLE seminar of the new Bar year on Thursday, September 13, 2018 beginning at 12:30 p.m. at the Hilton Hotel, 501 E. Broad Street, Richmond, VA 23219. The luncheon will feature a presentation by Judge Kevin R. Huennekens and K. Elizabeth Seig (McGuireWoods) entitled "2018 State of the Court and Recent Developments." It is anticipated that the program will be approved for 1.0 hour of MCLE credit. The Section member and government rate to attend is \$30; the non-Section member rate is \$45. Register using a credit card by visiting <https://www.richmondbar.org/events/event/bankruptcy-section-luncheon/>. Payment by check can be made by returning the form on the flyer that has been mailed to all Section members. Reservations must be received by September 10th; no refunds will be given after this date.

Members should mark their calendars and plan to attend the Section's luncheon/ethics CLE seminar on Tuesday, October 9, 2018 beginning at 12:30 p.m. at the Hilton Hotel, 501 E. Broad Street, Richmond, VA 23219. The luncheon will feature a presentation from Lauren Waller of Williams Mullen entitled "Protecting Client Data in the Information Age". The CLE will focus on attorneys' obligations to protect and preserve client data in the era of data proliferation, cyberattacks, and data breaches. The program will also outline strategies to mitigate the risks associated with retaining client information, including defensible data disposition policies and data maps. Registration information will be sent to Section members shortly.

## Litigation Section Fall Social set for September 26th at Kabana Rooftop

The Litigation Section will kick off the new Bar year with a Fall Social on Wednesday, September 26, 2018 at Kabana Rooftop (700 E. Main Street, Richmond, VA 21219) from 6:00 until 8:00. The event will include an open bar and hors d'oeuvres. Cost to attend is \$30 per person for Section members and \$50 per person for non-Section members. Register using a credit card by visiting <https://www.richmondbar.org/events/event/litigation-section-fall-social/>. Payment by check can be made by returning the form on the flyer that has been mailed to all Section members. Reservations must be received by September 21st; no refunds will be given after this date.



*Save the date! The Richmond Bar's popular Holiday Cocktail Party will be held on Wednesday, December 12, 2018 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. in the Marble Hall at the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts. Invitations will be mailed soon. The Association appreciates the generosity of The McCammon Group, sponsor of the event.*

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# CALENDAR

## September

- 3 Bar office closed for the holiday
- 4 Executive Committee meeting, 12:30 p.m., Bar office
- 6 Board of Directors meeting, 12:30 p.m., Hunton Andrews Kurth, 20th floor
- 10 Pro Bono Committee meeting, 12:30 p.m., 2nd floor conference room
- 13 Bankruptcy Section luncheon, 12:30 p.m., Hilton Downtown Hotel
- 13 CLE Committee meeting, 12:30 p.m., 2nd floor conference room
- 18 Membership Committee, 12:30 p.m., 2nd floor small conference room
- 18 CLE seminar: No Fault Divorce/Pro Bono, 4:00 p.m., 2nd floor conference room
- 18 CLE seminar: Immigration Law Primer, 5:00 p.m., 2nd floor conference room
- 25 Finance Committee meeting, 12:30 p.m., 2nd floor small conference room
- 26 Administration of Justice Committee, 12:30 p.m., 2nd floor conference room
- 26 CLE seminar: Blockchain Technology & the Law, 4:00 p.m., 2nd floor conference room
- 26 Litigation Section Fall Social, 6:00 p.m., Kabana Rooftop
- 27 RBA Luncheon, 12:30 p.m., Omni Hotel  
Speaker: Carla Williams, Athletic Director at the University of Virginia

## October

- 1 Executive Committee meeting, 12:30 p.m., Bar office
- 4 Board of Directors meeting, 12:30 p.m., Hunton Andrews Kurth, 20th floor
- 8 Bar office closed for the holiday
- 9 Bankruptcy Section luncheon, 12:30 p.m., Hilton Downtown Hotel
- 16 CLE seminar: Employment Law 101, 4:00 p.m., 2nd floor conference room
- 18 CLE seminar: Drone Law, 4:00 p.m., 2nd floor conference room
- 23 CLE seminar: Lawyer Impairment (ethics), 4:00 p.m., 2nd floor conference room
- 23 CLE seminar: Attorney-Client Communication (ethics), 5:00 p.m., 2nd floor conference room
- 24 CLE seminar: Virginia Civil Litigation, 4:00 p.m., 2nd floor conference room
- 25 Bench-Bar Conference, 9:00 a.m., Omni Hotel
- 25 RBA Luncheon, 12:30 p.m., Omni Hotel  
Speaker: Robert J. Wagner, Supervisory Assistant Federal Public Defender for the Eastern District of VA, Richmond Division
- 29 Executive Committee meeting, 12:30 p.m., Bar office
- 30 VSB-RBA Tech Talk CLE seminar, 9:00 a.m., 1111 E. Main Street, 3rd floor

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