

2021 Workers' Compensation Program

October 13-15



Virtual Conference

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CONFERENCE INFORMATION



Wednesday, October 13th - Friday, October 15th

The annual workers' compensation seminar features staples like case law and legislative updates as well as topics on ethics, medical subjects and technology issues.

MCLE AND SPECIALIZATION CREDIT:

This seminar may qualify for up to 15.5 hours MCLE including 15.5 hours Workers' Compensation Specialization, 3.0 hours Injury/Wrongful Death Specialization, and 4.0 hours of ethics credit hours.

DAILY MCLE BREAKDOWN IS AS FOLLOWS:

October 13: 5.0 hours MCLE, of which 5.0 hours may qualify for Workers' Compensation Specialization and 1.0 hour may qualify for ethics

October 14: 7.5 hours MCLE, of which 7.5 hours may qualify for Workers' Compensation Specialization, 3.0 hours may qualify for Injury & Wrongful Death Specialization, and 2.0 hours may qualify for ethics

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AGENDA

DAY ONE **Wednesday, Oct. 13**

Lunch: 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 pm | Breaks: 1:00 & 3:15 p.m.

Noon **Who can practice law in Arizona, what is the practice of law, and have the rules changed?**

Hon. Ann Scott Timmer, Arizona Supreme Court
Lynda Shely, *The Shely Firm PC*

1:15 p.m. **Case Law/Legislative Update**

Legislative Update
Mark Kendall, *CopperPoint Mutual Insurance Company*
Barry Aarons, *The Aarons Company LLC*

Case Law:

Rob Forman, *Dix & Forman PC*
Todd Lundmark, *Lundmark Barberich LaMont & Slavin PC*

3:30 p.m. **Breakout Sessions**

Applicants' Bar:
Diana Ezre Robles, *Snow, Carpio & Weekley, PLC*

Defense Bar:
Kirk Barberich, *Lundmark Barberich LaMont & Slavin PC*

Judicial:
Hon. Luann Haley, *Industrial Commission of Arizona – ALJ Division*

5:30 p.m. **Adjourn**

DAY TWO **Thursday, Oct. 14**

Breakfast: 7:30 - 8:30 a.m. | Lunch: 11:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m. |
Breaks: 9:00 a.m., 1:45 p.m. & 4:00 p.m.

8:00 a.m. **Best Practices for Attending Virtual/Remote Hearings**

Hon. Andy Campbell, *Industrial Commission of Arizona*
Additional Faculty TBA

9:15 a.m. **Compensability in COVID Cases**

Hon. Luann Haley, *Industrial Commission of Arizona*
Laura Clymer, *Bryan Clymer Attorney at Law*
Lisa Lamont, *Lundmark Barberich LaMont & Slavin PC*

DAY TWO **Continued**

10:15 a.m. **New AMA Guides – AMA Presentation followed by Panel Discussion**

Panel:
Eric Averkamp, *Averkamp Law*
Eric Slavin, *Lundmark, Barberich, LaMont & Slavin, PC*

11:45 a.m. **Lunch**

12:45 p.m. **Implicit Bias/Diversity Presentation**

Jessica Kokal, *Broening Oberg Woods & Wilson PC*

2:00 p.m. **Disciplinary Proceedings**

Hon. Margaret Downie, *Presiding Disciplinary Judge*

3:00 p.m. **PTSD | France Case Presentation**

Katherine Kuhlman, *PsyD, Police & Clinical Psychologist*
Amy White, *PsyD, Licensed Psychologist, Comprehensive Fitness & Consultation, LLC*

4:15 p.m. **Live Surgery of Foot or Ankle**

Dr. Hammad Zafar, *Mirage Podiatry*

5:15 pm **Adjourn**

DAY THREE **Friday, Oct. 15**

Breakfast: 8:00 am - 9:00 am | Breaks: 9:30 & 10:45 am

8:30 a.m. **Temporary/partial disability cases when terminations/resignations have occurred**

Denise Blommel, *Denise M Blommel PLLC*
Tibor Nagy, *Ogletree Deakins Nash Smoak Stewart PC*

9:45 a.m. **Work from Home Issues**

Reid Potter, *State Bar of Arizona*

11:00 a.m. **Court of Appeals Tips**

Hon. Brian Furuya, *Arizona Court of Appeals – Division One*

Noon **Adjourn**



REGISTRATION

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#21133-335 Wednesday

#21134-335 Thursday

#21135-335 Friday

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