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Bench Bar Forum

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Workers' Compensation Section

Friday, Oct. 20, 2017 • 11 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Salem Convention Center
200 Commercial St. SE, Salem, OR 97301

CLE credits: 1 Ethics, 1 Child Abuse and 1 General

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

11:00 a.m.	Check in
11:30 am	Lunch
12:00 p.m.	Immigration Law <i>Matthew McClellan and John Marandas</i>
1:00 p.m.	Break
1:15 p.m.	Legal Ethics <i>Courtney Dippel</i>
2:15 p.m.	Break
2:30 p.m.	Child Abuse <i>Brendan Murphy</i>
3:30 pm	Adjourn

BIOGRAPHIES

Matthew W. McClellan, *McClellan Immigration Law Offices, P.C.*

Matt McClellan is the founder of McClellan Immigration Law Offices in Lake Oswego, Oregon. Mr. McClellan's practice has been devoted entirely to immigration law since 1996. His firm is focused on immigration law matters for businesses, but he also advises families and individuals on immigration issues. Mr. McClellan received his B.A. from Georgetown University (1987) and received his law degree from the Columbus School of Law at Catholic University of America (1992). After working for several years in Washington, D.C. law firms, he moved to Portland, Oregon. He is a member of the Oregon and District of Columbia bars, and has been a member of the American Immigration Lawyers Association (AILA) since 1995.

John J. Marandas, *Marandas Sinlapasai, P.C.*

John J. Marandas is co-founder of Marandas Sinlapasai, P.C. in Lake Oswego, Oregon. Mr. Marandas represents immigrants in the areas of family and business immigration, naturalization, removal defense and appeals. He has provided testimony to the Oregon Legislature on bills relating to immigration. He is a past chair of the American Immigration Lawyers Association (AILA) Oregon chapter, and past liaison to Immigration & Customs Enforcement (ICE) Enforcement and Removal Operations in Oregon. He also serves on AILA National's Media and Advocacy Committee. Mr. Marandas received his B.A. from Santa Clara University in 1994 and his J.D. from Willamette University College of Law in 1997.

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Courtney Dippel, Oregon State Bar

Courtney Dippel is Assistant Disciplinary Counsel – Litigation for the Oregon State Bar and believes the best trial lawyers are outstanding storytellers. In her current role, Courtney represents the Bar in formal disciplinary proceedings against lawyers for violations of the Rules of Professional Conduct. Prior to joining the Bar, Courtney spent her career in private practice and gained experience in a wide variety of litigation matters in both state and federal courts and private arbitrations, including cases involving business torts, commercial contracts, the Uniform Commercial Code, real estate litigation, lender liability, fiduciary liability, fraud, commercial foreclosures, receiverships, trade secrets, employment discrimination and professional malpractice. For the last eight years, Courtney's practice focused on representing plaintiffs in legal malpractice cases and related disputes.

Courtney was previously the Secretary for the Oregon State Bar Client Security Fund and the former Chair of the Bar's Procedure and Practice Committee. As Chair of the Procedure and Practice Committee, Courtney was responsible for coordinating the Committee's comments on proposed legislation, testifying in front of the Oregon State legislature in support of specific bills, and proposing changes in the law for the way lawyers practice.

After receiving a B.A. in Sociology from Hope College, Courtney attended the University of Wisconsin-Madison Law School where she graduated cum laude in 2002.

Courtney was selected as an Oregon Rising Star by Oregon Super Lawyers in 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012. She was also chosen by the Daily Journal of Commerce as an Up & Coming Lawyer in 2011. Courtney serves as judge pro tem for Tualatin Municipal Court and is admitted to practice in Oregon and Washington.

Brendan Murphy, Marion County DA's Office

Brendan Murphy is a Deputy District Attorney in Marion County, Oregon, and supervises the child abuse and sexual assault division of the Marion County District Attorney's Office. He previously supervised that office's juvenile division, which prosecutes juvenile delinquency and litigates dependency petitions for the Department of Human Services. He graduated from University of Oregon Law School in 2007.

He is a co-chair of Marion County's Child Abuse Response Team and was a member of the Juvenile Justice Mental Health Task Force as well as a member of statewide subcommittee to examine crossover youth. He is co-author of the Bar Books chapter on crossover youth.

He served on the Canby School Board from 2011-2015. He and his wife are the proud parents of three wonderful boys.

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