

# Annual Workers' Compensation HYBRID Conference 2022

## Friday, April 29

- 11:00 a.m. Registration
- 11:30 a.m. Lunch
- 12:30 p.m. Keynote Presentation:  
*The Honorable Martha Walters*  
Chief Justice, Oregon Supreme Court ([see bio on next page](#))
- 1:30 p.m. Section Business Meeting  
*Allison Lesh, WC Executive Committee Chair*
- Professionalism Award Presentation**
- What's New at the WCB and Hearings Division?**  
*Joy Dougherty, Presiding Administrative Law Judge WCB*  
*Connie Wold, Board Chair/Agency Administrator WCB*
- 2:30 p.m. Break
- 2:45 p.m. Trans 101 - Creating a Safer and Affirming Workplace  
*Jay D. Rae, Cofounder, Trans Affirming Spaces*
- 3:45 p.m. Truth and Lies  
*Josh Findley, Special Agent at U.S. Department of Homeland Security*
- 5:00-7:30 Family Friendly Reception

## Saturday, April 30

- 7:45 a.m. Breakfast Buffet
- 8:00 a.m. Don't Panic: A New (and Seasoned) Attorney's Guide to WC  
*Aaron Price, Partner, Welch, Bruun & Green*  
*Rebecca Fey, Associate, Reinisch Wilson Weier PC*
- 9:00 a.m. The Intersection of Professionalism and Ethics  
*Darren Lee, Trial Counsel, SAIF Corporation*  
*Carlotta Alverson, Trial Counsel, SAIF Corporation*
- 10:00 p.m. Break
- 10:15 a.m. How to Try a COVID-19 Case Without Getting Exposed  
*Spencer Kelly, Partner, Welch, Bruun & Green*  
*Larry Schucht, Trial Counsel, SAIF Corporation*
- 11:15 a.m. Appellate Update  
*Greig Lowell, Project Manager, WCB*
- 12:15 p.m. Adjourn

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Online and In-Person at Salishan

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so register early.

Registration for online and in-person programs:

- \$225 WC Section members and non-members**
- \$175 New OSB members**  
(admitted after 1/1/21)
- \$175 Paralegals and WCB/WCD employees** (Enter code **SWC22WCB** to receive discount)

### Online Program Registration

You must register by noon on Thursday, April 28, 2022, to access the online event.

### In-person Program Registration

Please note in-person attendees will need to follow state, local, and venue requirements regarding masking and social distancing. Also, the Oregon State Bar requires that all guests at in-person events sign and return [Release and Assumption of Risk and Vaccination Attestation Forms](#) prior to attending the event. Please complete the forms in advance of the event (an electronic signature will suffice) and submit the forms to Holly Ansari at [adams6289@msn.com](mailto:adams6289@msn.com).

**Rooms are available at Salishan Lodge at a special conference rate. To secure a room at the conference rate, please call (541) 764-3600.** Make sure you identify yourself as a participant in the OSB Workers' Compensation Section Annual Meeting to get the special rate **or use this link to register online at the special rate.**

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## KEYNOTE SPEAKER



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Martha Lee Walters was elected by her colleagues as Oregon's 44th Chief Justice, and began service on July 1, 2018. First appointed to the Supreme Court by Governor Ted Kulongoski in 2006, elected in 2008; reelected in 2014. Co-Chair of the Tribal Court/State Court Forum (since 2016); Court's Representative to the Oregon Law Commission (since 2006); Private practice: Walters Chanti & Zennache, PC (2004-2006); Walters Romm Chanti & Dickens, PC (1995-2004); Walters Romm & Chanti, PC (1992-1995) Swanson & Walters, PC (1985-1992); Harrang, Swanson, Long & Watkinson (1977-1985), trial practice in state and federal courts, including employment and civil rights litigation; general practice, including business advice, municipal law and domestic relations. American College of Trial Lawyers (since 1999) ; Uniform Law Commission; President (2007-2009); Co-Chair State and Federal Relations Committee (2013-2018) and Member (since 1992); American Law Institute (since 2004); Judicial Conference of the Ninth Circuit (1992-1995); American Board of Trial Advocates (since 2017); Fellow of the American Bar Foundation (since 1998); Direction Service; Board Member (1998-2006); Classroom Law Project; Mock Trial Coach (since 2012); University of Oregon School of Law Distinguished Service Award (2011). B.A., with distinction, University of Michigan (1972); J.D., Order of the Coif, University of Oregon School of Law, (1977). Married to John H. VanLandingham IV; two adult children.

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