



## 2015 FALL CONFERENCE & CELEBRATION OF FELLOWS

### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2015

- 2:00 – 5:00 PM Meeting of the Intellectual Property Institute (IPI)  
Suite 2J  
*(Business Casual)*
- 3:00 – 5:00 PM Meeting of the International Institute of Natural Resources, Energy, and  
Environmental Law (IINREEL)  
Drayton  
*(Business Casual)*
- 6:00 – 8:00 PM Welcome Reception (Conference Attendees and Guests)  
Market Street Circle  
Sponsored by Bentham IMF  
*(Business Casual)*
- 8:30 PM Fall Dinner of the International Institute of Natural Resources, Energy, and  
Environmental Law (IINREEL)  
Halls Chophouse, 434 King Street (RSVP required)  
*(Business Casual)*

### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2015

- 7:00 AM Breakfast (Conference Attendees Only)  
Magnolia Room  
Sponsored by the Diversity Law Institute
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- 7:00 AM – 3:00 PM Registration  
Live Oak Foyer
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- 8:00 AM Welcome and Introduction  
Live Oak Room  
*(Business Casual)*
- G. Steven Henry  
LCA Executive Director and General Counsel  
New York, New York  
Seaside, Florida
- Thomas V. Girardi, 2015 LCA President  
Girardi | Keese  
Los Angeles, California

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2015

8:15 AM *Recent Assaults on the Most Sacred Privilege of All: Are Insurers Protected by the Attorney-Client Privilege?*  
Presented by the Insurance Litigation Institute of America (ILIA)

Edward J. Currie  
Currie Johnson Griffin & Myers, P.A.  
Jackson, Mississippi

Diane L. Polscer  
Gordon & Polscer, L.L.C.  
Portland, Oregon

Julia A. Molander  
Cozen O'Connor  
San Francisco, California

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9:15 AM *Handling High-Profile Cases*

Anne M. Bremner  
Anne Bremner, PC  
Seattle, Washington

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10:15 AM Refreshment Break  
Live Oak Foyer  
Sponsored by Turner Padgett Graham and Laney, P.A.

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10:35 AM *Reasonable Certainty in Financial Damages – A Case Study*

Robert M. Lloyd  
University of Tennessee College of Law  
Knoxville, Tennessee

Sharon P. Hamrick  
Elliott Davis Decosimo  
Chattanooga, Tennessee

D. Michael Costello  
Elliott Davis Decosimo  
Chattanooga, Tennessee

Missy Johnson, Moderator  
Elliott Davis Decosimo  
Charleston, South Carolina

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11:35 AM *Whatever Happened to Zealous Representation? Are There Limits? Does It Have a Future?*

Geoffrey Stern  
Kegler, Brown, Hill & Ritter Co., LPA  
Columbus, Ohio

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12:35 PM Lunch and Networking (Conference Attendees Only)  
Market Street Circle  
Sponsored by the Expert440

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1:50 PM *Ethical Networking for Litigators*

Ross Fishman  
Fishman Marketing, Inc.  
Highland Park, Illinois

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2:50 PM Closing Remarks  
Thomas V. Girardi, 2015 LCA President  
Girardi | Keese  
Los Angeles, California

## THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2015

3:15 PM Meeting of the Complex Commercial Litigation Institute (CCLI)  
Drayton

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3:15 PM Meeting of the Insurance Litigation Institute of America (ILIA) and lively discussion led by our own southerner, Ned Currie, on Harper Lee's new book, "Go Set a Watchman." Non-ILIA members are welcome to attend.  
Suite 2H

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6:30 PM New Inductee Group Photo  
Hotel Lobby Grand Staircase  
(*Black Tie*)

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7:00 – 10:00 PM Celebration of Fellows Gala  
Featuring a Special Performance by The Moody Blues  
(Conference Attendees and Guests)  
Willow/Magnolia Rooms  
(*Black Tie*)  
  
Celebration of Fellows Gala Entertainment  
Sponsored by Girardi | Keese  
  
Champagne Toast Celebrating New Fellows  
Sponsored by Kobre & Kim LLP

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2015

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- 7:00 AM Breakfast (Conference Attendees Only)  
Magnolia Room  
Sponsored by the Trial Law Institute
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- 8:00 AM Announcements  
Live Oak Room  
*(Business Casual)*  
  
Thomas V. Girardi, 2015 LCA President  
Girardi | Keese  
Los Angeles, California
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- 8:15 AM *The Art & Science of Trial Presentation: An Overview*  
Presentation by the Trial Law Institute  
  
J. Ric Gass, 2012 LCA President  
Gass Weber Mullins LLC  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin
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- 8:30 AM *Civil Trial Preparation Nuts and Bolts*  
  
David J. Turek  
Gass Weber Mullins LLC  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin
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- 9:30 AM *Trial Storytelling*  
  
Michael B. Brennan  
Gass Weber Mullins LLC  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin  
  
Richard I. Levin  
Levin Riback Law Group, PC  
Chicago, Illinois
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- 10:30 AM Refreshment Break  
Live Oak Foyer  
Sponsored by the Trial Law Institute
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- 10:50 AM *Developing the Trial Spine, Themes and Storyline that Satisfy Both Legal Elements and Jury Psychology*  
  
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- 12:50 PM Closing Remarks  
  
G. Steven Henry  
Litigation Counsel of America  
New York, New York  
Seaside, Florida  
  
Thomas V. Girardi, 2015 LCA President  
Girardi | Keese  
Los Angeles, California

END OF PROGRAM