



**FEDERAL BAR ASSOCIATION
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO CHAPTER**

**NEW LAWYER TRAINING
CURRICULUM**

**Presented by the Federal Bar Association
Northern District of Ohio Chapter**

**March 13, 2009
May 8, 2009*
July 10, 2009
September 18, 2009
November 13, 2009**

**Carl B. Stokes U.S. Court House
Cleveland, Ohio**

Kip T. Bollin
Chair
CLE Committee and
New Lawyer
Training Curriculum

Curriculum is designed to provide five separate three hour programs, with attendance at May through November programs satisfying the Supreme Court of Ohio's twelve hour NLT credit requirement for New Lawyer Training. March seminar is a bonus kick-off program. CLE credit approval is pending.

* Attendance at a Professionalism, Law Office Management and Client Funds Management Seminar is required in the first year of practice per Rule X Section 3(H)(1)(a).

NEW LAWYER TRAINING CURRICULUM

What They Didn't Teach You in Law School

Program Chair Arthur M. Kaufman

Friday, March 13, 2009

2:00pm

**What I Want, What I Expect -
A Judicial Guide for Litigators on
Representing Clients Well in Court**

Hon. Pat E. Morgenstern-Clarren
U.S. District Court
Northern District

2:30pm

**Collecting a Fee - A Practical
Introduction to the Law Governing
Collections**

Aaron H. Bulloff
Kadish Hinkel & Weibel

3:00pm

**Dealing with Bullies - Litigation
Training Providing Practical and
Rules-Based Answers**

Rocco Debitetto
Hahn Loeser & Parks LLP

3:30pm

Break

3:45pm

**Mentors/The Care and Feeding
of Partners**

Harris A. Senturia
Federal Trade Commission

4:15pm

Business Development

James Drozdowski
Hahn Loeser & Parks LLP

4:45pm

Work/Life Balance

Arthur M. Kaufman
Hahn Loeser & Parks LLP

5:15pm

Beer & Wine Reception

Professionalism, Law Office Management and Client Funds Management*

Program Chair Christopher J. Carney

Friday, May 8, 2009

2:00pm

**Establishing and Maintaining
Professional Relationships
with the Bench and Bar**

Justice Terrence O'Donnell
Ohio Supreme Court

Jeffrey Heintz
Managing Partner, Brouse McDowell LPA

W. Jack Rekestis
Independent Mediator

3:00pm

Break

3:15pm

Law Office Management

Paul J. Corrado
Paul J. Corrado, Attorney &
Counselor at Law, Co.

Harold E. Farling
Kovatch & Farling, Co., LPA

R. Benton Gray
R. Benton Gray & Company

Craig A. Marvinney
Shareholder, Brouse McDowell LPA

4:15pm

**Client Fund Management -
What To Do and Not To Do**

Richard C. Alkire
Richard C. Alkire Co., LPA

Joseph N. Gross
Partner, Benesch, Friedlander,
Coplan & Aronoff

Timothy F. Sweeney
Law Office of Timothy F. Sweeney

Michael E. Murman
Murman & Associates

5:15pm

Beer & Wine Reception

Those attending the Curriculum seminars are invited to attend a beer and wine reception immediately following each session to meet the presenters, including our federal Judges and their legal staff. Receptions are sponsored by *Legal Images* and *Rennillo Deposition & Discovery*.



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PROGRAM AGENDAS

Standing Up - A Practical Guide to On Your Feet Experiences in Court Program Chair Virginia Davidson

Friday, July 10, 2009

- 2:00pm **How to Handle Yourself in Front of a Judge and Jury**
Hon. James M. Porter
Retired Assigned Judge
Court of Common Pleas, Cuyahoga Co.
- 2:45pm **Law Clerks - Lessons Learned from Behind the Curtains**
Betsy Breese
Law Clerk, Judge Donald C. Nugent
Mary Hughes
Law Clerk, Judge Dan Aaron Polster
Conor McLaughlin
Former Law Clerk, Judge Alice M. Batchelder
- 3:30pm **Break**
- 3:45pm **Local Rules and Evidence - Pitfalls and Opportunities**
Maura Hughes
Calfee Halter & Griswold LLP
- 4:30pm **Trial and Motion Practice - The View from the Bench**
Hon. Donald C. Nugent
U.S. District Court
Northern District of Ohio
Hon. James Gwin
U.S. District Court
Northern District of Ohio
- 5:15pm **Beer & Wine Reception**

A Whole Trial in 3 Hours Program Chairs Carter E. Strang and Professor Kenneth Kowalski

Friday, September 18, 2009

- 2:00pm **Voir Dire**
John R. Mitchell
Thompson Hine LLP
- 2:45pm **Opening Statements**
Geoffrey S. Mearns
Dean, Cleveland-Marshall
College of Law and
Former Special Assistant to the
United States Attorney General
- 3:30pm **Break**
- 3:45pm **Examination of Witnesses**
Dennis G. Terez
Federal Public Defender
Northern District of Ohio
- 4:30pm **Closings**
Ann C. Rowland
Assistant U.S. Attorney
Northern District of Ohio
- 5:15pm **Beer & Wine Reception**

What You Need to Know About . . .

Program Chair Annette Garner Butler

Friday, November 13, 2009

- 2:00pm **Criminal Law**
Duane Deskins
Assistant U.S. Attorney
General Crimes Division
Northern District of Ohio
- 2:30pm **Collecting a Judgment**
Alan Weinberg
Weltman Weinberg & Reis Co., LPA
- 3:00pm **Personal Injury**
Peter Weinberger
Spangenberg Shibley & Liber LLP
- 3:30pm **Break**
- 3:45pm **Antitrust**
Philip J. Calabrese
Squire Sanders & Dempsey
- 4:15pm **Bankruptcy**
Hon. Arthur I. Harris
United States Bankruptcy Court
Northern District of Ohio
- 4:45pm **Employment Law**
Annette Garner Butler
Attorney at Law
- 5:15pm **Beer & Wine Reception**

2009 NEW LAWYER TRAINING CURRICULUM REGISTRATION

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DATES AND LOCATIONS

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Register for the entire curriculum today!

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| <input type="checkbox"/> FBA Member | \$300 |
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*For new Lawyers (0-5 yrs)

Includes Membership in the FBA Northern District of Ohio Chapter.

By registering for the entire curriculum you receive a discounted seminar rate and the March seminar free!

Register for Individual Seminars

Please check the seminars you will be attending:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Member | | \$90 each |

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- Access to a network of federal practitioners
- Continuing Legal Education - the FBA offers over 700 hours of CLE opportunities on national, regional and local levels
- Leadership opportunities on a local, state and national level
- Access to an impressive list of incentive programs, thanks to the FBA's group buying power. Vendors include LexisNexis, MBNA America, Legalspan.com, LegalTimes, Liberty Mutual, just to name a few.

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