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Monday and Tuesday
March 12-13, 2012

The David A. Clarke School of Law
The University of the District of Columbia
4340 Connecticut Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20008

Institute sessions qualify for CCAN, Special Education, and/or Juvenile Family Court CLE credits, according to the topics covered. Approval for Virginia/Pennsylvania CLE (including 2.0 Ethics) will be requested.

Monday, March 12, 2012

8:30am

REGISTRATION and CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

9am - 10:30am

Session #1: Weighty Consideration

Rebecca Goldfrank, Esq., The Children's Law Center
Ethan M. Susskind, Esq.

Session #2: Special Education Child Find Cases

Brian K. Gruber, Esq.

Session #3: Juvenile – The J.D.B. Case: Litigating the Reasonable Child

Timothy M. Curry, Esq., D.C. Law Students in Court
Nancy C. Glass, Esq., Public Defender Service

10:30am – 10:45pm

Break

10:45am – 12:45pm

Session #4: Ethics

Saul Jay Singer, Esq., Senior Ethics Counsel, D.C. Bar

Session #5: Hot Topics in Special Education

Lynne C. DeSarbo, Esq., The Children's Law Center
Megan B. Dho, Esq., The Children's Law Center

Session #6: Defending Parents in Physical Abuse Cases

Rahkel Bouchet, Esq.
Tanya Asim Cooper, Esq., UDC David A. Clarke School of Law
Michael Satin, Esq., Public Defender Service
Renee L. Stasio, Esq.

12:45pm – 1:45pm

Luncheon –

Welcome Remarks by [The Honorable Zoe Bush, D.C. Superior Court](#), Presiding Judge of Family Court

Presentation of Family Court Trial Lawyers Ass'n Lifetime Achievement Award

2:00pm – 5:00pm

Plenary: Evidence

The Honorable Henry F. Greene, D.C. Superior Court
Cynthia Nordone, Esq.
Christine Smith, Esq., The Children's Law Center

5:00pm

Reception – to be announced

The 2012 NDPI Committee: Joanne Schamest, Esq., Leslie J. Susskind, Esq., Co-Chairs BADC Child Abuse & Neglect Committee. Wilma A. Brier, Esq., Timothy M. Curry, Esq., Gary P. Jacobs, Esq., Joseph Jose, Esq., Adriane R. Marblestein-Deare, Esq., and Monica A. Myles, Esq.

Tuesday, March 13, 2012

8:30am

REGISTRATION and CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

9:00am – 10:45am

Session #1: Psychotropic Medication for Children

Dr. Gloria Reeves, University of Maryland School of Medicine Division of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry

Dr. Albert Zachik, Child Psychiatrist, Maryland Department of Mental Hygiene

10:45am – 11:00am

Break

11:00am – 12:30pm

Session #2: CCAN Discovery

R. Michael LaBelle, Esq.

Philip Skillman, Esq.

Session #3: Social Work Practice from the Inside

Kim Daulton, Social Worker, The Children's Law Center

Tyra Moore, Social Worker, The Children's Law Center

Session #4: Special Education Federal Litigation

Sarah L. Tomkins, Esq.

Donna L. Wulkan, Esq.

12:30pm – 1:45pm

Lunch on Own

1:45pm – 3:15pm

Session #5: Re-Opening Guardianship

The Honorable Noel T. Johnson, D.C. Superior Court

Yewande D. Aderoju, Esq., Assistant Attorney General for the District of Columbia

Jamie L. Desjardins, Esq.

Session #6: Lawyers Counseling Child Clients

Dr. Maisley Paxton, Child and Adolescent Psychologist

Session #7: Juvenile Topic: High Tech Investigation

Chris Pipe, Public Defender Service

3:30pm – 5:00pm

Session #8: Post-Adjudicatory Practice in Neglect Cases

Sabine Browne, Esq.

Karen E. Dunkley, Esq.

Session #9: Resources for Pregnant and Parenting Teens

M. Victoria Bellard, Office of Youth Engagement, DCPS

Allison E. Green, Esq., The Children's Law Center

Natasha Johnson, TAPP Program

Barrie Lynn Tapia, Esq.

Tininka Rahman, Generations Program

Session #10: Juvenile Practice Post-Disposition

Whitney T. Loucheim, Esq.

Penelope Spain, Esq.

REGISTRATION

For the BADC 2012 NDPI Institute at UDC School of Law, March 12-13, 2012

(Includes sessions, continental breakfast, breaks, Monday luncheon, conference materials and open bar.)

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