2020 Workers’ Compensation Program
September 23-25

Virtual Conference

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Wednesday, September 23rd - Friday, September 25th

The annual Workers’ Compensation seminar features staples like case law and legislative updates as well as topics on ethics and medical subjects.

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This seminar may qualify for up to 15.0 hours MCLE including 4.0 hours Ethics. May qualify for 15.0 hours Workers’ Compensation Specialization, and 4.5 hours Injury/Wrongful Death Specialization.

DAILY MCLE BREAKDOWN IS AS FOLLOWS:
- **September 23**: 5.5 hours MCLE, of which 1.0 hours may qualify for Ethics and 5.5 hours may qualify for Workers’ Compensation Specialization
- **September 24**: 5.5 hours MCLE, of which 1.0 hours may qualify for Ethics, 5.5 hours may qualify for Workers’ Compensation Specialization, and 4.5 may qualify for Injury/Wrongful Death Specialization
- **September 25**: 4.0 hours MCLE, of which 2.0 hours may qualify for Ethics and 4.0 hours may qualify for Workers’ Compensation Specialization

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AGENDA

DAY ONE  Wednesday, Sept. 23

9:00 am  Evolution of Workers' Compensation Law
          Dennis Kurth, Snow, Carpio & Weekley, PLC
          Gaetano Testini, Industrial Commission of Arizona

10:45 am  Case Law and Legislative Update
          Case Law:
          Rob Forman, Dix & Forman PC
          Todd Lundmark, Lundmark Barberich LaMont & Slavin PC
          Legislative
          Mark Kendall, CopperPoint Insurance Companies
          Chad Snow, Snow, Carpio & Weekley, PLC

12:15 pm  Lunch Break

1:15 pm  Technology and Use of ICA Portal
          Tom Stillwell, Stillwell Law Office PLLC
          Ruby Tate, Claims Manager, Claims Division of the Industrial
          Commission of Arizona
          Chris Norton, Norton & Brozina PC

3:00 pm  Breakout Sessions
          Applicants’ Bar:
          Diana Ezrre Robles, Snow, Carpio & Weekley, PLC
          Defense Bar:
          Kirk Barberich, Lundmark Barberich LaMont & Slavin PC
          Judicial:
          Hon. LuAnn Haley, Industrial Commission of Arizona

4:00 pm  Adjourn

DAY TWO  Thursday, Sept. 24

9:15 am  Pills to Pot? An Investigation of the Evidence for
          Cannabinoids as an Opioid Substitute
          Dr. Kevin Boehnke, Ph.D., Research Investigator, Department of
          Anesthesiology and the Chronic Pain and Fatigue Research Center,
          Michigan Medicine
          Dr. Sue Sisley, MD, President, Scottsdale Research Institute

11:00 am  Pause, Shift & Refresh - Mindset Mentor Practice
          for Lawyers
          Ericka Brian, Founder, Return to Yourself Wellness

12:00 pm  Lunch Break

1:30 pm  Disorders of the Spine; Up and Coming Procedures
          Regarding Spine Surgeries; Panel Discussion
          Dr. Edward Dohring, Spine Institute of Arizona
          Dr. Abhishek Sharma, Atlas Neurosurgery & Spine
          Dr. Lyle Young, Arizona Spine and Joint Hospital
          Moderator: Eric Awerkamp, Awerkamp Law

4:45 pm  Adjourn

DAY THREE  Friday, Sept. 25

8:30 am  Ethics Roundtable Discussion
          Moderator: Allen Shayo, Esq.
          Stephen Baker, Jardine Baker Hickman & Houston PLLC
          Trace Bartlett, Law Office of Trace A. Bartlett
          Pat Sallen, Esq.
          Stacy Shuman, Bar Counsel, State Bar of Arizona
          Pam Treadwell-Rubin, Goering Roberts Rubin Brogna Enos &
          Treadwell-Rubin PC
          Tom Whitley, Taylor & Associates PLLC

10:45 am  Workers’ Compensation Considerations of
          Working from Home
          Jean Gage, CopperPoint Insurance Companies
          Dee-Dee Samet, Dee-Dee Samet PC

11:45 am  Lunch Break

12:30 pm  Return to Work Issues in the Era of COVID
          Timothy Medcoff, Farhang & Medcoff PLLC
          Pam Treadwell-Rubin, Goering Roberts Rubin Brogna Enos &
          Treadwell-Rubin PC

1:30 pm  Adjourn
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