



## 2010 Biennial Conference

### *DIVERSITY AND THE PRACTICE OF LAW*

### *New Clients, New Perspectives, New Challenges*

#### CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

### Friday—October 1, 2010

11:30	Conference Registration Begins
11:30—12:45	Buffet Lunch
12:45—1:45	<p><i><b>HOW ATTORNEYS CAN MEET THEIR ETHICAL OBLIGATIONS WHEN REPRESENTING A DIVERSE CLIENT BASE</b></i></p> <p><i>Mary T. Morgan, Esquire</i> Cooper, Spong &amp; Davis, PC <i>Charles M. Allen, Esquire</i> Goodman, Allen &amp; Filetti, PLLC</p>
1:45—2:00	Mid-Afternoon Break
2:00—4:00	<p><i><b>MULTI-CULTURAL AND INTERNATIONAL ISSUES FROM DOMESTIC RELATIONS PRACTITIONERS — EDUCATING THE COURT, COUNSEL, AND CLIENTS</b></i></p> <p><i>Honorable Angela Roberts</i> Richmond Juvenile &amp; Domestic Relations Court <i>Brian Hirsch, Esquire</i> Hirsch &amp; Ehlenberger, PC <i>Cassandra Chin, Esquire</i> Nichols Zauzig Sandler, PC <i>Karen Law, Esquire</i> Law Offices of Karen S. Law, PLC</p>
4:15—5:45	<p><i><b>ADVISING CORPORATE AND BUSINESS CLIENTS WITHIN VIRGINIA'S EXPANDING BORDERS—ADDRESSING A DIVERSE WORKFORCE IN A MULTI-CULTURAL WORLD</b></i></p> <p><i>Kay Morgan Stockwell, Esquire</i> In-House counsel at Dollar Tree <i>Kimberly Solis, Esquire</i> In-House counsel at Amerigroup <i>Hilary Fordwich, President</i> Strelmark, LLC <i>Janene Jackson, Esquire</i> Senior Vice-President for Government Relations and Public Policy, D.C. Chamber of Commerce <i>Kristina Keech Spitzer, Esquire</i> Vanderpool, Frostick, &amp; Nishanian, PC</p>
6:00—9:00	COCKTAIL RECEPTION



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### Saturday—October 2, 2010

8:00—9:00	<b>Breakfast Buffet</b> <b><i>VIEWS FROM THE LEGAL COMMUNITY—HOW LEGAL PROFESSIONALS ARE ADDRESSING DIVERSITY ISSUES</i></b> <i>Manny Capsalis</i> Capsalis Bruce Reaser & Caulkins, PLC Past President of the Virginia State Bar Association <i>Mauricio Velasquez, President &amp; CEO</i> The Diversity Training Group
9:15—11:15	<b><i>DIVERSITY ISSUES IN CIVIL LITIGATION— PERSPECTIVES FROM THE BENCH AND BAR</i></b> <i>Honorable Cleo E. Powell</i> Court of Appeals of Virginia <i>Honorable Leslie Alden</i> Fairfax County Circuit Court <i>Honorable Thomas D. Horne</i> Loudoun County Circuit Court <i>Julia Judkins, Esquire</i> Trichilo Bancroft McGavin Horvath & Judkins <b>Kyung (Kathryn) Dickerson, Esquire</b> SmolenPlevy, PC
11:15—11:30	<b>Mid-Morning Break</b>
11:30—12:30	<b><i>ARMY, AIR FORCE &amp; NAVY—HOW TO RECOGNIZE AND ADDRESS SPECIFIC ISSUES RELATING TO MILITARY PERSONNEL</i></b> <i>Mary Benzinger, Esquire</i> Pentagon Army and Air Force Legal Assistance Office <i>Dwain Alexander, Esquire</i> Navy Legal Service Office, Mid-Atlantic
	<b><i>HOW DIVERSITY ISSUES IMPACT SCHOOLS AND FEDERAL FUNDING</i></b> <i>William B. Reichardt, Esquire</i> William B. Reichardt & Associates
12:30—12:45	<b>Break</b>
12:45-1:45	<b>LUNCHEON BUFFET</b> <b><i>THE INTERSECTION OF CRIMINAL AND IMMIGRATION LAW— ENSURING PROPER REPRESENTATION OF A CLIENT</i></b> <i>Bonnie Hoffman, Esquire</i> Deputy Public Defender, Loudoun and Fauquier County <i>Lisa Johnson-Firth, Esquire</i> Immigrants First, PLLC
12:30—6:00	<b>Golf Tournament</b>
7:00—11:00	<b>RECEPTION AND BANQUET</b> <b>Keynote Speaker: Dr. Mary Frances Berry</b> Geraldine R. Legal Professor of American Social Thought and Professor of History University of Pennsylvania