Upcoming Commercial and Federal Litigation Section Events and Co-Sponsored Events

Tuesday, August 8, 2017

Legal Ethics In The Digital Age: Practical Strategies For Using Technology Ethically In Your Practice Video Replay

CLE Summer 2017 Video Replay | 10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m. | 4.0 MCLE Credits in Ethics NYSBA Members: \$100 | Non-Members: \$200

The New York State Bar Association Commercial and Federal Litigation Section is pleased to present an MCLE program on Legal Ethics in the Digital Age: Practical Strategies for Using Technology Ethically in Your Practice. Co-sponsored by the Committee on Continuing Legal Education and the Law Practice Management Committee, this program carries 4.0 credits in ethics and is approved for all attorneys, including those newly admitted. Featuring renowned speakers on ethics, social media and electronic discovery, register for this program and learn the ins and outs of for protecting privilege in electronic communications. Speakers will also cover managing records in the cloud and organizing client files. A panel discussion on the do's and don'ts of attorney social media use and advice to clients will also be included.

Friday, September 15, 2017

Ethical Issues in Litigation Finance

Live CLE Program and Webcast | 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. | 1.0 MCLE Credits in Ethics New York Society of Security Analysis | 1540 Broadway, Suite 1010 | New York, NY 10036

In this program, participants will learn how to use litigation funding to access the resources they need to pursue meritorious commercial litigation claims. The discussion will focus on the intersection of litigation finance and the applicable Rules of Professional Responsibility, as well as the basic principles of litigation funding.

Members: \$75.00 | Non-Members: \$175.00 | Commercial & Federal Litigation Section Member: \$63.75

Friday, October 13, 2017

"Criminal ESI:" Electronic Information in Criminal Investigations & Proceedings

Live CLE Program and Webcast | 9:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m. New York Society of Security Analysts | 1540 Broadway – Suite 1010 | New York City

More information coming soon.

Wednesday, October 25, 2017

Legal Ethics in the Digital Age Fall 2017

Live CLE Program and Webcast | 9:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m. | 4.0 MCLE Credits in Ethics New York Society of Security Analysts | 1540 Broadway | Suite 1010 | New York City

Who Should Attend: Attorneys seeking more information on legal ethics in the digital age. This program is transitional and is approved for all attorneys.

Not Able to Attend in Person? A Live Webcast Option Is Available!*

*Note: Newly admitted attorneys (less than twenty-four months) can attend the program via webcast to receive New York MCLE credit but the ethics portion must be viewed on the same day of the webcast.

This program is co-sponsored by the Commercial and Federal Litigation Section, the Committee on Continuing Legal Education and the Law Practice Management Committee.

Members: \$135.00 | Non-Members: \$235.00 | Commercial & Federal Litigation Section Member: \$114.75 | Students: \$45.00

Wednesday, November 15, 2017

Shira A. Scheindlin Award for Excellence in the Courtroom

The Shira A. Scheindlin Award for Excellence in the Courtroom was created by the Commercial and Federal Litigation Section in honor of the Section's former Chair, who served as a United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York from September 1994 through April 2016. Prior to serving as a United States District Judge, Judge Scheindlin served as a Magistrate Judge for the Eastern District of New York, an Assistant United States Attorney for the Eastern District of New York, the general counsel for the New York City Department of Investigation and a commercial litigator in private practice.

The Scheindlin Award will be presented in November, on or around the date when women received the right to vote in New York State in 1917. The Award will be given to a female litigator who has distinguished herself in the courtroom in either the Federal or State courts in New York and who has shown a commitment to mentoring young attorneys in the legal community.