70th Antitrust Law

SPRING MEETING

April 6–8, 2022

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Antitrust Law Section

Behind the Magic Curtain of Spring

Our Spring planning group preparations began in March 2021 as feedback was received from 2021 Spring. We are thankful for strong collaboration, attention to details, and making it look easy. Many drafts. Many versions. We are ready to be back in-person with you in DC.

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Thank You!

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- IN-HOUSE INSTITUTE
- INTERNATIONAL CARTEL WORKSHOP
- ANTITRUST MASTERS COURSE
- ANTITRUST FALL FORUM
- ANTITRUST IN ASIA
- CONSUMER PROTECTION CONFERENCE
- WOMEN.CONNECTED ROUNDTABLE

DEAR COLLEAGUES,

On behalf of the Officers, Council, and more than five hundred committee, task force, publication, and program leaders of the ABA Antitrust Law Section, I am delighted to invite you to the Section's 70th annual Antitrust Law Spring Meeting. After two years of virtual programs, we are thrilled that the world's premier event for antitrust, consumer protection, and data privacy professionals will be returning to Washington, DC from April 6–8, 2022. We are returning to in-person programming with appropriate safety precautions, but with all of the outstanding substantive sessions, fireside chats, networking receptions, and opportunities to connect with colleagues from around the world that the more than 3,500 people who attend every year have come to expect.

Whether you are an experienced practitioner or just beginning (or contemplating) a career in antitrust, consumer protection, or data privacy, the Spring Meeting has been the indispensable venue for substantive programming and networking for seventy years. There has never been a more exciting time to be involved in antitrust, consumer protection, and data privacy, and we are thrilled to be back.

This year's Spring Meeting will again offer more than sixty sessions across antitrust, consumer protection, IP, and international tracks, with topics targeting both younger lawyers and economists and the most experienced practitioners. The Spring Meeting will cover everything from the fundamentals of antitrust economics to Big Data to the latest debates on the consumer welfare standard, and markets from agriculture to bitcoin. A few highlights of this year's programming:

- **Tuesday Events for Young Lawyers and Economists** — Our traditional "Pathways to Leadership" session will offer practical advice from Section leaders on ways to enhance your career, grow professionally, and use Section membership to develop your career. This program is followed by a young professionals happy hour.
- **Wednesday Agency Update from the Department of Justice** — Hear from the new DOJ Deputy Assistant Attorneys General about DOJ's civil and criminal work and policy initiatives.
- **Wednesday Consumer Protection Year in the Review** — Leaders from the FTC, the NAD, the private bar, and D.C. Attorney General Karl Racine will cover the landscape of consumer protection developments.
- **Wednesday Luncheon: Women at the Top** — Women who have led competition agencies around the globe will share their stories.
- **Thursday Briefing with the State Enforcers** — Senior enforcers from four states will share insights on their recent enforcement activities and future agendas.
- **Thursday Chair's Showcase: Can Antitrust Repair the World? Should It?** Leaders of the Neo-Brandeisian movement, an icon of the plaintiff's bar, a federal appeals judge who taught (me) antitrust, and leaders of the private bar will discuss antitrust's role in the world. Are there problems that antitrust can't solve or that it shouldn't even try to solve?
- **Thursday Mock Trial** — Two teams of distinguished trial lawyers, economists, and a federal district court judge will address a big tech merger to monopoly hypothetical.
- **Friday Agency Update with the FTC Bureau Directors** — The Directors of the Bureaus of Competition, Consumer Protection, and Economics at the FTC will discuss their priorities and policy initiatives.
- **Friday Enforcer's Roundtable** — Jonathan Kanter from DOJ, Lina Khan (invited) from the FTC, Margrethe Vestager from the EC, Alexandre Cordeiro-Macedo from CADE, and Gwendolyn Cooley from NAAG and the Wisconsin AG, all on one stage. This traditional highlight of the Spring Meeting will not disappoint.

Our Spring Meeting Co-Chairs Brian Grube and Doug Tween, Vice-Chair Caroline Ziser Smith, Program Officer Scott Martin, and our remarkable Section Staff have been working tirelessly to make the 70th Spring Meeting the best ever. We can't wait to see you in Washington.

Jonathan Gleklen
Chair, Antitrust Law Section | 2021–2022 | #atspring

DAILY EVENTS

HOURS	TUESDAY APRIL 5	WEDNESDAY APRIL 6	THURSDAY APRIL 7	FRIDAY APRIL 8
ANTITRUST BOOKSTORE Archives (M4)	CLOSED	7:30 AM – 5:30 PM	7:30 AM – 5:30 PM	7:30 AM – 12:30 PM
CLE SIGN-IN	5:00 PM – 8:00 PM	7:00 AM – 5:30 PM	7:00 AM – 5:30 PM	7:30 AM – NOON
REGISTRATION (Attendees & Press) Mezzanine Foyer	3:00 PM – 8:00 PM	7:00 AM – 5:30 PM	7:00 AM – 5:30 PM	7:30 AM – NOON

HOW TO NAVIGATE THE SPRING MEETING

COURSE MATERIALS

- A link will be sent the week prior to the Spring Meeting with login details.
- Please check your spam filter if you do not receive.
- Using this link you can access the course materials and faculty CVs.

MOBILE APP

- Download the mobile app to receive important messages, access course materials, faculty CVs, note-taking slides, and more!
- A link will be emailed the week prior to the Spring Meeting with login details

TIPS

1	Register early & save.
2	Remember to add the Spring Lunch and Dinner to your registration cart.
3	Check to confirm you have filled out your CrowdPass Health & Safety form and have received a QR code. This is to be shown at registration to receive your badge.
4	Beat the rush. Pick up your badge and conference materials on Tuesday so you can partake in the Tuesday networking including our Cocktails with Consumer Protection Party.
5	Sign in for CLE upon arrival.
6	CLE session seating is on a first-come, first-serve basis.
7	Drop by the informal Fireside Chats with the Non-U.S. Enforcers on the M4 level.
8	Check online for session details and the roster of attendees. The site is updated ongoing.
9	Be Social. Join your friends and colleagues at various functions during the conference.
10	Be Social. Give us a tweet #atspring
11	Drop by the Antitrust Bookstore (M4) to learn more about Section publications, committees, and ABA Pro Bono initiatives.
12	Ask questions! Section leaders and staff are ready and willing to help you get active in the Antitrust Law Section.
13	Start the morning with our Diversity Dialogues in the networking lounges located on M1 & M3 levels.
14	Update your headshot complimentarily and update your LinkedIn profile.

ABA MEMBERSHIP

ABA Membership can be an advantageous experience at all stages of your career. Start maximizing your ABA membership today. Discover more ways to put our many services to work for you.

BENEFITS

- Enhance your expertise with authoritative information on your specialty or interest.
- Take advantage of important networking opportunities with others who have similar interests.
- Earn CLE credit through CLE conferences, monthly ABA Connection online and teleconference seminars.
- Need to meet your MCLE deadline? All ABA members have unlimited, free access to more than 600 widely-accredited online CLE webinars and on-demand programs. Under today's rules, members can fulfill their entire requirement with the free Member Benefit Library included in membership.
- Career development resources to help you optimize your resume and master your interview skills. Features include a robust legal job board, career webinars, articles, podcasts and more.
- ABA Insurance offers a new insurance program specially designed for ABA Members with a full suite of products to help you with what matters most.
- Receive hotel discounts using the ABA Preferred Hotel negotiated rates.
- From technology and office supplies to lifestyle perks, ABA Member discounts allow you to save on products and services from Hertz, Mercedes-Benz, Dell and more.

Want to Join & Enjoy these Benefits? ambar.org/membership

SECTION OF ANTITRUST LAW MEMBERSHIP

Broaden your ABA experience by joining the Antitrust Law Section. Section Membership provides a unique opportunity to access antitrust, consumer protection, and data privacy colleagues and services that will enhance your professional development. Join the Section or a committee, register for a conference, or view the most current antitrust, consumer protection, and data privacy information online at **ambar.org/antitrust**.

BENEFITS

- Enhance your expertise and keep current on antitrust, consumer protection, and data privacy law.
- Access to a collaboration portal for Section members, which includes industry news, updates, upcoming Section events, an enhanced member directory, and much more!
- Receive discounts on conference registration and Section publications.
- Receive the Antitrust Law Journal, Antitrust Magazine, and Antitrust Magazine Online.
- Enjoy membership in a community of antitrust, consumer protection, and data privacy professionals with diverse interests and practices, including domestic & international government officials, and economists.
- Free access to over 150 committee telephonic/virtual programs.

ANTITRUST COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

Section members are encouraged to join a Section committee or all 31 and connect with like-minded members. Our committees are active groups of professionals who share an interest in a specialized area of the law. Section members can join committees for **FREE**.

ANTITRUST COMMITTEES

- Advertising Disputes & Litigation
- Agriculture & Food
- Cartel & Criminal Practice
- Civil Practice & Procedure
- Competition Torts
- Compliance & Ethics
- Consumer Protection
- Corporate Counseling
- Distribution & Franchising
- Diversity.Advanced
- Economics
- Exemptions & Immunities
- Federal Civil Enforcement
- Global Private Litigation
- Health Care & Pharmaceuticals
- Insurance & Financial Services
- Intellectual Property
- International
- Joint Conduct
- Legislation
- Media & Technology
- Membership
- Mergers & Acquisitions
- Pricing Conduct
- Privacy & Information Security
- State Enforcement
- Trade, Sports & Professional Associations
- Transportation & Energy Industries
- Trial Practice
- Unilateral Conduct
- Women.Connected

FUN FACTS

BENEFITS OF JOINING AN ANTITRUST COMMITTEE

- Access the Section's wealth of resources and become engaged personally and professionally with other antitrust, consumer protection, and data privacy specialists.
- Stay informed with committee newsletters and papers providing in-depth analysis of specialized areas and current topics.
- Engage in discussion groups for timely updates and discussion of major developments in antitrust, consumer protection, and data privacy law.
- Enjoy career-advancing opportunities to volunteer for committee initiatives, write for committee publications, and speak at events.

QUESTIONS

- Visit **ambar.org/antitrust**
- Email **Rebecca.Tripp@americanbar.org** with committee questions.

TUESDAY, APRIL 5

3:00–8:00 PM	REGISTRATION
3:30–5:00 PM	PATHWAYS TO LEADERSHIP
5:00–6:00 PM	YOUNG PROFESSIONALS HAPPY HOUR
5:30–7:00 PM	COCKTAILS FOR CONSUMER PROTECTION PARTY
6:00–7:00 PM	RECEPTION FOR INTERNATIONAL ENFORCERS

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6

7:00AM–5:30 PM	REGISTRATION OPEN | CLE SIGN-IN
7:30AM–5:30 PM	BOOKSTORE OPEN
8:00–9:00 AM	CAREER CONVERSATIONS & DIVERSITY DIALOGUES
8:15–10:15 AM	HOW ETHICAL ARE YOU? (ETHICS)
9:00–10:15 AM	CONCURRENT CLE SESSIONS
	1 AGENCY UPDATE WITH THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
	2 HANDLING A MULTI-FRONT ANTITRUST WAR
	3 iPHONES TO TRACTORS: KODAK IN THE SPOTLIGHT
	4 IS COMPETITION IN AGRICULTURE SUFFERING A DROUGHT?
	5 MONETARY REDRESS AND FTC ENFORCEMENT AFTER AMG
	6 NAVIGATING PER SE AND RULE OF REASON
	7 POPULIST ANTITRUST—THE BUCK STOPS WHERE?
10:45AM–NOON	CONCURRENT SESSIONS
	1 ANTITRUST TRIAL TALES
	2 CANADIAN COMPETITION LAW—WHAT'S DIFFERENT UP NORTH?
	3 CONSUMER PROTECTION YEAR IN REVIEW
	4 COVID-19, COLLABORATION, LIABILITY AND IMMUNITY
	5 FUNDAMENTALS—ANTITRUST
	6 INDICTMENTS AND JURY TRIALS: A NEW ENFORCEMENT ERA
	7 MERGER ENFORCEMENT TRENDS: FORGING NEW BOUNDARIES?
	8 SPOTLIGHT ON ANTITRUST ENFORCEMENT IN HEALTHCARE
	9 VIEWS FROM THE BENCH—NON-MERGERS
NOON–1:30 PM	SPRING MEETING LUNCHEON: WOMEN AT THE TOP TICKET
1:45–3:15 PM	CONCURRENT SESSIONS
	1 ALGORITHMIC DECISION-MAKING: IS IT WORTH THE RISKS?
	2 ANTITRUST COMPLIANCE IN LATIN AMERICA
	3 CARTEL ENFORCEMENT: WHAT LIES AHEAD?
	4 CERTIFIABLE? NAVIGATING CLASS ACTIONS TODAY
	5 EFFECTIVE ADVOCACY IN HEALTHCARE ANTITRUST MATTERS
	6 EMERGING ANTITRUST RISKS FOR TRADE ASSOCIATIONS
	7 FUNDAMENTALS—ECONOMICS

	8 HIGH TECH ENFORCEMENT UPDATE
	9 IS THERE A ROBINSON-PATMAN ACT REVIVAL?
	10 MONOPOLIZATION: WHERE ARE THE STRUCTURAL REMEDIES?
3:30–5:00 PM	CONCURRENT SESSIONS
	1 ANTITRUST COMPLIANCE AUDITS: TOOLS OF THE TRADE
	2 BIDEN'S BIG MOVES: ANTITRUST BEYOND BIG TECH
	3 COIN BITTEN? CONSUMER PROTECTION AND CRYPTO
	4 DO EXPERTS STILL MATTER AT TRIAL?
	5 ECONOMIC STORYTELLING WITH NPR'S PLANET MONEY
	6 FUNDAMENTALS—CONSUMER PROTECTION
	7 MAKING ANTITRUST SUSTAINABLE
	8 RECIPES FOR CHALLENGING YOUR COMPETITOR'S ADVERTISING
	9 RESOLVED: THE CONSUMER WELFARE STANDARD MUST (NOT) CHANGE
	10 WORK IT! LABOR MARKET COLLUSION GLOBALLY
5:00–6:00 PM	WELCOME RECEPTION
6:00–7:00 PM	PLAINTIFFS' RECEPTION

THURSDAY, APRIL 7

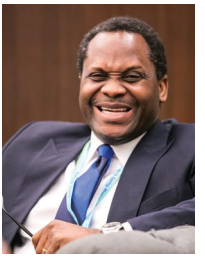
7:00AM–5:30 PM	CLE SIGN-IN & REGISTRATION OPEN
7:30AM–5:30 PM	BOOKSTORE OPEN
8:00–8:30 AM	CAREER CONVERSATIONS & DIVERSITY DIALOGUES
8:30–10:00 AM	CONCURRENT SESSIONS
	1 BRIEFING WITH THE STATE ENFORCERS
	2 DRINKING FROM THE LEGISLATIVE FIREHOSE
	3 FUNDAMENTALS—ANTITRUST IP
	4 LITIGATING DOMINANCE: DEFEAT OR DEFEND MONOPOLISTS
	5 VIEWS FROM THE BENCH—MERGERS
	6 WHEN DID YOU BECOME MY COMPETITOR?
10:15–NOON	CHAIR'S SHOWCASE
12:15–1:15 PM	LUNCHEON RECEPTION FOR IN-HOUSE COUNSEL
1:30–3:00 PM	CONCURRENT SESSIONS
	1 A RETHINK OF THE U.S. MERGER GUIDELINES
	2 AM I TOO DIRECT? D2C SELLING RISKS
	3 BIG DATA IN COMPETITION AND IP
	4 CLASH OF THE GLOBAL TITANS: PRIVACY V. COMPETITION?
	5 PAST OR PROLOGUE: WHAT'S NEXT FOR SECTION 5
	6 THE CURIOUS ROUNDTABLE: DIGITAL AND ONLINE BUSINESS
	7 THE ONGOING TALE OF TWO-SIDED MARKETS

1:30–5:00 PM	SPRING MEETING MOCK TRIAL (WITH BREAK 3:00–3:15 PM)
3:30–5:00 PM	CONCURRENT SESSIONS
	1 CONVERGENCE OR DIVERGENCE: WHERE ARE WE HEADING?
	2 GLOBAL PRIVACY HARMONIZATION
	3 GOLDILOCKS ASKS: WHEN ARE PRICES TOO LOW?
	4 HOT TOPICS
	5 IS THERE ANYTHING LEFT TO SMILE ABOUT?
	6 LET'S TALK ABOUT ANTITRUST'S DIVERSITY PROBLEM
	7 MANAGING ANTITRUST RISK IN AN UNCERTAIN WORLD
7:15–9:30 PM	SECTION DINNER WITH DESSERT RECEPTION

FRIDAY APRIL 8

7:30 AM–NOON	CLE SIGN-IN & REGISTRATION OPEN
7:30 AM–12:30 PM	BOOKSTORE OPEN
8:30–10:00 AM	CONCURRENT SESSIONS
	1 AGENCY UPDATE WITH THE FTC BUREAU DIRECTORS
	2 ANTITRUST AND SEPS: WHAT'S NEXT?
	3 IS THE U.S. FALLING BEHIND?
	4 PRIVACY AND CYBERSECURITY FOR VULNERABLE POPULATION
10:00 AM–NOON	ENFORCERS ROUNDTABLE

PLEASE NOTE: PLEASE CHECK ONLINE IN EARLY MARCH FOR DETAILS ON THE FIRESIDE CHATS WITH NON-US ENFORCERS.



CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION (CLE) AND SIGN IN FOR MCLE (U.S. CLE)

All Attendees: Will be required sign in to be eligible for CLE.

Detailed information will be emailed to the email address in the attendee's ABA record prior to the conference.

The ABA will seek CLE general credit in 60-minute states, and in 50-minute states. Number of credit hours will be identified on the Spring Meeting online agenda. Credit hours are estimated and are subject to each state's approval and credit rounding rules. Please visit **www.americanbar.org/mcle** for general Information on CLE at the ABA or **ambar.org/atspring** for CLE details.

- CLE credit is available on a session-by-session basis.
- To request credit for your participation (and obtain your Certificate of Completion), you will need to complete a CLE Affidavit. These will be emailed to you following the conference after your attendance has been verified.
- You will receive a personalized link to submit your CLE Affidavit within 48 business hours of the end of the conference.
- If you do not receive this email, please contact the ABA Antitrust staff at **at-meeting@americanbar.org**.

2022 REGISTRATION

REGISTER ONLINE TODAY at **ambar.org/atspring**

DISCOUNTED REGISTRATION CUT-OFF DATE: February 5

REGISTRATION CUT-OFF DATE: April 1

Advance Conference registration is necessary to attend this year. This will allow for time to process the Health & Safety submissions required for in-person attendance.

A variety of rates are available as listed below. There are great discounts available for Antitrust Law Section members. If you are not currently a member, we encourage you to join us both for the Spring Meeting and throughout the year.

The ABA automatically adjusts registrations submitted at the incorrect rate. Full payment at the correct rate must be received to process CLE and registration. The ABA does not accept wire transfers or purchase orders.

Financial scholarship applications are available for this conference. To request an application or receive additional information, contact: **at-registrar@americanbar.org**.

REGISTRATION RATES	UP TO Feb 5	AFTER Feb 5	Member Savings
Antitrust Law Section Member	$895	$1,095	$400
ABA Member + Join the AT Section	$995	$1,195	$300
ABA Member	$1,095	$1,295	$200
Non-Member	$1,295	$1,495	$0
Government/Academics/LLM/Nonprofit Antitrust Section Member	$175	$225	$125
Government/Academics/LLM/Nonprofit ABA Member	$275	$325	$25
Government/Academics/LLM/Nonprofit Non-Member	$300	$350	$0
Antitrust Law Student Member	$25	$50	

Enhance your Spring Meeting Experience

Rates increase after February 5

WEDNESDAY:
Section Luncheon: Women at the Top

+ $40 up to Feb 5 | +$45 after Feb 5

THURSDAY:
Spring Dinner with Post-Dinner Party

+ $125/individual | +$135 after Feb 5

+$85 government/nonprofit

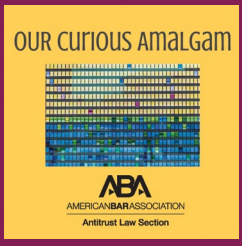
+1,250 table of 10 | +$1,350 after Feb 5

DISCOUNTS/REGISTRATION CATEGORIES	
Early Registration	Registrations received by **February 5, 2022** will be processed at the advance registration rate.
ABA Antitrust Law Section Members	The registration rate for Antitrust Law Section is reduced for this conference as a member benefit. The discount is reflected on the registration page online.
ABA Members	Become an Antitrust Law Section Member for $60 and save up to $200 on your conference registration as a member benefit. Join now and save.
Not an ABA Member	Join now and save by going to **ambar.org/membership**
Academics, Government, LLMs, and Nonprofits	Available for those with a primary position at a government, academic institution (e.g., law firm lawyers who also are adjunct professors would pay the law firm rate), or nonprofit with no for-profit affiliation.
Law Students	Available for currently enrolled JD law students who have not graduated, not passed a Bar, or practiced law. Please bring a valid student ID.

Your registration fee includes: access to the conference floor, CLE credit, course materials, networking breaks and the Committee Connection Welcome Reception.

DID YOU KNOW . . .

Non-members can Join & Save Immediately? Please contact the ABA Service Center to join the ABA/Antitrust Law Section and register at the reduced rate for Section members. Join online at **ambar.org/membership** or by contacting the ABA Member Service at **service@americanbar.org**.



OUR CURIOUS AMALGAM PODCAST

Our Curious Amalgam podcast explores topics in antitrust, competition, consumer protection, data protection, and privacy law featuring global experts.

And a Curious Hat.

A new episode every Monday.

Listened to in over 60 countries.

Enjoy the show.

CONFIRMATIONS

An e-confirmation will be sent within one-day of online registration. Please bring the confirmation and your CrowdPass QR code with you to the conference to pick up your materials

RECORDING

No audio recording, photography, or videotaping of any part of the conference will be permitted.

ROSTER OF PARTICIPANTS

A roster of conference participants is available online at **ambar.org/atspring**

REGISTRANT/PARTICIPANT IMAGE AND VOICE AGREEMENT

Registration for, attendance at, or participation in the Spring Meeting and other associated activities constitutes an agreement by the registrant to permit the American Bar Association to use and distribute (both now and in the future) the registrant's or participant's image or voice in photographs, videotapes, electronic reproductions, and audiotapes of such event and activities.

SPECIAL NEEDS

Individuals should update their profile at **ambar.org/myaba** with ADA needs and/or allergies.

SUBSTITUTIONS

Emailed requests for substitutions will be permitted. There is no additional cost for substitutions. Substitutions are not permitted day of event or after the conference has occurred. Only the substitute will be eligible for CLE credit. The substitute and original registrant must work out the payment between themselves.

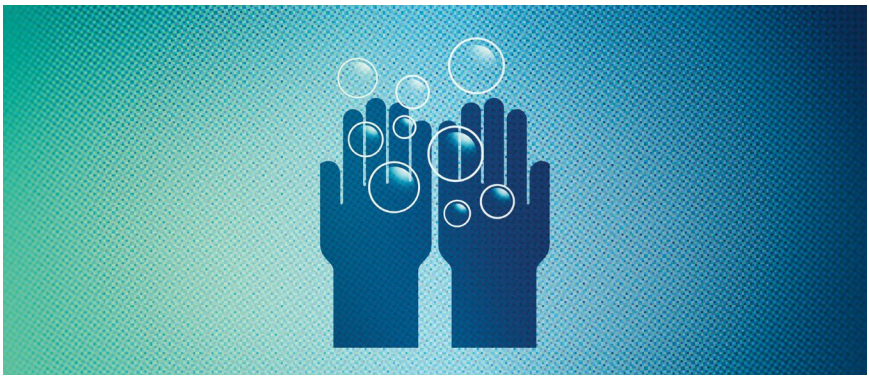
QUESTIONS?

Email
at-registrar@americanbar.org

Phone 312.988.5609 or 312.988.5550, 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM CST, Monday–Friday. Please note registrations/cancellations are not taken over the phone.

CANCELLATIONS

Should you need to cancel your attendance, please do so through your online confirmation email.



HEALTH & SAFETY

ABA IN-PERSON MEETING DISCLAIMER

The ABA takes the health and safety of our members, guests, and staff seriously. We know that the decision whether to attend a meeting is based upon a variety of personal and business considerations. We will continue to monitor a variety of sources, including the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and U.S. state and local health authorities for the latest public health updates, as well as applicable restrictions on events and gatherings. The ABA plans to hold this meeting in person but reserves the right to cancel or reschedule this event or convert it to a virtual event if health and safety restrictions require it. We will update the registrants and the website should the plans for this event change.

As part of the registration process to hold this ABA meeting in person, every attendee is required to affirm his/her commitment to comply with the in-person meeting guidelines. Please review the requirements carefully prior to registering for the meeting. You will be asked to accept the following affirmations during the registration process:

By registering for and attending the meeting, I affirm that I will provide, prior to the meeting, either proof of full vaccination as defined by the CDC or a negative viral COVID test administered by a healthcare professional taken within 3 days of my arrival at the meeting. If a shorter interval is required by law, I will comply with the shorter interval testing, as instructed by ABA staff. In addition, if a meeting lasts longer than two (2) days, if I have submitted a negative COVID test to attend the meeting, I will submit an additional negative COVID test to continue attending the meeting. I will wear my meeting badge (provided on site after verification of vaccination or negative COVID test) in meeting and event spaces at all times. I understand that collection of proof of vaccination and negative COVID tests will be handled by a third-party provider and instructions will be emailed to me closer to the meeting date.

If I am bringing a guest to the meeting, I understand that my guest must be registered using an unique email address for the meeting to be in the meeting space or group functions associated with the event and must submit either proof of vaccination or negative viral COVID test administered by a healthcare professional taken within 3 days of my guest's arrival at the meeting. I understand that no one under 18 will be permitted at the meeting or events associated with the meeting at this time, regardless of vaccination status.

By registering a guest, I understand that my guest may not be allowed to attend certain events or meeting functions. The ABA entity hosting the meeting will communicate which events are available to guests.

By registering for and attending the meeting, I affirm that I will comply with all CDC, federal, state, local, and venue-specific laws, orders, directives, and guidelines related to COVID and attending the meeting.

By registering for and attending the meeting, I affirm that I have read and will comply with CDC guidance related to hand sanitation, social distancing, and use of face coverings. I affirm that I will follow any more stringent state, local, or venue requirements related to hand sanitation, social distancing, and use of face coverings in place at the location of the meeting.

I will also follow all travel restrictions in place at the location of the meeting and my point of origin at the time of the meeting.

I will not attend the meeting if I have tested positive for COVID, am experiencing symptoms of COVID, or have been in close contact with someone who has COVID. If at any time during the meeting I begin to experience symptoms of COVID, or am in contact with someone experiencing symptoms, I will immediately leave the meeting and inform the ABA. If I test positive for COVID within 10 days after the meeting, I will inform the ABA.

I understand that my guests and I may be required to complete health screening questions after arrival at the meeting to access ABA meeting and event spaces

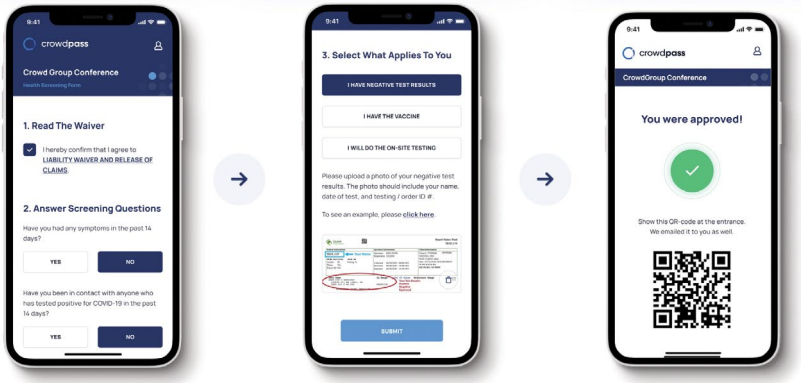
CROWDPASS

The ABA has partnered with CrowdPass, a third-party vendor, which will enable attendees to provide easy proof of required COVID-related health insights and to make entry into the meeting faster, safer, and more secure for everyone onsite. Once completed, you should expect to receive an email from CrowdPass within 24-48 hours of your submission with your approval status and QR code. Please have this QR code ready to show to pick-up your badge.

1 Fill out the Waiver and Screen

2 Attach Your Documentation for Covid Clearance.

3 Get Approved. Track and Manage a Safer Event.



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HOTEL INFORMATION

ACCOMMODATIONS CUT-OFF DATE: **MARCH 1, 2022**

A block of sleeping rooms has been reserved at a discounted rate for Spring Meeting attendees over the evenings of April 5–8, 2022. Those individuals booked in the ABA block of rooms for the conference will be eligible to be included in a surprise VIP upgrade or a complimentary room night.

Make your reservations early as rooms often sell out prior to the cut-off date.

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Conrad (Hilton)
950 New York Avenue NW
Washington, DC 20001
Phone: 202.844.5900
www.conraddc.com
Single/Double Room
$440.00 + tax
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1001 14th Street NW
Washington, DC 20004
Phone: 202.682.0111
www.hamiltonhoteldc.com
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1155 14th Street
Washington DC 20005
Phone: 202.499.7000
https://www.viceroyhotelsandresorts.com/zena
Single/Double Room **$269.00 + tax**
0.6 miles from Headquarters Hotel

Kimpton Hotel Monaco
700 F Street NW
Washington, DC 20004
Phone: 202.449.7000
www.monaco-dc.com
Single/Double Room **$369.00 + tax**
0.5 miles from Headquarters Hotel

The Hotel Washington (fka The W)
515 15th Street NW
Washington, DC 20004
Phone: 202.661.2400
www.thehotelwashington.com
Single/Double Room **$410.00 + tax**
0.8 miles from Headquarters Hotel

RESERVATION POLICIES

- Room reservations must be made directly with the Hotel. Rates do not apply if booked through travel agents or third parties.
- Please indicate that you are attending the **ABA Spring Meeting** to receive the indicated conference rates and a priority reservation so you don't get walked in the event the Hotel is overbooked.
- After the cut-off date, or when the room block is sold out, guest rooms at the special conference rate will be subject to availability and cannot be guaranteed at the special ABA rate.
- All reservations shall be guaranteed by credit card or deposit check.
- The hotel shall email a written confirmation within five days from the date on which the reservation is made.
- Cancellations are permitted up until 72 hours prior to the scheduled date of arrival. A one-night cancellation charge will apply within 72 hours.
- Rooms shall be available for check-in no later than 4:00 pm with a noon check-out time.
- Guests will be individually responsible for payment of their own rooms, taxes, and incidental charges.

TRAVEL INFORMATION

Individuals are responsible for making their own travel arrangements.
Please check **www.tsa.gov** for updates and travel tips.

AIR TRAVEL

Washington DC is located near three major area airports. All airlines offer a full range of domestic and international flights.

Detailed information and travel tips can be located on the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority site at **www.metwashairports.com**

Reagan National (DCA)	5 miles – 20 minutes away
Dulles International (IAD)	28 miles – 45 minutes away
Baltimore-Washington Int'l (BWI)	32 miles – 50 minutes away

Please use the ABA Online Travel site to receive ABA airfare discounts and to view and purchase other low fare options including web fares.

ABA discounts can also be obtained directly from the following carriers:

American	ABA Discount only available at **Egencia**
Delta	800.328.1111 Delta Air Lines is pleased to offer special discounts for the American Bar Association. Monday–Friday, 7:00 A.M.–7:30 P.M. (CT) and refer to Meeting Event Code **NMVA9**.
United	800.426.1122 | For ABA Meetings Only Discount available at **united.com/meetingtravel** and enter **ZKK5942971** in the Offer Code box. Discount will be applied at ticketing. *Not for Leisure Travel.*
Southwest	Southwest tickets can be booked on **ABA Egencia**. If not booking via Egencia you can book via **www.swabiz.com** and use **ABA SWABIZ** Company ID **99422890**.

INTERNATIONAL TRAVELERS

- International travelers should check to ensure their passports and visas are current.
- The following sites are recommended for international attendees making travel arrangements to the United States.

U.S. Customs and Border Protection	**www.cbp.gov**
TSA What to Know Before You Go	**www.tsa.gov**

LOCAL DC TRAVEL

Metro The metro rail and metro bus provide safe, clean, and efficient public transportation when getting around Washington, DC and the metropolitan suburbs.

Rail Travel Union Station is 5–10 minutes from the Marriott Marquis and the overflow hotels. Train service is a convenient option from Delaware, New Jersey, New York, or Pennsylvania.

Taxi Service Taxicabs, Uber, and Lyft are readily available throughout the Washington DC area, at the airport terminals, and at Union Station.

Dispatchers are available at the terminal/station exits to assist passengers.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Attire Dress at the Spring Meeting is traditional business attire or business casual. Masks will be requested while not eating or drinking.

Coat Check A complimentary coat check will be available at the Marriott Marquis on the M2 and M4 levels during conference hours.

Credit Cards American Express, MasterCard, and Visa will be accepted at the Registration Desk. Most hotels, restaurants, and shops will accept international credit cards, the most widely recognized being American Express, Diners Club, MasterCard, and Visa.

Automatic Teller Machines (ATM) are plentiful and situated throughout the city. Two are located at the Marriott Marquis Hotel, one in the lobby near the Concierge Desk and one on Meeting Level 2.

Dining Restaurant recommendations are available online at **https://www.washingtonpost.com/goingoutguide/restaurants/**. Reservations can be made through your hotel concierge or online at **www.opentable.com**.

Electricity is standard electricity, 110 volts. European devices will require a voltage transformer.

Smoking For the comfort and health of all attendees, smoking is not permitted at any ABA Antitrust Law Section functions. This includes educational sessions and all hospitality functions and/or areas. Please note that DC restaurants and hotels are smoke free.

Tipping Tipping is voluntary; gratuities are not automatically added to the bill (unless specifically stated). Servers are usually given 18%–20% of the bill. Taxi drivers usually receive 15% of the fare. Doormen, skycaps, and porters are usually tipped $1–$2 per bag.

NEW IN 2022

CAREER CONVERSATIONS

Please join us in the M3 Lounge for an informal exchange of perspectives on the following career topics:

- Academia
- Corporate Counsel/In-House
- Federal Enforcement
- Plaintiffs Bar
- State Enforcement

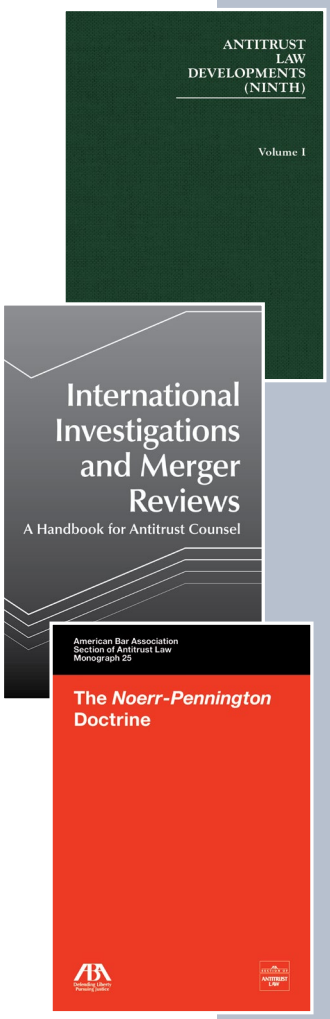
Please check the conference app for further details. This is perfect for young lawyers looking at different career paths.

SECTION PUBLICATIONS / ANTITRUST BOOKSTORE

JOIN THE SECTION AND RECEIVE A DISCOUNT ON SECTION PUBLICATIONS

The ABA Antitrust Law Section has long been known as the most trusted name in legal publishing with respect to antitrust and consumer protection law. The Section's active committees and editorial boards produce multiple new titles each year.

Take a few moments to visit the Bookstore to explore our publications and see for yourself how ABA Antitrust Law Section publications can help you sharpen and keep your competitive edge.



FEATURED PUBLICATIONS

Stop by the Antitrust Bookstore at the Spring Meeting to review and order the following new titles:

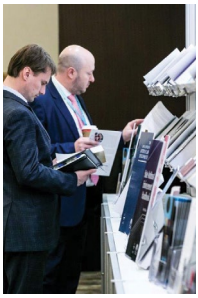
- Antitrust Law Developments (9th ed)
- Healthcare Handbook (5th ed)
- International Investigations and Merger Reviews: A Handbook for Antitrust Counsel
- Leniency and Sentencing Handbook
- The Noerr-Pennington Doctrine

The Section is committed to the highest standards of scholarship and continuing legal education. To that end, each work is drafted and edited by leading experts and rigorously peer-reviewed by the Section's Books and Treatises Committee, at least two Council members, and other Officers and experts.

Additional titles are available online at **ambar.org/products**

ANTITRUST BOOKSTORE (ARCHIVES, M4 LEVEL)

- View the Antitrust Law Section library of publications.
- Join the ABA, Section, and/or Section's committees.
- View the various committee newsletters.
- Great place for a cup of coffee.



TUESDAY, APRIL 5

3:00–8:00 PM

REGISTRATION

Registration will be one level above the lobby. Badges and CrowdPass Health QR code will be required to access the conference meeting space. Individuals on conference floors without 2022 Spring Meeting badges will be billed for Spring attendance.

3:30–5:00 PM

PATHWAYS TO LEADERSHIP

Presented by the Diversity.Advanced and Membership Committees and Young Lawyers Task Force

Interested in becoming a leader in antitrust and consumer protection law? Seeking ways to enhance your career and grow professionally? Get tips and pointers from Section leaders as they share their pathways to success, including strategies for using Section membership to enhance and develop your career.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Creighton J. MACY, Baker McKenzie LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Deborah A. GARZA, Covington & Burling LLP, Washington, DC
- Yasmine L. HARIK, Arnold & Porter Kaye Scholer LLP, Washington, DC
- Kail J. JETHMALANI, Axinn Veltrop & Harkrider LLP, New York, NY
- Heather T. RANKIE, Zelle LLP, Oakland, CA

5:00–6:00 PM

YOUNG PROFESSIONALS HAPPY HOUR

Have you been practicing for fewer than 10 years? Are you an economist or law student? Then pick up your Spring Meeting badge and join us as we kick off the start of the Spring Meeting. This is a great opportunity to meet other young economists/lawyers, Section Officers, and the Leadership of the Membership and Diversity.Advanced Committees and the Young Lawyers Task Force.

5:30–7:00 PM

COCKTAILS FOR CONSUMER PROTECTION PARTY

Does your area of concentration include privacy law and/or consumer protection? Are you interested in learning more about this rising practice area? Even if you would just like to join us for a cocktail after you register, stop by and get to know more about this area of Section activity with our three CP committees. This is a great way to kick off your Spring Meeting festivities.

6:00–7:00 PM

RECEPTION FOR INTERNATIONAL ENFORCERS

International enforcement officials are invited to a pre-conference reception with the Antitrust Law Section Officers and Council to mingle and learn more about the Section. A ticket to attend will be included in the registration materials for all international enforcers registered for the Spring Meeting.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6

7:00AM–5:30 PM **REGISTRATION OPEN | CLE SIGN-IN**

7:30AM–5:30 PM **BOOKSTORE OPEN**

8:00–9:00 AM

CAREER CONVERSATIONS & DIVERSITY DIALOGUES

Please drop by the M3 level lounges prior to the start of the day as we engage with thought leaders in informal (non-CLE) dialogues on diversity and inclusion as well as career development. Details will be provided closer to the Spring Meeting on the online agenda.

8:15–10:15 AM

HOW ETHICAL ARE YOU? (ETHICS)

Presented by the Compliance & Ethics Committee

How ethical are you? Come test your knowledge of the ABA Model Rules and find out if you are as ethical as you think you are—or should be. Answer questions addressing challenging ethical dilemmas involving multiple representation, client confidences, work product, attorney-client and common interest privileges, and more.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
John ROBERTI, Allen & Overy LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- J. Anthony CHAVEZ, Senior Counsel, Mergers & Acquisitions, Exxon Mobil Corporation, Houston, TX
- Tiffany RIDER, Axinn Veltrop & Harkrider LLP, Washington, DC
- Antonia SHERMAN, Linklaters LLP, Washington, DC
- Eyitayo ST. MATTHEW DANIEL, Assistant Chief, New York Office, U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division, New York, NY

9:00–10:15 AM **CONCURRENT CLE SESSIONS**

1 AGENCY UPDATE WITH THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Presented by the Federal Civil Enforcement Committee

Now more than ever antitrust is at the forefront of the Government's agenda. Come and hear from DOJ Deputy Assistant Attorneys General to learn the latest in civil enforcement, cartel cases, and policy initiatives. Please check the online agenda for updated presenters.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Fiona A. SCHAEFFER, Milbank Tweed Hadley & McCloy LLP, New York, NY

SPEAKERS
- Doha G. MEKKI, Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General, U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division, Washington, DC
- Richard A. POWERS, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division, Washington, DC
- TBD, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division, Washington, DC
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2 HANDLING A MULTI-FRONT ANTITRUST WAR

Presented by the Global Private Litigation, State Enforcement, and Trial Practice Committees

The recent lawsuits led by the State of New York against Facebook and Google involve 48 and 36 states, respectively. In multistate litigation, challenges can arise not only from the complexity of the legal issues, but also coordination among the attorneys. Explore how state governments and private practitioners handle multistate antitrust cases.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Katrina M. ROBSON, O'Melveny & Myers LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- William J. BLECHMAN, Kenny Nachwalter PA, Miami, FL
- Christopher M. D'ANGELO, Chief Deputy Attorney General for Economic Justice, Office of the Attorney General, New York, NY
- Atleen KAUR, Assistant General Counsel, ZF Group, Ann Arbor, MI
- John F. TERZAKEN, Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP, Washington, DC

3 iPHONES TO TRACTORS: KODAK IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Presented by the Corporate Counseling, Distribution & Franchising, and State Enforcement Committees

The spotlight recently cast on the "right to repair" has renewed questions about Eastman Kodak and the proper application of antitrust principles to aftermarket restrictions. From the Executive Order on competition to legislation pending in 21 states, to a unanimous FTC policy statement, these questions are being robustly debated. Can Eastman Kodak survive the scrutiny?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Anna ARYANKALAYIL, Attorney Advisor to FTC Commissioner Noah Phillips, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Craig G. FALLS, Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP, Washington, DC
- Stacy E. FRAZIER, Executive Counsel, Competition Law and Policy, General Electric, Washington, DC
- Aaron PERZANOWSKI, Case Western Reserve University School of Law, Cleveland, OH

4 IS COMPETITION IN AGRICULTURE SUFFERING A DROUGHT?

Presented by the Agriculture & Food Committee

Ten years after DOJ and USDA hosted a series of workshops to explore and promote "free and fair competition" in agriculture, the Biden Administration and Congress have expressed concern that a lack of competition in that sector still persists. Join this session for views from the government, farmers, and agribusiness on what's changed, what hasn't, and what changes future enforcement might bring.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Arindam KAR, Bryan Cave Leighton Paisner LLP, St. Louis, MO

SPEAKERS
- Angela HUFFMAN, Co-founder & Vice-President, Board of Directors, Farm Action, Wharton, OH
- Dina OLDER AGUILAR, Cornerstone Research, San Francisco, CA
- Mark B. TOBEY, Husch Blackwell LLP, Austin, TX

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6 (CONTINUED)

5 MONETARY REDRESS AND FTC ENFORCEMENT AFTER AMG

Presented by the Advertising Disputes & Litigation, Consumer Protection, and Privacy & Information Security Committees

The Supreme Court's decision in *AMG Capital Management* eliminated the FTC's ability to seek monetary redress for Section 5 violations in federal court under Section 13(b) of the FTC Act. Are there alternative paths the FTC is pursuing to obtain monetary relief? Is it collaborating with the states? Is it relying on other statutes? What other creative ways is the FTC pursuing?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Lauren B. ARONSON, Crowell & Moring LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Gregory W. FORTSCH, Associate General Counsel for Regulatory Affairs & Privacy Officer, Nature's Bounty (NBTY), Ronkonkoma, NY
- John E. VILLAFRANCO, Kelley Drye & Warren LLP, Washington, DC
- David C. VLADECK, Georgetown University Law School, Washington, DC

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6 NAVIGATING PER SE AND RULE OF REASON

Presented by the Joint Conduct Committee

The U.S. Supreme Court and other federal courts have recently addressed the appropriate test for evaluating Section 1 claims, including in Alston and 1-800-Contacts. Courts are also addressing whether no-poach horizontal conspiracies are *per se* illegal and thus subject to criminal prosecution. How are the traditional standards being applied, and should that change?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Adam C. HEMLOCK, Weil Gotshal & Manges LLP, New York, NY

SPEAKERS
- Deborah A. ELMAN, Garwin Gerstein & Fisher, New York, NY
- Jeffrey L. KESSLER, Winston & Strawn LLP, New York, NY
- Kristen C. LIMARZI, Gibson Dunn & Crutcher LLP, Washington, DC
- Stratton STRAND, Assistant Chief, Appellate Section, U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division, Washington, DC

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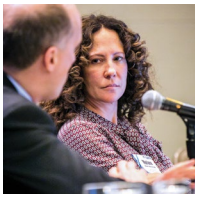
7 POPULIST ANTITRUST—THE BUCK STOPS WHERE?

Presented by the Legislation and International Committees

Populist antitrust now features prominently in the debate over competition policy in the U.S. and abroad, with revised guidelines and new agency priorities around the world. But absent new legislation, will anything actually change? Will courts embrace populist antitrust or apply established jurisprudence? Explore past—and future—judicial responses in five key jurisdictions.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Casey W. HALLADAY, McCarthy Tetrault LLP, Toronto

SPEAKERS
- Kaarli H. EICHHORN, Jones Day, Brussels
- Karen KAZMERZAK, Sidley Austin LLP, Washington, DC
- Michelle MARQUES MACHADO, Mattos Filho, Sao Paulo
- Matthew READINGS, Shearman & Sterling LLP, London



10:45AM–NOON CONCURRENT SESSIONS

1 ANTITRUST TRIAL TALES

Presented by the Competition Torts and Membership Committees and Young Lawyers Task Force

Are you a next-generation lawyer or economist? And do you want to succeed at trial? Then this session is for you. Hear from practitioners who have participated at all levels of an antitrust trial about how you can put yourself in a position to succeed.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Jesse BERINGER, Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Kevin B. HART, Assistant Chief of Washington Criminal I Section, U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division, Washington, DC
- Nandu MACHIRAJU, Attorney, Litigation Group, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC
- Alanna RUTHERFORD, Vice President Legal, Global Products & Technology, Visa, New York, NY
- Steven N. WILLIAMS, Joseph Saveri Law Firm, San Francisco, CA

2 CANADIAN COMPETITION LAW—WHAT'S DIFFERENT UP NORTH?

Presented by the Corporate Counseling, Distribution & Franchising, and International Committees

The "fifty-first state" is a meaningful market for many firms. Conveniently, the law is largely the same North of the 49th Parallel—sort of. That is the challenge: everything looks similar, but there are some tricks and quirks, from class actions to mergers to price fixing, that can make a difference. Refresh your knowledge of the differences.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Subrata BHATTACHARJEE, Borden Ladner Gervais LLP, Toronto

SPEAKERS
- Anita BANICEVIC, Davies Ward Phillips & Vineberg LLP, Toronto
- Matthew BOSWELL, Commissioner of Competition, Competition Bureau Canada, Toronto
- Navin JONEJA, Blake Cassels & Graydon LLP, Toronto
- Michelle LALLY, Osler Hoskin & Harcourt LLP, Toronto

3 CONSUMER PROTECTION YEAR IN REVIEW

Presented by the Advertising Disputes & Litigation, Consumer Protection, and Privacy & Information Security Committees

The year 2021 saw regulators and self-regulators, along with the rest of the country, take the first steps into a post-COVID-19 world. This panel will offer an "in the trenches" view of what is going on in the world of enforcement, examining claim substantiation, price gouging, endorsements, consumer reviews, privacy, and our "new normal" of virus-related frauds.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Paul L. SINGER, Kelley Drye & Warren LLP, Austin, TX

SPEAKERS
- Svetlana S. GANS, Vice President & Associate General Counsel, NCTA The Internet & Television Association, Washington, DC
- Hon. Karl A. RACINE, Attorney General of the District of Columbia, Office of the Attorney General, Washington, DC
- Meghan E. STOPPEL, Cozen O'Connor, Denver, CO
- Anahid M. UGURLAYAN, Deputy Director, National Advertising Division of the Better Business Bureau National Programs, New York, NY

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6 (CONTINUED)

4 COVID-19, COLLABORATION, LIABILITY AND IMMUNITY

Presented by the Exemptions & Immunities and Joint Conduct Committees

The impact of COVID-19 led competitors to collaborate to meet public needs. The Defense Production Act, the Pandemic and All-Hazards Preparedness Act, and DOJ's Business Review Letter process offered ways for businesses to mitigate the antitrust risk of doing so and even to obtain immunity. Looking ahead, what are the implications of these COVID-19 collaborations for antitrust counselors and litigators?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
David J. SHAW, Morrison & Foerster LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Thomas O. BARNETT, Covington & Burling LLP, Washington, DC
- David B. LAWRENCE, Chief, Competition Policy & Advocacy, U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division, Washington, DC
- Margarida MATOS ROSA, President, Portuguese Competition Authority, Lisbon
- June RHEE, Director, Master of Management Studies in Systemic Risk, Yale School of Management, New Haven, CT

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5 FUNDAMENTALS—ANTITRUST

Learn antitrust fundamentals from experienced panelists in government and private practice. This session is essential for anyone who wants to be clear on the core elements of U.S. laws and institutions, basic economic principles, and competition law outside the United States.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Deona T. KALALA, Alston & Bird LLP, Atlanta, GA

SPEAKERS
- Rani HABASH, Dechert LLP, Washington, DC
- Jonathan B. PITT, Williams & Connolly LLP, Washington, DC
- Pablo TREVISAN, Estudio Trevisan, Buenos Aires
- Caroline ZISER SMITH, Gibson Dunn & Crutcher LLP, Washington, DC

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6 INDICTMENTS AND JURY TRIALS: A NEW ENFORCEMENT ERA

Presented by the Cartel & Criminal Practice Committee and International Cartel Task Force

Indicted cases have soared to an unprecedented level, marking a cartel enforcement shift away from negotiated dispositions toward courtroom battles. From the filing of the first no-poach charges to a range of price-fixing indictments in the food supply and pharmaceuticals industries, we will examine the genesis of this push, how it is playing out in court, and what it means for cartel enforcement.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Wendy H. WASZMER, Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati PC, New York, NY

SPEAKERS
- Lisa MANNING, Schertler & Onorato LLP, Washington, DC
- James H. MUTCHNIK, Kirkland & Ellis LLP, Chicago, IL
- Elizabeth PREWITT, Latham & Watkins LLP, New York, NY
- Carol SIPPERLY, Director of Criminal Litigation, U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division, Washington, DC

7 MERGER ENFORCEMENT TRENDS: FORGING NEW BOUNDARIES?

Presented by the Mergers & Acquisitions and Trial Practice Committees

Federal and State agencies are scrutinizing mergers based on progressive theories and reexamining consummated deals through a Section 2 lens. To varying degrees, agencies are exploring potential effects on innovation, diversity of voice, privacy and bargaining leverage—amidst meaningful changes to review processes. Merging parties are pushing back, while learning to anticipate the unexpected.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
J. Brent JUSTUS, McGuireWoods LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Deborah L. FEINSTEIN, Arnold & Porter Kaye Scholer LLP, Washington, DC
- Tanisha A. JAMES, Cooley LLP, New York, NY
- Hon. Noah J. PHILLIPS, Commissioner, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC
- Gary P. ZANFAGNA, Paul Hastings LLP, Washington, DC

8 SPOTLIGHT ON ANTITRUST ENFORCEMENT IN HEALTHCARE

Presented by the Healthcare & Pharmaceuticals Committee

The FTC, DOJ, and state attorneys general continue to hotly pursue both merger and conduct investigations and enforcement actions in healthcare. Health insurers, hospitals, medical device manufacturers, and pharmaceutical companies all find themselves being scrutinized. Is the scrutiny justified? We'll spotlight the healthcare matters making headlines today.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Peter MUCCHETTI, Clifford Chance, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Kevin HAHM, Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP, Washington, DC
- Eric WELSH, Chief, Healthcare and Consumer Products Section, U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division, Washington, DC
- Christine L. WHITE, Vice President-Office of Legal Affairs, Northwell Health, Port Washington, NY
- Abigail U. WOOD, Deputy Attorney General, Antitrust Section, Office of the Attorney General, Harrisburg, PA

9 VIEWS FROM THE BENCH—NON-MERGERS

Presented by the Global Private Litigation and Trial Practice Committees

Non-merger litigation has presented a broad variety of antitrust issues involving dynamic facts and complex economic testimony. Join this panel of experienced judges to discuss how they approach and manage these types of cases.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
D. Bruce HOFFMAN, Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Hon. Denise L. COTE, U.S. District Judge, U.S. District Court Southern District of New York, New York, NY
- Hon. Amit P. MEHTA, U.S. District Judge, U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia, Washington, DC
- Hon. R. David PROCTOR, U.S. District Judge, U.S. District Court Northern District of Alabama, Birmingham, AL

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6 (CONTINUED)

NOON–1:30 PM

SPRING MEETING LUNCHEON: WOMEN AT THE TOP

Ticketed Event

The glass ceiling on the global competition world is breaking. Leadership of the world's 140-plus competition agencies used to be an exclusive men's club. Today, a growing number of women have led competition agencies on every continent. Hear from those who did: how they got there, how they promote diversity within their agencies, and what they see coming down the pike in terms of diversity for the field.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Gabrielle KOHLMEIER, Managing Associate General Counsel, Verizon, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Cani FERNANDEZ, President, National Commission of Markets & Competition, Barcelona
- Michal HALPERIN, Harvard Kennedy School, Boston, MA
- Alejandra PALACIOS PRIETO, Immediate Past Chairwoman, COFECE, Mexico City

1:45–3:15 PM

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

1 ALGORITHMIC DECISION-MAKING: IS IT WORTH THE RISKS?

Presented by the Consumer Protection, Diversity.Advanced, and Privacy & Information Security Committees

Algorithmic tools offer many benefits, enhancing automation, efficiency, and accuracy of processes. But they also create unique risks for collusive activity and price-fixing, privacy and consumer protection, as well as diversity and inclusion, in a range of areas, including hiring, healthcare, advertising, criminal sentencing, and lending. How do we mitigate these risks and combat these biases?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Erika DOUGLAS, Temple University Law School, Philadelphia, PA

SPEAKERS
- Avery GARDINER, Chief Counsel, Senate Judiciary Committee, Competition Policy, Antitrust & Consumer Rights Subcommittee, Washington, DC
- Stefan HUNT, Chief Data & Technology Insight Officer UK Competition & Markets Authority, London
- Michelle RINDONE, Assistant Chief, International Section, U.S. Department Justice, Antitrust Division, Washington, DC

2 ANTITRUST COMPLIANCE IN LATIN AMERICA

Presented by the Compliance & Ethics Committee

Several Latin American jurisdictions have introduced substantial fines and criminal charges for antitrust violations. What should an effective antitrust compliance program look like in Latin America? Enforcers and private practitioners will share their perspectives on the recommended components of antitrust compliance programs in Latin America.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Eduardo PÉREZ MOTTA, SAI Derecho y Economia, Mexico City

SPEAKERS
- Brenda G. HERNÁNDEZ RAMÍREZ, Acting Chair Commissioner, Comisión Federal de Competencia Económica (COFECE), Mexico City
- Felipe IRARRÁZABAL PHILIPPI, Universidad Adolfo Ibáñez, Santiago
- Alfonso MIRANDA LONDOÑO, Esguerra Asesores Juridicos, Bogotá
- Mariana TAVARES DE ARAUJO, Levy & Salomoa, Rio de Janeiro

3 CARTEL ENFORCEMENT: WHAT LIES AHEAD?

Presented by the Cartel & Criminal Practice Committee and International Cartel Task Force

A year in, the Biden Administration's criminal antitrust priorities are taking shape, and long-standing practices are shifting. From agriculture to labor and procurement, a growing number of industries are in the crosshairs. This panel will look to read the tea leaves about developments, surprises, and predictions on the enforcement frontier.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Lindsey R. VAALA, Vinson & Elkins LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- D. Jarrett ARP, Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP, Washington, DC
- Maria JASPERS, Director, Cartels Directorate, DG Competition, European Commission, Brussels
- Heather S. NYONG'O, Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton LLP, San Francisco, CA
- Marvin PRICE, Director, Criminal Enforcement, U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division, Washington, DC

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4 CERTIFIABLE? NAVIGATING CLASS ACTIONS TODAY

Presented by the Civil Practice & Procedure, Global Private Litigation, and Trial Practice Committees

Recently, U.S. courts have increasingly scrutinized class certification motions. At the same time, U.S. antitrust reform efforts may make it easier than ever to prosecute class actions. Meanwhile, outside of the U.S., the increase in collective actions may require more rules and adjusted expectations. What does the future hold?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Patrick S. THOMPSON, Perkins Coie LLP, San Francisco, CA

SPEAKERS
- J. Mark GIDLEY, White & Case LLP, Washington, DC
- Kellie LERNER, Robins Kaplan LLP, New York, NY
- Celeste C. SARAVIA, Cornerstone Research, San Francisco, CA
- Hon. Jon S. TIGAR, U.S. District Judge, U.S. District Court for the Northern District of California, Oakland, CA

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5 EFFECTIVE ADVOCACY IN HEALTHCARE ANTITRUST MATTERS

Presented by the Health Care & Pharmaceuticals Committee

From pharma price increases and provider mergers, healthcare competition issues often prompt government scrutiny. Watch distinguished lawyers present their initial cases and hear the enforcers' feedback, as merging parties try to defend a hospital merger to skeptical U.S. authorities.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Lauren M. RACKOW, Cahill Gordon & Reindel LLP, New York, NY

SPEAKERS
- Norman ARMSTRONG, JR., King & Spalding LLP, Washington, DC
- Andrea A. MURINO, Kirkland & Ellis LLP, Washington, DC
- Andrew ROBINSON, Assistant Chief, Healthcare and Consumer Products Section, U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division, Washington, DC
- Margaret A. WARD, Jones Day, San Francisco, CA

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6 (CONTINUED)

6 EMERGING ANTITRUST RISKS FOR TRADE ASSOCIATIONS

Presented by the Trade, Sports & Professional Associations Committee

Recurrent enforcement efforts by the DOJ and FTC demonstrate the ongoing antitrust risks posed by trade association activities. Learn how to avoid liabilities arising from improper trade association conduct, including cartels, group boycotts, tying, restrictive membership restraints, and other problematic practices.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
David A. YOUNG, Ropes & Gray LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Courtney J. ARMOUR, Chief Legal Officer, Distilled Spirits Council of the U.S., Washington, DC
- Robert A. BRAUN, Cohen Milstein Sellers & Toll PLLC, Washington, DC
- Charles MOORE, White & Case LLP, Washington, DC
- Jeremy PEARLMAN, Head of Antitrust, Office of the Attorney General, Hartford, CT

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7 FUNDAMENTALS—ECONOMICS

Presented by the Economics Committee

Basic economic precepts are indispensable to effective antitrust arguments. Yet, economists' use of increasingly sophisticated theories and methodologies stretches the capacity of jurors, lawyers, and judges to properly apply their conclusions. Our panel will discuss economic principles and the value to lawyers of keeping pace with state-of-the-art economic thinking.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Robert MCNARY, Deputy Attorney General, Antitrust Section, Office of the Attorney General, Los Angeles, CA

SPEAKERS
- Ginger Zhe JIN, University of Maryland College Park, College Park, MD
- Sheng LI, NERA Economic Consulting, White Plains, NY
- Nathan PETEK, Economist, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC
- Maria STOYADINOVA, Compass Lexecon, Washington, DC

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8 HIGH TECH ENFORCEMENT UPDATE

Presented by the State Enforcement and Unilateral Conduct Committees

State and federal enforcers have brought several high-profile lawsuits against tech companies alleging anticompetitive conduct in various product markets. Hear about the challenges of coordination and the policy considerations relating to these enforcement actions.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Shelley J. WEBB, Vice President, Legal, Intel Corporation, Santa Clara, CA

SPEAKERS
- Paula BLIZZARD, Supervising Deputy Attorney General, Antitrust Section, Office of the Attorney General, San Francisco, CA
- James LLOYD, Antitrust Chief, Office of the Attorney General, Austin, TX
- John NEWMAN, Deputy Director, Bureau of Competition, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC

9 IS THERE A ROBINSON-PATMAN ACT REVIVAL?

Presented by the Corporate Counseling, Distribution & Franchising, and Pricing Conduct Committees

Have reports of the Robinson-Patman Act's death been greatly exaggerated? Explore the latest pronouncements on price discrimination by the Biden Administration, the enforcement agencies, and Congress, recent trials of Robinson Patman claims, and the implications for the future of Robinson Patman Act compliance and enforcement.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Wendy K. ARENDS, Husch Blackwell LLP, Madison, WI

SPEAKERS
- Christina DEPASQUALE, Johns Hopkins Carey Business School, Baltimore, MD
- Alicia L. DOWNEY, Downey Law LLC, Boston, MA
- Howard FELLER, McGuireWoods LLP, Richmond, VA
- Mark POE, Gaw Poe LLP, San Francisco, CA

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10 MONOPOLIZATION: WHERE ARE THE STRUCTURAL REMEDIES?

Presented by the Economics, International, and Unilateral Conduct Committees

Identifying an effective and workable remedy is one of the key challenges to successfully resolving monopolization and abuse of dominance cases. While structural remedies are often used to resolve concerns about the creation of market power in merger cases, they have been used only rarely to remedy the abuse of monopoly power or dominance. Are structural remedies underutilized in this area?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
James B. MUSGROVE, McMillan LLP, Toronto

SPEAKERS
- Cristina CAFFARA, Charles River Associates, London
- Karma M. GIULIANELLI, Bartlit Beck LLP, Denver, CO
- Luc GYSELEN, Arnold & Porter Kaye Scholer LLP, Brussels
- William J. KOLASKY, Hughes Hubbard & Reed LLP, Washington, DC

3:30–5:00 PM CONCURRENT SESSIONS

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1 ANTITRUST COMPLIANCE AUDITS: TOOLS OF THE TRADE

Presented by the Civil Practice & Procedure and Compliance & Ethics Committees

An effective corporate compliance program is paramount, particularly in light of DOJ's compliance guidance, which includes an expectation that companies conduct antitrust audits. Hear about the benefits of and process for conducting antitrust audits, options for how to conduct audits, covert document review, interviews, specialized training, forensic tools and data monitoring tools.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Casey E. LUCIER, Investigative Counsel, U.S. House of Representatives, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Pedro DE LA TORRE, Global Compliance Officer & Corporate Counsel, The Chemours Company, Wilmington, DE
- Dean V. HOFFMAN, Global Head of Antitrust Compliance, JPMorgan Chase & Co, New York, NY
- Jacklin C. LEM, Assistant Chief, San Francisco Office, U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division, San Francisco, CA
- Nicole P. WELLS, FTI Consulting, Chicago, IL

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6 (CONTINUED)

2 BIDEN'S BIG MOVES: ANTITRUST BEYOND BIG TECH

Presented by the Federal Civil Enforcement and Transportation & Energy Committees

Antitrust scrutiny does not only apply to Big Tech. Enjoy a bit of trivia and a panel discussion, "talk show style," regarding the implications of President Biden's Executive Order on non-tech industries, including what has happened since the Executive Order, inter-agency cooperation, and what to expect next.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Shylah R. ALFONSO, Perkins Coie LLP, Seattle, WA

SPEAKERS
- Andrew C. FINCH, Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison LLP, Washington, DC
- Kathleen S. O'NEILL, Senior Director of Investigations and Litigation, U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division, Washington, DC
- Edith RAMIREZ, Hogan Lovells US LLP, Washington, DC
- Hon. Christine S. WILSON, Commissioner, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC

3 COIN BITTEN? CONSUMER PROTECTION AND CRYPTO

Presented by the Insurance & Financial Services and Media & Technology Committees

Financial regulation typically reacts to, rather than anticipates, market events. While cryptocurrency matures toward mainstream approval, regulations protecting consumers have remained nascent. Where are agencies like the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau headed and how should they change their approach to the world of blockchain? How can they best protect consumers in the age of crypto?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Robert B. MAHINI, Senior Competition Counsel, Google, Inc., Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Representative, Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, Washington, DC
- Milana H. MCCULLAGH, Vice President, Deputy General Counsel, Product & Commercial Legal, Coinbase, San Francisco, CA
- Lisa MILLER, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Fraud & Appellate Sections, U.S. Department of Justice, Criminal Division, Washington, DC
- Duane C. POZZA, Wiley Rein LLP, Washington, DC

4 DO EXPERTS STILL MATTER AT TRIAL?

Presented by the Trial Practice Committee and the Antitrust Law Journal & Magazine Periodicals

Parties routinely present expert economists at trial, but in a number of recent cases courts have questioned the value of expert testimony. Does this affirm the adage that you can lose an antitrust case with expert testimony but can't win one with it? What's the key to make expert testimony effective and dispositive?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Leah BRANNON, Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Hon. Yvonne GONZALEZ ROGERS, U.S. District Judge, U.S. District Court for the Northern District of California, Oakland, CA
- Aviv NEVO, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA
- Daniel G. SWANSON, Gibson Dunn & Crutcher LLP, Los Angeles, CA
- Bonny E. SWEENEY, Hausfeld LLP, San Francisco, CA

5 ECONOMIC STORYTELLING WITH NPR'S PLANET MONEY

Presented by the Economics and Unilateral Conduct Committees

Practicing antitrust successfully means telling a clear and compelling story about the ways that economic forces affect people's lives. The podcasters at NPR's Planet Money are masters of making economic stories engaging for "generalist" audiences. Learn how they research and present both technical and anecdotal evidence, drawing on their recent coverage of blockbuster antitrust cases.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Taylor M. OWINGS, Baker Botts LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Elizabeth BAILEY, Charles River Associates, Oakland, CA
- Kenny MALONE, Host / Correspondent, Planet Money, National Public Radio, New York, NY
- Richard G. PARKER, Gibson Dunn & Crutcher LLP, Washington, DC
- Stacey VANEK SMITH, Host / Correspondent, The Indicator from Planet Money, National Public Radio, New York, NY

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6 FUNDAMENTALS—CONSUMER PROTECTION

Presented by the Advertising Disputes & Litigation, Consumer Protection, and Privacy & Information Security Committees

Representing a variety of perspectives, this session will provide an introduction to consumer protection law, including privacy, data security, and advertising and marketing law.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Alysha MANJI-KNIGHT, Davies Ward Phillips & Vineberg LLP, Toronto

SPEAKERS
- Erika BROWN LEE, General Counsel and Managing Director, Global Data Privacy, Citi, New York, NY
- Robert M. LANGER, Wiggin and Dana LLP, Hartford, CT
- Raqiyyah R. PIPPINS, Arnold & Porter Kaye Scholer LLP, Washington, DC
- Eric UNIS, Attorney, National Advertising Division of the Better Business Bureau National Programs, New York, NY

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7 MAKING ANTITRUST SUSTAINABLE

Presented by the International Comments & Policy and Transportation & Energy Committees

Some claim that achieving sustainability requires far-reaching changes to the antitrust assessment of agreements, mergers, and even unilateral conduct, while others argue that sustainability arrangements may conceal competition greenwashing. Does antitrust need reform to contribute to a greener planet?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
James R. MODRALL, Norton Rose Fulbright LLP, Brussels

SPEAKERS
- Ninette DODOO, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer LLP, Beijing
- Morgan F. FRONTCZAK, Senior Antitrust Counsel, Shell International, The Hague
- Amelia MIAZAD, University of California Berkeley, Berkeley, CA
- Martijn SNOEP, Chairman, Netherlands Authority for Consumers & Markets, The Hague

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6 (CONTINUED)

8 RECIPES FOR CHALLENGING YOUR COMPETITOR'S ADVERTISING

Presented by the Advertising Disputes & Litigation and Consumer Protection Committees

Recent cases have created a new blend of challenges and opportunities for companies seeking to challenge competitors' ad programs—and to fend off such challenges. Hear about the latest developments on this front.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Daniel S. BLYNN, Venable LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- India BOULTON, Senior Vice President, Legal Affairs, T-Mobile, Shawnee, KS
- Richard H. CUNNINGHAM, Kirkland & Ellis LLP, Washington, DC
- August T. HORVATH, Foley Hoag LLP, New York, NY
- Paroma SANYAL, The Brattle Group Inc, Washington, DC

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9 RESOLVED: THE CONSUMER WELFARE STANDARD MUST (NOT) CHANGE

Presented by the Legislation Committee

For more than 40 years, the consumer welfare standard has guided antitrust policy and enforcement. But today the enforcement agencies, the White House, and Congress are debating whether that standard must change to accommodate the economic realities of the 21st century. Hear two sides debate whether the time is ripe for such a change.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Scott P. PERLMAN, Mayer Brown LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Hon. Douglas H. GINSBURG, U.S. Circuit Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals for the DC Circuit, Washington, DC
- Diana L. MOSS, President, American Antitrust Institute, Washington, DC
- Steven C. SALOP, Georgetown University Law School, Washington, DC
- Joshua D. WRIGHT, Antonin Scalia Law School — George Mason University, Arlington, VA

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10 WORK IT! LABOR MARKET COLLUSION GLOBALLY

Presented by the Cartel & Criminal Practice and International Committees with the International Cartel Task Force

U.S. enforcers have made prosecution of labor market collusion a priority, as shown by the recent indictments for wage-fixing and employee no-poach agreements. How will juries react? Meanwhile, the rest of the world has adopted different approaches to labor market collusion, some more strict and others more permissive. Explore the global legal landscape and landmines of labor market collusion.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Niall E. LYNCH, Latham & Watkins LLP, San Francisco, CA

SPEAKERS
- James J. FREDRICKS, Chief, Washington Criminal II Section, U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division, Washington, DC
- Kaeleigh KUZMA, Osler Hoskin Harcourt LLP, Calgary, Alberta
- Barbara ROSENBERG, Barbosa Müssnich & Aragão, Sao Paulo
- Brent SNYDER, Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati PC, San Francisco, CA

5:00–6:00 PM **WELCOME RECEPTION**
2nd Floor Mezzanine

Cocktails. Conversations. Colleagues. Committees. Connections. Mix and mingle with your fellow Spring Meeting attendees while learning more about the Antitrust Law Section Committees. Your Spring Meeting badge is your ticket to attend.

6:00–7:00 PM **PLAINTIFFS' RECEPTION**
Registered attorneys from the plaintiffs' bar are invited to join their peers and the Global Private Litigation Committee for an opportunity to network and discuss issues of common interest. A ticket to attend will be included in the registration materials for plaintiffs' counsel.

THURSDAY, APRIL 7

7:00AM–5:30 PM **CLE SIGN-IN & REGISTRATION OPEN**

7:30AM–5:30 PM **BOOKSTORE OPEN**

8:00–8:30 AM **CAREER CONVERSATIONS & DIVERSITY DIALOGUES**
Please drop by the M3 level lounges prior to the start of the day as we engage with thought leaders in informal (non-CLE) dialogues on diversity and inclusion as well as career development. Details will be provided closer to the Spring Meeting on the online agenda.

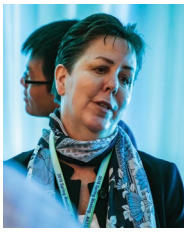
8:30–10:00 AM **CONCURRENT SESSIONS**

1 BRIEFING WITH THE STATE ENFORCERS
Presented by the Consumer Protection and State Enforcement Committees

Antitrust and consumer protection enforcement by state attorneys general is on a continued upswing and getting more interesting by the day. Join our panelists from state attorneys general offices across the country to hear about their recent enforcement activities and future agendas.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
- Eric LIPMAN, Director, Litigation & Global Competition, Uber Technologies Inc, Dallas, TX

SPEAKERS
- Sarah O. ALLEN, Senior Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Unit Manager, Office of the Attorney General, Richmond, VA
- Nicholas G. GRIMMER, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Office of the Attorney General, Austin, TX
- Elinor R. HOFFMAN, Chief, Antitrust Bureau, Office of the Attorney General, New York, NY
- Rahul RAO, Managing Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, Seattle, WA



THURSDAY, APRIL 7 (CONTINUED)

2 DRINKING FROM THE LEGISLATIVE FIREHOSE

Presented by the International and State Enforcement Committees

The past two years have seen a wave of state and federal proposals, from both sides of the aisle, to overhaul the antitrust laws—some even proposing to push U.S. antitrust enforcement closer to European standards. To understand where the U.S. is headed, it will be critical to know what is on the horizon and the potential friction that may result between differing state and federal standards.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Diane R. HAZEL, First Assistant Attorney General-Antitrust, Office of the Attorney General, Denver, CO

SPEAKERS
- Paul L. CSISZAR, Director of Basic Industries, Manufacturing & Agriculture, DG Competition, European Commission, Brussels
- Shira LIU, Crowell & Moring LLP, Irvine, CA
- Terrell P. MCSWEENY, Covington & Burling LLP, Washington, DC

3 FUNDAMENTALS—ANTITRUST IP

Presented by the Intellectual Property and Media & Technology Committees

Learn antitrust-IP fundamentals from experienced panelists, with an introduction to key concepts in the intersection of IP and antitrust, including IP and market power, tying, refusal to license, exclusive licensing, grant-backs, package licensing, field-of-use restrictions, and pharmaceutical issues such as reverse payments.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Andrew J. TUCK, Alston & Bird LLP, Atlanta, GA

SPEAKERS
- David EMANUELSON, Associate General Counsel, Antitrust & Commercial Litigation Group, Intel Corporation, Santa Clara
- Kirti GUPTA, Chief Economist, Qualcomm Technologies Incorporated, San Diego, CA
- Suzanne MUNCK AF ROSENSCHOLD, Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP, Washington, DC
- Gilad OHANA, Senior Director, Antitrust & Competition, Cisco Systems, Sunnyvale, CA

4 LITIGATING DOMINANCE: DEFEAT OR DEFEND MONOPOLISTS

Presented by the Global Private Litigation and Trial Practice Committees

Monopolization and abuse of dominance charges fill headlines around the world. Big Tech and others now are in the spotlight for acquiring or using market power allegedly to exclude competitors, exploit partners,and harm consumers. These cases present unique challenges for litigators on both sides of the case across multiple jurisdictions. What are the key issues? How do litigators defeat or defend alleged monopolists? Come learn!

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Kenneth R. O'ROURKE, Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati PC, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Megan E. JONES, Hausfeld LLP, San Francisco, CA
- Kyung Yul LEE, Kim & Chang, Seoul
- Amy B. MANNING, McGuireWoods LLP, Chicago, IL
- Christof SWAAK, Stibbe, Amsterdam

5 VIEWS FROM THE BENCH—MERGERS

Presented by the Global Private Litigation and Trial Practice Committees

The past few years have seen some of the most challenging and heavily litigated merger cases come before the courts. Judges who have heard these cases will share their lessons and observations from the bench.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Adam J. BIEGEL, Alston & Bird LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Hon. Gerald J. PAPPERT, U.S. District Judge, U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA
- Hon. Alice R. SENECHAL, U.S. Magistrate Judge, U.S. District Court for the District of North Dakota, Fargo, ND

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6 WHEN DID YOU BECOME MY COMPETITOR?

Presented by the Compliance & Ethics and Corporate Counseling Committees

Recent enforcement actions challenging restraints on competition for employees have led antitrust compliance counselors to reconsider who might be a company's competitors. Is every company that might hire an employee a rival? Are different employees in different markets? Does this affect merger analysis? Do we need a new approach to addressing buy-side competition for employees?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Elai E. KATZ, Cahill Gordon & Reindel LLP, New York, NY

SPEAKERS
- Theodore L. BANKS, Scharf Banks Marmor LLC, Chicago, IL
- Keira CAMPBELL, Director & Counsel, Antitrust, American Express, New York, NY
- Jee-Yeon K. LEHMANN, Analysis Group Inc, Boston, MA
- David P. WALES, Skadden Arps Slate Meagher and Flom LLP, Washington, DC

10:15–NOON

CHAIR'S SHOWCASE

Can antitrust be used to repair the world? Should it? Leaders in their field will discuss the sort of problems that antitrust can and should try to solve.

SESSION CHAIR/ MODERATOR
Jonathan I. GLEKLEN, Arnold & Porter Kaye Scholer LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Michael D. HAUSFELD, Hausfeld LLP, Washington, DC
- Jonathan M. JACOBSON, Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati PC, New York, NY
- Barry C. LYNN, Open Markets Institute, Washington, DC
- Leslie C. OVERTON, Axinn Veltrop & Harkrider LLP, Washington, DC
- Zephyr TEACHOUT, Fordham Law School, New York, NY
- Hon. Diane P. WOOD, U.S. Circuit Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit, Chicago, IL

12:15–1:15 PM

LUNCHEON RECEPTION FOR IN-HOUSE COUNSEL

The Section Officers and Spring Meeting Co-chairs invite registered Spring Meeting in-house counsel to a luncheon reception. This is an opportunity to make connections and discuss issues of common interest with peers at other companies. A ticket to attend will be included in the registration materials for in-house counsel attending the Spring Meeting. Details will be emailed closer to the Spring Meeting.

THURSDAY, APRIL 7 (CONTINUED)

1:30–3:00 PM CONCURRENT SESSIONS

1 A RETHINK OF THE U.S. MERGER GUIDELINES

Presented by the Mergers & Acquisitions Committee

FTC Chair Khan and DOJ then Acting AAG Powers stated the horizontal and vertical merger guidelines may be overly permissive and need to reflect a different approach. While still in the early days, panelists will discuss what (if anything) they hope changes in new vertical and horizontal merger guidelines, what they hope stays out of them, and what they expect to make the agencies' first cut.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Haidee L. SCHWARTZ, Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Makan DELRAHIM, University of Pennsylvania Law School, Philadelphia, PA
- Fiona SCOTT MORTON, Yale School of Management, Washington, DC
- Hon. Rebecca K. SLAUGHTER, Commissioner, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC
- Robert D. WILLIG, Compass Lexecon, Princeton, NJ

2 AM I TOO DIRECT? D2C SELLING RISKS

Presented by the Corporate Counseling and Distribution & Franchising Committees

As more manufacturers pivot to direct-to-consumer sales, they increasingly compete with their "trade partners." And several enforcement agencies are reconsidering their approach to dual distribution. What practical compliance steps should companies take in this uncertain new world?

SESSION CHAIR/CO-MODERATOR
Sanford M. PASTROFF, Senior Counsel, Global Antitrust & Strategic Litigation, Whirlpool Corporation, Benton Harbor, MI

SPEAKERS
- Paula AZEVEDO, Commissioner, Brazilian Administrative Council for Economic Defense (CADE), Brasilia
- Fiona CARLIN, Baker McKenzie LLP, London
- Craig A. WALDMAN, Jones Day, Washington, DC

3 BIG DATA IN COMPETITION AND IP

Presented by the Intellectual Property Committee

Big data plays an increasingly important role in the global economy, raising novel questions for IP protections and competition. What IP protections are afforded to big data and what are the antitrust implications? How are these issues being addressed in mergers and conduct cases in the U.S. and abroad? What are the looming issues involving IoT and 5G?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
D. Daniel SOKOL, University of Southern California Gould School of Law, Los Angeles, CA

SPEAKERS
- Claire JEFFS, Slaughter & May, London
- Michael J. LAWRENCE, Senior Competition Counsel, Google, Inc., Mountain View, CA
- Alexander P. OKULIAR, Morrison & Foerster LLP, Washington, DC
- Joanna TSAI, Charles River Associates, Washington, DC

4 CLASH OF THE GLOBAL TITANS: PRIVACY V. COMPETITION?

Presented by the Advertising Disputed & Litigation, Privacy & Information Security, and Unilateral Conduct Committees

Regulators in the U.S., EU, and China are addressing the market power of platform owners who justify many of their challenged practices as designed to protect privacy and consumers. Do the actions of these platforms promote privacy protection, entrench monopoly power, or both? How do/should regulators and courts respond, and where do global approaches diverge?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Aryeh FRIEDMAN, Chief Compliance Officer Emeritus, Dunn and Bradstreet, Philadelphia, PA

SPEAKERS
- Krystal N. BOWEN, Deputy General Counsel, Zynga, San Francisco, CA
- Gregory LUIB, Dechert LLP, Washington, DC
- Teresa MOREIRA, Head, Competition & Consumer Policies Branch, UNCTAD, Geneva
- Pedro PAVON, Global Policy Director-Monetization Privacy & Fairness, Meta, Atlanta, GA

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5 PAST OR PROLOGUE: WHAT'S NEXT FOR SECTION 5

Presented by the Federal Civil Enforcement, Joint Conduct, and Unilateral Conduct Committees

Under the Biden Administration, the FTC has voted to withdraw its 2015 statement on Section 5 enforcement, and announced it will consider whether to issue new guidance or to propose rules further clarifying the types of practices that warrant scrutiny under Section 5. Is this a policy advance or a retrenchment? What are the potential benefits, drawbacks, and obstacles to this "new" approach?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Henry C. SU, Bradley Arant Boult Cummings LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Harry FIRST, New York University School of Law, New York, NY
- William E. KOVACIC, The George Washington University Law School, Washington, DC
- Jonathan D. LEIBOWITZ, Senior Counsel, Office of the Attorney General of Maryland, Washington, DC
- Maureen K. OHLHAUSEN, Baker Botts LLP, Washington, DC
- Richard J. PIERCE, George Washington University School of Law, Washington, DC

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6 THE CURIOUS ROUNDTABLE: DIGITAL AND ONLINE BUSINESS

Presented by the Podcast Programming and International Committees

Digital and online businesses have been the focus of increasing interest and scrutiny by regulators around the world. In this roundtable discussion, we'll explore the particular concerns raised by digital and online businesses, how different jurisdictions are tackling these issues, and what we can expect in the years to come.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Christina C. MA, Wachtell Lipton Rosen & Katz, New York, NY

SPEAKERS
- Eduardo FRADE, Mattos Filho, Brasilia
- Daniel FRANCIS, Harvard Law School, Cambridge, MA
- Yuan HAO, Berkeley Center for Law & Technology, Berkeley, CA
- Okeoghene ODUDU, University of Cambridge, Cambridge, UK

7 THE ONGOING TALE OF TWO-SIDED MARKETS

Presented by Economics and Media & Technology Committees

It's been nearly four years since the U.S. Supreme Court addressed two-sided markets in Ohio v. American Express Co. What legal and economic principles for defining such markets and evaluating competitive effects within them have emerged since then, and how have courts applied them? Can they be improved? And what are their implications for many ongoing cases and enforcement actions?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Ankur KAPOOR, Constantine Cannon LLP, New York, NY

SPEAKERS
- Evan R. CHESLER, Cravath Swaine & Moore LLP, New York, NY
- Divya MATHUR, Analysis Group Inc, Chicago, IL
- Nancy L. ROSE, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA
- Jonathan B. SALLET, Benton Foundation, Washington, DC

1:30–5:00 PM (WITH BREAK 3:00–3:15 PM)

SPRING MEETING MOCK TRIAL

Presented by the Global Private Litigation and Trial Practice Committees

No industry has received more attention lately from both enforcers and private plaintiffs than Big Tech. Come watch as two distinguished trial teams and economists tackle some of the challenging merger-to-monopoly issues raised in recent social networking cases, and see how a jury responds.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
William M. KATZ, Holland & Knight LLP, Dallas, TX

SPEAKERS
- Rosa M. ABRANTES-METZ, The Brattle Group Inc, New York, NY
- Swathi BOJEDLA, Hausfeld LLP, Washington, DC
- Hon. Richard F. BOULWARE II, U.S. District Judge, U.S. District Court for the District of Nevada, Las Vegas, NV
- Johanna HILLARD, Jury Consultant, JuryScope, Minneapolis, MN
- Chanler A. LANGHAM, Susman Godfrey LLP, Houston, TX
- Jennifer MILICI, WilmerHale, Washington, DC
- David REICHENBERG, Cozen O'Connor, New York, NY
- Dov ROTHMAN, Analysis Group Inc, Boston, MA

3:30–5:00 PM

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

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1 CONVERGENCE OR DIVERGENCE: WHERE ARE WE HEADING?

Presented by the International and International Comments & Policy Committees

Antitrust is global; it's digital, it's mobile. Old ways face rejection, but are we headed in the same direction? Regulation in, rule of reason out? Consumer welfare in the bin? Join us and find out!

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Randolph W. TRITELL, Director, Office of International Affairs, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Tembinkosi BONAKELE, Commissioner, The Competition Commission of South Africa, Pretoria
- John FINGLETON, Fingleton, London
- Carlos MENA LABARTHE, Creel Garcia-Cuellar Aiza y Enriquez SC, Mexico City

2 GLOBAL PRIVACY HARMONIZATION

Presented by the Advertising Disputes & Litigation, Consumer Protection, and Privacy & Information Security Committees

Is privacy harmonization at a crossroads? Agencies across the world are taking divergent approaches; in the U.S., companies face new state laws and a possible federal law. How does a company ensure compliance with differing laws? Global enforcers will discuss these challenges and trends in global privacy enforcement.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Antonio DI DOMENICO, Fasken Martineau DuMoulin LLP, Toronto

SPEAKERS
- Claudia BERG, General Counsel, UK Information Commissioner's Office, London
- Jessica B. LEE, Loeb & Loeb LLP, New York, NY
- Stacey SCHESSER, Supervising Deputy Attorney General, Privacy/ Consumer Protection, California Department of Justice, San Francisco, CA

3 GOLDILOCKS ASKS: WHEN ARE PRICES TOO LOW?

Presented by the Pricing Conduct Committee

Firms drive volume through creative practices that include price discounts, rebates, and revenue share agreements. Cases around the globe provide a framework for assessing whether and when such practices cross the line between "hyper-competitive" and anticompetitive conduct. Can prices be too low? What do economics and recent case law teach about "proving" or "defending" such cases?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Tasneem CHIPTY, AlixPartners, Boston, MA

SPEAKERS
- Aleksandra BOUTIN, Positive Competition, Brussels
- James KILLICK, White & Case LLP, Brussels
- Justina SESSIONS, Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati PC, San Francisco, CA
- Jeffrey I. SHINDER, Constantine Cannon LLP, New York, NY

4 HOT TOPICS

Changes to antitrust, consumer protection, and privacy policy, enforcement, and litigation are a daily constant. Join this panel for their view of the hottest issues of this past year and what may be yet to come.

SESSION CHAIR/ MODERATOR
Douglas M. TWEEN, Linklaters LLP, New York, NY

SPEAKERS
- Olivier GUERSENT, Director General, DG Competition, European Commission, Brussels
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THURSDAY, APRIL 7 (CONTINUED)

5 IS THERE ANYTHING LEFT TO SMILE ABOUT?

Presented by the Exemptions & Immunities and State Enforcement Committees

The U.S. Supreme Court's ruling in North Carolina State Board of Dental Examiners limited state action immunity for state boards controlled by participants in the markets they regulate. Subsequent court decisions have left many wondering if anything remains of state action immunity. We will consider the implications of the decisions and provide practice tips to address them.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Lizabeth A. BRADY, Interim Co-Director Antitrust Division, Office of the Attorney General, Tallahassee, FL

SPEAKERS
- Luis BLANQUEZ, Bona Law PC, La Jolla, CA
- Philip J. KEHL, Attorney, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC
- Jean SU, Energy Justice Director & Senior Attorney, The Center for Biological Diversity, Washington, DC
- Emilio E. VARANINI, Supervising Deputy Attorney at Healthcare Rights & Access Section, Public Rights Division, Office of the Attorney General, San Francisco, CA

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6 LET'S TALK ABOUT ANTITRUST'S DIVERSITY PROBLEM

Presented by the Women.Connected Committee

Despite years of diversity measures, it is still common to see antitrust trial teams, client pitches, leadership roles, and expert panels filled mainly by white men. Are we making any progress? If not, why haven't our efforts to combat this problem worked? Will the contemplated ABA Model Rules help solve the problem? Join us to discuss what all this could mean for the future.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Kellie KEMP, Senior Counsel, Global Competition & Litigation, Uber Technologies Inc, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Paulette BROWN, Past President, American Bar Association, New York, NY
- Hon. Bernice B. DONALD, U.S. Circuit Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit, Memphis, TN
- Roberta D. LIEBENBERG, Fine Kaplan & Black, Philadelphia, PA
- Ashok RAMANI, Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP, Menlo Park, CA

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7 MANAGING ANTITRUST RISK IN AN UNCERTAIN WORLD

Presented by the Mergers & Acquisitions Committee

Merger control figures prominently in M&A planning now more than ever. Changing standards of review, jurisdictional expansion, global coordination, and lengthier investigations have elevated the antitrust risk shifting provision to a key feature of deal negotiation. Are there creative solutions to the toughest problems that dealmakers face?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Meghan E.F. RISSMILLER, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer US LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Hiram ANDREWS, Head Corporate Legal Antitrust, Novartis, Basel
- Michael A. GLEASON, Jones Day, Washington, DC
- Carla A.R. HINE, Kirkland & Ellis LLP, Washington, DC
- Thomas A. MCGRATH, Linklaters LLP, Washington, DC

7:15–9:30 PM **SECTION DINNER WITH DESSERT RECEPTION**
Enjoy dinner with your colleagues and clients followed by a fun post-dinner dessert reception with cocktails and tunes. Table and individual tickets are available for purchase.

FRIDAY APRIL 8

7:30 AM–NOON **CLE SIGN-IN & REGISTRATION OPEN**

7:30 AM–12:30 PM **BOOKSTORE OPEN**

8:30–10:00 AM **CONCURRENT SESSIONS**

1 AGENCY UPDATE WITH THE FTC BUREAU DIRECTORS

Presented by the Federal Civil Enforcement Committee

With new leadership at the helm, the FTC Directors of the Bureau of Competition, Bureau of Consumer Protection, and Bureau of Economics discuss their priorities and policy initiatives in antitrust and consumer protection enforcement.

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Thomas F. ZYCH, Thompson Hine LLP, Cleveland, OH

SPEAKERS
- Samuel A.A. LEVINE, Director, Bureau of Consumer Protection, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC
- Holly VEDOVA, Director, Bureau of Competition, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC
- Marta E. WOSINSKA, Director, Bureau of Economics, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC

2 ANTITRUST AND SEPS: WHAT'S NEXT?

Presented by the Intellectual Property Committee and Antitrust Law Journal/Magazine Periodicals

What happened to the "consensus" on the antitrust analysis of SEPs? Was there ever a consensus? The Qualcomm case was brought in the dying days of the Obama Administration; the Trump DOJ took the unprecedented step of opposing its sibling agency in federal court. What's next on the SEP front?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
Ian SIMMONS, O'Melveny & Myers LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Timothy J. MURIS, Sidley Austin LLP, Washington, DC
- Jeffrey M. WILDER, Economics Director of Enforcement, U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division, Washington, DC
- Koren W. WONG-ERVIN, Axinn Veltrop & Harkrider LLP, Washington, DC
- Christopher S. YOO, University of Pennsylvania Law School, Philadelphia, PA

FRIDAY APRIL 8 (CONTINUED)

3 IS THE U.S. FALLING BEHIND?

Presented by the Long Range & Strategic Planning Committee

For decades the U.S. prided itself in intellectual leadership in antitrust doctrine and enforcement. Now, however, it appears other jurisdictions are bringing investigations and considering enforcement and legal initiatives that vary materially from "traditional" antitrust thinking. Have these jurisdictions taken the intellectual lead? If so, what are the implications?

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James W. LOWE, Sidley Austin LLP, Washington, DC

SPEAKERS
- Eleanor M. FOX, New York University School of Law, New York, NY
- Andew I. GAVIL, Howard University Law School, Washington, DC
- Suyong KIM, Hogan Lovells International LLP, London
- Vanessa TURNER, Senior Advisor – Competition, BEUC, Brussels

4 PRIVACY AND CYBERSECURITY FOR VULNERABLE POPULATION

Presented by the Diversity.Advanced, Privacy & Information Security, and Women.Connected Committees

The safeguards and remedies deployed to combat ever-evolving threats to privacy and data security may not protect the populations most vulnerable to the threats. What's to be done? Is the privacy consent model a relic? Do corporate controls trump consumer and privacy interests? Can all consumers be protected—and, if not, how should today's policies be adjusted to account for that limitation?

SESSION CHAIR/MODERATOR
David TURETSKY, SUNY at Albany, Albany, NY

SPEAKERS
- Pam DIXON, Founder and Executive Director, World Privacy Forum, San Diego, CA
- Tiffany A. GEORGE, Attorney, Division of Privacy & Identity Protection, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC
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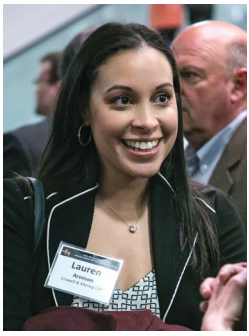

10:00 AM–NOON **ENFORCERS ROUNDTABLE**

What are the world's leading competition authorities' enforcement priorities for the year? What is their take on cases and investigations hitting the news? Come to the Roundtable and find out!

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Jonathan I. GLEKLEN, Arnold & Porter Kaye Scholer LLP, Washington, DC

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- Hon. Jonathan S. KANTER, Assistant Attorney General, U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division, Washington, DC
- Hon. Lina KHAN, Chair, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC (INVITED)
- Margrethe VESTAGER, Vice President & Commissioner, European Commission, Brussels

PLEASE NOTE: PLEASE CHECK ONLINE IN EARLY MARCH FOR DETAILS ON THE FIRESIDE CHATS WITH NON-US ENFORCERS.

Antitrust Abroad

Join the Section as we venture abroad for our Global Seminar Series. On the horizon are stops in Brasilia, Brussels, Johannesburg, Mexico City, and Warsaw.

The Section also plans to resume our international CLE conferences:

- Antitrust in the Americas (since 2011);
- Antitrust in Asia (since 2012);
- International Cartel Workshop (celebrating 25 years); and newbie
- Global Private Litigation Conference (since 2017)

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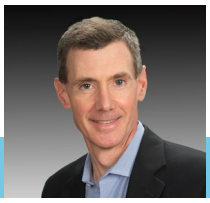

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FEBRUARY	9–14	**ABA Midyear (Virtual)** Seattle, WA
APRIL	6–8	**Spring Meeting** Marriott Marquis, Washington, DC
MAY	19	**Antitrust Mergers Practice Workshop** Washington, DC
	TBD	**Global Seminar Series** Brussels
JUNE	2–3	**Antitrust in Healthcare** Arlington, VA
	TBD	**In-House Institute**
	26	**Women.Connected Reception** Lisbon
	27–29	**International Cartel Workshop** Lisbon
AUGUST	3–9	**ABA Annual Meeting** Chicago, IL
OCTOBER	19–22	**Antitrust Masters Course** Philadelphia, PA
NOVEMBER	17	**Fall Forum** W Hotel, Washington, DC
DECEMBER	8–9	**Antitrust in Asia** The Mandarin Oriental, Singapore

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FEBRUARY	1–6	**ABA Midyear** New Orleans, LA
	TBD	**Consumer Protection Conference**
	TBD	**Women.Connected Roundtable**
MARCH	29–31	**Spring Meeting** Marriott Marquis, Washington, DC
MAY		**Antitrust in the Americas Conference** South America
JUNE	11–12	**Global Private Litigation** Copenhagen
AUGUST	2–8	**ABA Annual Meeting** Denver, CO

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The ABA Antitrust Law Section will bring together government officials and private bar experts for its first Global Seminar Series (GSS) of 2022, fittingly in the midst of one of the world's most active competition bars – Brussels!

The GSS will feature three segments of general interest to all competition practitioners, on leading-edge issues, with ample opportunities for sharing thoughts, questions, and networking. Each panel will have time for interactive discussions.

AGENDA

14:00 Opening Remarks & Introduction of Keynote Speaker

14:10 – 14:30 Keynote Discussion

14:30 – 15:45 Session 1 — DiGital Comp

Europe is in the process of enacting the Digital Markets Act and Digital Services Act, which would create new rules and obligations for digital gatekeeper platforms. While that is pending DG Comp has continued apace evaluating mergers and conduct in a range of tech areas, and defending previous decisions in European courts. This panel will explore some of the major cases and discuss directions forward for competition enforcement in Europe.

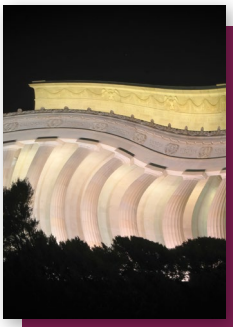
15:45 – 16:00 Break

16:00 – 17:30 Session 2 — Procedures and Merger Remedies and

DG Comp recently resuscitated Article 22 of the Merger Regulation, affirming a referral channel from member states, including for mergers that might not be notifiable in the member state. This has already raised some questions both from merging parties and competition agencies in Europe. Separately, DG Comp has continued to pursue behavioral remedies in vertical merger cases, whereas both the previous administration's antitrust enforcers and the current one's have expressed a strong preference for structural remedies. Panelists will address the challenges this presents for trans-Atlantic transactions, and discuss which side of the ocean has the better of the argument.

17:30 – 18:30 The Drink: An Antitrust Reception

Registration for GSS is complimentary. Advance registration is required.



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EARLY REGISTRATION AND HOTEL DEADLINE: APRIL 28

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Join us in Washington DC for this one-day Mergers Practice Workshop, where participants will have the unique opportunity to witness some of the most accomplished private practitioners, corporate counsel, and government enforcers. Through a series of short skits, the Workshop will present a comprehensive look at the lifecycle of a merger being investigated.

As an immersive experience, the Workshop will highlight critical interactions in an investigation and provide attendees with sample materials, such as iterations of a merger agreement, Item 4 documents, illustrative hot documents, and advocacy presentations. Participants will make the final decision about whether the deal goes through. Discuss the results while enjoying a networking reception at the Workshop's conclusion.

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8:15 – 8:30	Welcome Remarks and Introduction
8:30 – 9:45	Demonstration I: Initial Counseling, Signing, and Regulatory Planning
9:45 – 10:00	Break
10:00 – 11:15	Demonstration II: Initial HSR Waiting Period
11:15 – 12:00	Morning Sessions Debrief — Best Practices and Common Pitfalls
12:00 – 12:30	Lunch
12:30 – 14:00	Demonstration III: Second Request Compliance and EC Investigation
14:00 – 15:30	Demonstration IV: Agency Front Office Advocacy, Litigation, and Remedy
15:30 – 15:45	Break
15:45 – 17:00	Voting, Final Meeting, and Verdict
17:00 – 18:00	Cocktail Reception

Please check online for full agenda details. **ambar.org/atmergers**

14TH ABA/IBA INTERNATIONAL CARTEL WORK-SHOP

JUNE 27–29, 2022

THE FOUR SEASONS HOTEL | LISBON

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EARLY BIRD: JUNE 6 | HOTEL CUT-OFF: JUNE 1

PLEASE JOIN US

The 14th International Cartel Workshop will be held at the Four Seasons in Lisbon in June 2022. Recognized as the premier international cartel conference, the Workshop features an experienced faculty of private attorneys and government enforcers from more than 20 countries who will demonstrate a hypothetical cartel investigation and discuss critical evolving issues in cartel enforcement. It is the biennial gathering of the international cartel bar.

COMMENTATORS:

Commentators are making a return after a successful 2020 run. After each Demonstration, our cartel experts will assess what took place and why, address inflection points, and offer their observations highlighting decisions made and paths taken during the Demonstrations that could have been approached differently. The commentary will be lively and unscripted; they will call it as they see it!

AGENDA

Monday, June 27

9:00 – 9:30	Welcome & Workshop Overview Introduction to the Workshop Hypo.
9:30 – 11:00	Demonstration: The Leniency Decision *Outside Counsel Prepares for and Meets with Company Board*
11:00 – 11:15	Break
11:15 – 12:15	Roundtable — No Poach Approach In The United States & Beyond
12:15 – 13:15	Lunch
13:15 – 14:15	Roundtable: How Covert Investigations Work
14:15 – 15:15	Demonstration: A Series of Unfortunate Events *The Government Raids Targets & the Defense Responds to the Government Investigation*
15:15 – 15:30	Break
15:30 – 16:30	Roundtable — The Big Trends In Cartel Enforcement
16:30 – 17:30	Demonstration: Company Considers Governance/Individual Counsel Issues
17:35 – 18:30	Wine Reception

Tuesday, June 28

09:00 – 10:30	Demonstration: Do I Need a Lawyer? *Individuals Meet with Counsel*
10:30 – 10:45	Break
10:45 – 12:00	Roundtable — European Enforcers
12:00 – 13:15	Lunch
13:15 – 14:15	Demonstration
14:15 – 14:30	Break
14:30 – 15:30	Roundtable — Civil Litigation Exposure: A Global Tour
15:30 – 15:45	Break
15:45 – 17:30	Demonstration: Getting to Yes *Negotiating a Disposition in the United States & the EU*
17:30 – 17:40	Announcements
17:40 – 18:30	Wine Reception
18:30 – 19:30	Young Lawyers' Networking Event

Wednesday, June 29

8:30 – 8:45	Pre-Session Commentary & Recap
8:45 – 10:45	The Enforcers Roundtable
10:45 – 11:00	Break
11:00 – 12:15	Charged Individuals Panel
12:15 – 12:30	Concluding Comments
12:30 – 13:30	Concluding Lunch

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70th Antitrust Law

SPRING MEETING

April 6–8, 2022

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IMPORTANT DEADLINES		
Early Discount	Hotel Reservations	Online Registration
February 5	**March 1**	**April 20 @ 5:00 PM CST**

Individuals are on their own to book travel information. Please book early (using the links on the ABA website or mentioning ABA when reserving telephonically) to ensure discounted rates in the ABA block of rooms. Availability is limited. Book in the ABA block of rooms to be eligible to win a complimentary room night or VIP upgrade.

CONFERENCE VENUE	Marriott Marquis Hotel 901 Massachusetts Avenue NW Washington, DC 20001 T: +1.202.824.9200

TUESDAY TIMELINE	3:30–5:00 PM	Pathways to Leadership Session
	5:00–6:00 PM	Young Professionals & Law Student Happy Hour
	5:30–8:00 PM	Registration Open
	5:30–7:00 PM	Cocktails for Consumer Protection
	6:00–7:00 PM	Reception for International Enforcers

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