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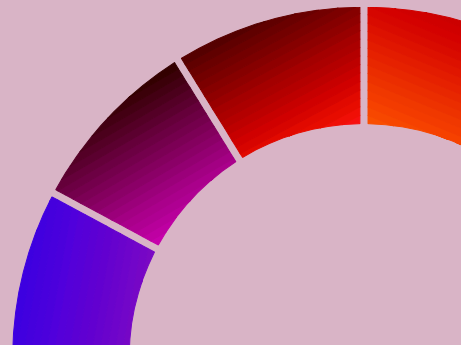
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Program Agenda*

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8:00 am – 4:30 pm

Registration

8:00 am – 8:30 am

Breakfast

8:45 am – 10:00 am

*Substance Abuse and Mental
Illness Credit*

Overview of Opioids

As part of this panel discussion, we will provide an overview of the current opiate litigation landscape, a summary of the federal and state laws, regulations and some medical board materials related to pain management and controlled substance prescribing. We will also provide panel discussion from three different perspectives: pain management/health care professional, state board of pharmacy/state agencies, and federal lawmaking and policies.

Moderator: Claire Castles, Jones Day, Los Angeles, CA

Panelists: Travis Jackson, King & Spalding LLP, Los Angeles, CA; **Kim Peery**, Sutter Health, San Francisco, CA

10:15 am – 11:30 am

Ethics Credit

#MeToo: What the Movement Means for the Legal Profession

Panelists will discuss the impact of the #MeToo and #WillSpeakUp movements for law firms and corporate legal departments. The discussion will cover a variety of issues including lawyers' ethical obligations to act appropriately and report harassing behavior, how to address a client who is the harasser, and practical tips for responding when a client raises harassment concerns.

Moderator: Debra M. Perry, McCarter & English LLP, Newark, NJ

Panelists: Ellen Brickman, DOAR, New York, NY; **Janelle L. Davis**, Thompson & Knight LLP, Dallas, TX; **Alexis Dominguez**, Neal Gerber & Eisenberg LLP, Chicago, IL

11:30 am – 12:30 pm

Lunch

12:45 pm – 2:00 pm

Take a Chance on Me: Bringing the Next Generation Into Your Practice

This panel will focus on how to best attract, train and utilize young lawyers. The next generation wants to blend work and life together, opts for great experiences over high pay, and believes in doing well by doing good. Young lawyers bring unique talents to the practice of law, and they will provide to veteran attorneys in order to help them encourage those gifts and abilities to help ensure the practice provides sound counsel and efficient service. This interactive panel will engage the audience with live polling of via smart phone applications.

Moderator: Kristine Meredith, Danko Meredith, Redwood Shore, CA

Panelists: Kristina Ruedas, Richards Brandt Miller Nelson, Salt Lake City, UT; **Chelsea Smith**, Tucker Ellis LLP, Cleveland, OH; **Jennifer Smith Thomas**, Southern Trial Counsel, Orlando, FL

2:00 pm – 3:15 pm

SCOTUS 2018: The Impact of the Changing Face of the Nation's Highest Court on Product Liability Cases

In the last ten years, three new justices have been appointed to the United States Supreme Court and likely a fourth will be installed by the end of year. This panel will examine the changing make-up of the Court and discuss the impact the newly composed Court will have on product liability cases.

Moderator: Elizabeth C. Christen, Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP, Chicago, IL

Panelists: Michelle M. Burke, Porzio Bromberg & Newman PC, Morristown, NJ; **Gloria Martinez Trattles**, Crowell & Moring LLP, Washington, D.C.

3:30 pm – 4:45 pm

Smart Technologies and Privacy

What should businesses know about connected devices? This panel will discuss best strategies for managing your client's risk and protecting your client's business, summarize current and anticipated regulations covering connected products, and address privacy concerns from the standpoint of both the business manufacturing connected devices and the consumer using them.

Moderator: Courtenay Y. Jalics, Tucker Ellis LLP, Cleveland, OH

Panelists: Helen Kathryn Downs, Law in Motion: Downs LLC, Birmingham, AL; **Kate Growley**, Crowell & Moring LLP, Washington, D.C.; **Jeff Rouleau**, Exponent, Chicago, IL

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