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Dear Bar Leaders,

On behalf of ABA President William C. Hubbard, President-elect Paulette Brown, the Standing Committee on Bar Activities and Services, and the staff of the Division for Bar Services, I welcome you to the ABA’s “must attend” event for successful bar leaders: the Bar Leadership Institute.

For more than 30 years the ABA has offered this premier leadership training experience for bar leaders across the nation. Throughout these two days, we have one focus and goal -- preparing you to be the best leader you can be for your bar.

Here you will learn about inspirational leadership, best practices in governance and effective communication.

We have assembled an outstanding faculty, including experienced bar presidents and executive directors, as well as professional speakers, industry experts and association leaders, to support and energize you.

To maximize the benefits of the BLI, we encourage you to commit to these seven principles:

- Attend
- Listen actively
- Participate fully
- Connect with those you meet
- Learn (be inspired!)
- Take it home
- Make a difference

Like the thousands of graduates before you, we hope you will find your BLI experience is truly transformative and that the ABA and the Division for Bar Services will become an essential resource throughout your leadership journey. Please call on us anytime, here at the BLI or in the months ahead.

We are here for you.

Sincerely,

Kathryn Grant Madigan
Chair, ABA Standing Committee on Bar Activities and Services
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11, 2015

All events will take place at the Chicago Marriott Downtown.

4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. **Early Registration**

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**Sponsor Networking Time and Welcome Reception**

7TH FLOOR FOYER

Kick start your BLI experience by joining sponsors and colleagues for this casual reception. Take advantage of the relaxed setting to learn about sponsor resources available to you, your organization and your law practice. Members of the ABA Standing Committee on Bar Activities and Services also will be on hand to answer your questions about the BLI.

THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 2015

7:00 a.m. - 4:45 p.m.*

**Registration**

7TH FLOOR REGISTRATION DESK

*Registration will be closed for lunch from 12:45 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.

7:30 a.m. - 8:00 a.m. **Continental Breakfast**

GRAND BALLROOM SALONS I/II, 7TH FLOOR

8:00 a.m. - 8:55 a.m. **Welcome and Orientation**

KATHRYN GRANT MADIGAN

Binghamton, NY
Chair, ABA Standing Committee on Bar Activities and Services

JEFFREY CUFUADE

Indianapolis, IN
President and CEO, Idea Architects

8:55 a.m. - 9:55 a.m. **Open Leadership**

GRAND BALLROOM SALONS I/II, 7TH FLOOR

Charlene Li will share insights on how social media and other technologies are driving leaders and their organizations to be more open and transparent. Using her publication *Open Leadership* as the framework, Ms. Li will define what it means to be an open leader and share concepts that will help bar leaders think differently about engaging members. She also will focus on how leaders can take their associations to the next level by transforming their organizations, strategies, and leadership to thrive with—rather than fear—disruption.

CHARLENE LI

San Mateo, CA
CEO and Principal Analyst, Altimeter Group

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9:55 a.m. - 10:05 a.m.  
**Transfer Break**

10:05 a.m. - 11:20 a.m.  
**Leading Collaboratively and Courageously: The Effective Bar President**

**GRAND BALLROOM SALON III, 7TH FLOOR**

Chief Ambassador. Chief Facilitator. Chief Conflict-Smoother. Chief Motivator. This panel of experienced past presidents and executive directors will focus on the most important aspects of the bar president’s job and offer their personal insights on what it means to be an effective steward. They will discuss how to manage and make the most of the president’s day-to-day work, and explore the critical relationships that help presidents navigate the not-so-routine issues that arise during every term.

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Portland, OR  
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**MARY-MARGARET ZINDREN**  
Minneapolis, MN  
Executive Director, Hennepin County Bar Association

11:20 a.m. - 11:40 a.m.  
**Sponsor Break**  
**7TH FLOOR FOYER**  
Talk with sponsors about the resources available to your bar organization and members.

11:40 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.  
**Concurrent Workshops**

These workshops will focus on leadership strategies and skills that will help you lead a more productive, focused, and strategic board, and empower volunteers and bar entities to advance the association.

**Workshop 1A: Creating an Open Leadership Strategy**

**CHICAGO BALLROOMS A/B, 5TH FLOOR**

In a follow-up to her keynote address, Charlene Li will provide participants with the information to successfully navigate and adapt to this new era of open leadership. Participants will learn how to listen, share and engage more fully with those they serve and will walk away
with the tools needed to create their open leadership strategy.

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Workshop 2A: Strategic Thinking and Planning for Bar Organizations
LOS ANGELES/MIAMIScottsdale, 5TH FLOOR
Strategic planning doesn’t have to be a bore, and the plan certainly shouldn’t sit on the shelf gathering dust. In this session, our speakers will explore ways to engage in planning that energizes the organization and develops a future-focused vision. Since strategic planning isn’t a one-size-fits-all proposition, the speakers will discuss various ways to engage stakeholders and create a plan that becomes part of the organization’s DNA.

RICHARD D. CASEY
Sioux Falls, SD
Past President, State Bar of South Dakota and Member, ABA Standing Committee on Bar Activities and Services

ELIZABETH M. DERRICO
Albany, NY
Associate Executive Director, New York State Bar Association

Workshop 3A: Leading the Extraordinary Board
DENVER/HOUSTON/KANSAS CITY, 5TH FLOOR
Good governance is a team sport. Our governance expert will share the critical qualities of well-functioning boards and the practices they employ that make it all happen. While no one can transform a board single-handedly, our speaker will highlight the opportunities you have as president to strengthen your board, enabling it to better anticipate the bar’s challenges and opportunities in the years ahead.

This workshop will be repeated in the afternoon.

VICKI CLARK
Memphis, TN
Consultant, Building the Capacity of Organizations

Workshop 4A: Change Your Membership Mindset
INDIANA/IOWA/MICHIGAN/MICHIGAN STATE, 6TH FLOOR
We are all well acquainted with the organizational threats facing our bars. We have a profession undergoing fundamental change; economic pressures on members; and different expectations of different generations. But what are bars actually doing about it? In this session, two bar executives will share how their bars have grappled with the particular challenges they
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**ELIZABETH NEELEY**  
Lincoln, NE  
Executive Director, Nebraska State Bar Association

**Workshop 5A: You’ve Got to Let Go to Move Forward**  
NORTHWESTERN/OHIO/PURDUE/WISCONSIN, 6TH FLOOR  
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**Workshop 6A: The Death of Meaningless, Meandering Meetings: Powerful and Practical Techniques to Make Meetings Move**  
CHICAGO BALLROOM D, 5TH FLOOR  
Dump wasteful, boring, unproductive meetings. Lead them like lightning. This skill-packed session from a nationally acclaimed communication expert will demonstrate specific techniques you can use immediately to: dramatically increase efficiency and cooperation; accomplish more in less time; keep focused; increase the quality of decision-making; stop monopolizers; find out what people are really thinking; boost attention and participation from those who tend to contribute less; get meetings back on track when you’re not running them; and more. *This workshop will be repeated in the afternoon.*

**MICHAEL BRANDWEIN**  
Lincolnshire, IL  
Educator and Consultant
12:30 p.m. - 12:40 p.m. Transfer Break

12:40 p.m. - 1:50 p.m. Lunch
    GRAND BALLROOM SALONS I/II, 7TH FLOOR
    Get to know more about ABA President-elect Paulette Brown and her interests during this brief luncheon address. In an interview format, President-elect Brown will share some of her ideas about the role of the organized bar and the year ahead. Patricia Lee Reho, Chair, ABA House of Delegates, briefly will explain why and how bar associations can become involved in developing resolutions for ABA consideration in the house. Rew Goodenow, President, National Conference of Bar Presidents, also will share information about NCBP and how the organization can assist you during your tenure as bar president.

    PAULETTE BROWN
    Morristown, NJ
    President-elect, American Bar Association

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    Reno, NV
    President, National Conference of Bar Presidents

    PATRICIA LEE REHO
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    Workshop 1B: The Best Associations Say No: Why and How to Do It
    CHICAGO BALLROOMS A/B, 5TH FLOOR
    Too often associations try to be all things to all members and as a result often end up offering too little value to too few. In contrast, the most effective associations use sound principles and practices to determine which programs or services to offer, whether or not they are effective, when current efforts need to be retired, and how to do so. This session will introduce you to a planning model you can use to do exactly this.

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    Workshop 2B: Bringing Out the Best in Committees and Sections
    LOS ANGELES/MIAMI/SCOTTSDALE, 5TH FLOOR
    Much of the important work of our bar associations
happens within the bar’s committees and sections. As time is an ever-more-precious commodity, how can we bar leaders help to ensure committees and sections are active, engaged, and connected to the broader work of the association while creating value for those who are taking time to participate? Our speaker will share his best strategies for stronger relationships with and performance from these bar entities.

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Lincolnshire, IL  
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**2:50 p.m. - 3:10 p.m.**  
**Sponsor Break**  
Enjoy a beverage and a light afternoon snack as you learn about sponsor products and services.

**3:10 p.m. - 4:25 p.m.**  
**Opportunities in an Era of Disruption: Five Takes on the Future of the Profession**  
GRAND BALLROOM SALON III, 7TH FLOOR  
In a profession in which precedent has always been the guiding light, bar leaders now find themselves in a fast-moving world of unprecedented change. It is critical to look beyond the challenges and see opportunities: for problem-solving, for rebranding, for innovation.

Our experts will offer their perspectives on the delivery of legal services, technology, professionalism, and the legal marketplace for consumers. They will leave you asking questions and inspire you to create, within your own bar associations, a commitment to the long-term consideration of these essential matters.
Using a format inspired by TED conferences, each speaker will to share a vision of the future. Among our speakers is ABA President William C. Hubbard, who will discuss the important work of the ABA Commission on the Future of Legal Services and the impact it has had on his personal leadership.

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4:25 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Close for the Day and Announcements
**KATHRYN GRANT MADIGAN**
Binghamton, NY
Chair, ABA Standing Committee on Bar Activities and Services

4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Photo Session with ABA President and President-elect
**GRAND BALLROOM SALONS I/II, 7TH FLOOR**
Meet and be photographed with ABA President William C. Hubbard and ABA President-elect Paulette Brown. Please see the insert in the registration packet for your assigned photograph time.

Reception
**GRAND BALLROOM SALON I/II, 7TH FLOOR**
Use this time to network with new friends and reconnect with colleagues while enjoying the light reception fare and beverages. Also, take advantage of the opportunity to talk with Deborah Epstein Henry, speaker and author of *Finding Bliss: Innovative Legal Models for Happy Clients and Happy Lawyers.*
FRIDAY, MARCH 13, 2015

7:00 a.m. - 4:15 p.m.*

Registration
7TH FLOOR REGISTRATION DESK
*Registration will be closed for lunch from 12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.

7:30 a.m. - 8:40 a.m.

Leadership Planning Breakfast–
Discussion by Bar Type and Size
Throughout this working breakfast, you will have the opportunity to interact with your bar leader peers and talk about the most important issues likely to be facing your bar during your tenure as bar president and beyond. We will introduce bar leaders to the presidential planning tools available to them in the new edition of New Bar President and will encourage leaders to use this time to strategize. Join us at 7:30 a.m. for breakfast; the discussion kicks off at 7:45 a.m.

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8:40 a.m. - 8:55 a.m.

Coffee Break with Sponsors
7TH FLOOR FOYER

8:55 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

Strategic Communications for Bar Leaders
GRAND BALLROOM SALON III, 7TH FLOOR
The editor of Arizona Attorney will provide a quick tour of today’s dynamic communications landscape and offer some insights on how to use it to connect with different generations and constituencies. Do letters to the editor still matter when Twitter gives everyone a platform? Learn how to use the tools available to start preparing a personal communications plan that complements your bar’s ongoing communications efforts.

TIM EIGO
Phoenix, AZ
Editor, Arizona Attorney Magazine, State Bar of Arizona

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9:30 a.m. - 10:35 a.m.  
**Strategic Communications Sprints**  
**GRAND BALLROOM SALON III, 7TH FLOOR**

In three quick-succession sessions—Ink on the Page, Let’s Get Digital, and Put your Best Foot Forward—we will review best practices in print, electronic, and in-person communications. Each of our communications experts will share best practices to help you succeed.

**MEREDITH Z. AVAKIAN-HARDAWAY**  
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Director of Communications and Marketing, Philadelphia Bar Association

**KAREN KORR**  
San Diego, CA  
Communications Director, San Diego County Bar Association

**MARK MATHEWSON**  
Springfield, IL  
Director of Publications, Illinois State Bar Association

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10:35 a.m. – 10:55 a.m.  
**Sponsor Break**  
**7TH FLOOR FOYER**

Enjoy extended conversations with sponsor representatives—and be sure to ask how to enter their luncheon prize drawing.

10:55 a.m. - 12:10 p.m.  
**Message Management and Crisis Communications**  
**GRAND BALLROOM SALON III, 7TH FLOOR**

The plenary will explore how to develop and deliver an organization’s message to ensure the greatest impact, particularly in times of crisis. It will address strategic approaches to communications in a wide variety of situations and supply proven techniques to help you in your role as the bar’s chief communicator.

Veteran crisis communications and media specialist Bruce Hennes will provide techniques for establishing and maintaining control of your message, moving your message forward, and mounting a defense against a sudden press onslaught.

**BRUCE M. HENNES**  
Cleveland, OH  
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Taste of ABA Resources Luncheon
GRAND BALLROOM SALONS I/II, 7TH FLOOR

Sample the wealth of resources available to you through the ABA. Stop by the staffed tables to talk to an ABA staff or volunteer expert on an issue of concern or to find out about services that complement what your bar already offers. And because you won’t be able to make it to every table, ABA Executive Director Jack Rives will highlight several programs and services that support the ABA’s valuable partnership with bar associations. BLI Platinum Level Sponsors also will be available to talk with you about their offerings.

We will end the lunch with a thank you to our generous sponsors, who will in turn help us conclude the luncheon with great raffle prizes. You must be present to win.

See the separate Taste of ABA Resources program for a detailed description of entities, a map of the room and information about sponsor prizes.

Below is a list of ABA entities and resources invited to exhibit at the Taste of ABA Resources luncheon.

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- ABA Leverage
- Bar Leader Magazine
- Books for Bars
- Governmental Affairs Office
- Commission on IOLTA
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- Sections, Divisions and Forums
- Standing Committee on Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity
- Solo, Small Firm and General Practice Division
- Tort Trial and Insurance Practice Section
- Commission on Women in the Profession
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- Metropolitan Bar Caucus

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Transfer Break

1:30 p.m. - 2:25 p.m.

Concurrent Workshops

These workshops focus on leadership strategies and skills that will help you and your association more effectively connect with members, the media, and the community.

**Workshop 1: Presidential Communications**

**CHICAGO BALLROOM D, 5TH FLOOR**

There is a budding writer in each of us, and your time as bar president will allow many opportunities to share your voice with your members. Whether your platform is a president’s column or social media outlets, this session will help you communicate effectively. Get some practical advice about what to talk about, what to avoid, and how to tell your story effectively. A former bar president and bar communications professional will give tips on how to inform, entertain, and connect to your legal community. Bring the questions you have been afraid to ask elsewhere.

**James Dimos**

Indianapolis, IN
Immediate Past President, Indiana State Bar Association

**Karen Korr**

San Diego, CA
Communications Director, San Diego County Bar Association

**Workshop 2: Your 15 MinutesSeconds of Fame: You’re on Camera Now!**

**LOS ANGELES/MIAMI/SCOTTSDALE, 5TH FLOOR**

In this hands-on session you will apply the techniques learned from the morning plenary session by Bruce Hennes. Broadcast interviewer Julie Brown will put volunteers to the test in mock live on-camera interviews designed to help you make the most of your media opportunities. Especially as you serve as the official spokesperson for your organization. This session is interactive, with plenty of opportunity for questions and personal attention.

**Julie Brown**

Chicago, IL
Manager, Broadcast Communications
ABA Division for Media Relations and Communication Services
Workshop 3: The Why’s and How’s of Effective Advocacy for Bar Leaders

DENVER/HOUSTON/KANSAS CITY, 5TH FLOOR
With increasing challenges from the legislature, the courts and bar regulation of the profession, understanding the distinctive purposes of the three branches of government is more important than ever. This workshop will address how to build and strengthen relationships with the legislature through intentional planning, effective messaging and engagement, direct and indirect advocacy, and educational programming that informs the opinion leaders as well as the electorate. Our presenters will guide you through creating your legislative program and identifying available tools for achieving your objectives.

LEAH G. JOHNSON
Columbia, SC
Assistant Executive Director, South Carolina Bar

THOMAS M. SUSMAN
Washington, DC
Director, ABA Governmental Affairs Office

Workshop 4: Having Difficult Conversations

CHICAGO BALLROOMS A/B, 5TH FLOOR
Leadership is not always easy. As bar president, you will be called on to communicate tough decisions to those who are affected. Whether you have decided not to reappoint a long-standing committee chair or need to constructively criticize a board member, this session will provide you with practical techniques to help navigate these necessary conversations. It will help you find ways to preserve and build bridges rather than burn them.

PATRICIA PIPPERT
Chicago, IL
President and Founder, P2 Enterprises

Workshop 5: Crisis Communication Master Class

NORTHWESTERN/OHIO/PURDUE/WISCONSIN, 6TH FLOOR
Are you prepared to field calls from the media? What happens if Twitter activism impacts your bar association? Do you have questions about what it means to go off the record? Bruce Hennes returns for a deep dive into crisis communication techniques.

BRUCE M. HENNES
Cleveland, OH
Managing Partner, Hennes Paynter Communications LLC and Board of Trustees Public Representative, Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association
2:25 p.m. - 2:35 p.m. Transfer Break

2:35 p.m. - 3:50 p.m. Reflect. Renew. Reimagine.
GRAND BALLROOM SALON III, 7TH FLOOR
After two days of extensive learning, our final session will help you to reflect and focus on the opportunities that exist for your association in the current environment. How can you effectively lead in the present and build the foundation for a more dynamic organization going forward? Jeffrey Cufaude returns to help prepare you to put your ideas into action and to continue your progress as a Learning Leader.

JEFFREY CUFAUDE
Indianapolis, IN
President and CEO, Idea Architects

3:50 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Wrap-up and Adjourn
GRAND BALLROOM SALON III, 7TH FLOOR
KATHRYN GRANT MADIGAN
Binghamton, NY
Chair, ABA Standing Committee Bar Activities and Services

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ESSENTIAL TOOLS FOR BAR LEADERS

The division has several tools you will want to have handy as you chart your way to success as an officer or director of your bar association. Resources cover topics ranging from best practices in the nonprofit sector to understanding the responsibilities of the board.

FROM THE ABA DIVISION FOR BAR SERVICES

ONLINE RESOURCE PAGES

These topical resource pages provide quick links to useful information to the organized bar community. They are available at www.ambar.org/BarResources.

- Writing Effective President Pages (including samples)
- Governance Guide
- Leadership Resources
- Membership Resources
- Small Bar Associations
- Social Media
- Court Underfunding
- Disaster Planning and Recovery Guide
- Future of the Legal Profession
- Helping Your Members Adapt to a Changing Profession: Resources for Bar Associations
- IRS Form 990
- ABA Resources, a road map to ABA products, services, and publications
- Unified Bar

OTHER RESOURCES

- BarCat, a free, searchable database providing direct access the most requested items in the Division’s Information Clearinghouse & Library
- Bar Leader, a bi-monthly online news magazine covering key issues and trends
- Bar School, affordable continuing education for bar association staff and leaders
- Bar Essentials, series of webinars intended to help new staff better understand the bar world and provide a solid refresher for seasoned staff.

Visit the ABA Division for Bar Services’ website for more information.
www.ambar.org/barleadertools