

**ABA Mass Torts Litigation Committee**  
**AGENDA**  
**May 9, 2023, 2pm ET/11am PT**

**Announcements**

- Joint CLE (Edd Gaus/Karen Crawford/Andrew Jackson) - Planning for 2024 is ongoing. Look like we are returning to the Westin Snowmass with an expanded room block. ABA has agreed to return to its past sponsorship for the CLE Conference which assists greatly in the planning and implementation of the conference.
- Virtual CLE (Mike Zogby) – This was tabled until the next monthly meeting.
- Section Annual (Karen Crawford, et al.) – A brief recap of SAC and the Committee dinner was held.

**Ongoing Items**

- Newsletter Update (Jim Beck) – Jim updated the Committee on the status of the upcoming Summer Newsletter and article assignments.
- Practice Points Update (Andrew Jackson) – A discussion was held regarding the new Practice Points assignment policy implemented by the Committee and recent successful submissions.
- April Deliverables
  - Section Annual – Including Committee Dinner
  - Joint Webinar w/ Insurance Litigation Committee (Dale) – Dale led a discussion regarding the proposed panel for the Webinar and that it has been postponed until later in the summer.
- May Deliverables
  - Roundtable (Experts and Evidence)
  - Sound Advice (MDL and Class Procedures)
- Regional CLE program scheduled for San Francisco in May (Class Actions and Mass Torts) (Edd Gaus) and DC in May (Karen Crawford) – Tabled until the next Committee Meeting.
- Social Media Update (Carla Karp) – Tabled until the next Committee Meeting.
- One Member Introduction – Featuring our own Andrew Tharp. Four daughters ages 10, 8, 6 and 3. Wow!
- Adjourn – The meeting was adjourned on schedule.