



FDCC E-Newsletter

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Law Practice Management Section Update

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From April 5-7, 2017 at the Radisson Blu in Chicago, the FDCC and IADC are teaming up to present their bi-annual joint Law Firm Management Conference. The FDCC's Johnny Sarber has put together a "can't miss" event for cutting edge strategies and considerations pertaining to Law Firm Management issues. Among the topics which will be examined are:

1. The 21st Century Law Firm with separate programs on:
 - a) Managing the People;
 - b) Managing the Practice; and
 - c) Managing the Money,
2. Preventing Catastrophic Disruption
3. When things go terribly wrong – lessons from the Dewey LeBoeuf scandal; and
4. The 22nd Century Law Firm – Closer Than We Think

The Conference Faculty has designed the program so that there will truly be something for everyone. Among the FDCC presenters are Mike Bonasso (former LPM Section Chair), John Trimble, Chris Steinmetz, and Kile Turner. What is even more incredible is that there will be breakout sessions for each of the major topics separately geared to small, medium, and large firms.

The Conference agenda can be found at:

http://www.thefederation.org/process.cfm?pageid=4&calendarDate=2017_04&Day=05&EventID=1255.

Spots are going fast, so make plans to be there or have your firm's manager attend!

Charleston Winter Meeting Recap and KUDOS!

LPM Section Members John Trimble, Thomas Welk, and Chrissy Vessels did an amazing presentation on Succession Issues as related to Law Firms at the FDCC Charleston Winter Conference. Moderated by Mike Bonasso, the panel looked at succession from all angles and from the point of view of lawyers of all ages. If you were unable to attend, the written materials are available through the FDCC website.

News and Noteworthy

FDCC Members - Law Practice Management is an area which touches and concerns ALL of us. Thus, if something good comes to you or any FDCC Member as the result of hard work, or if you devise or implement a strategy or plan of action which really changes your practice or operation, I would love to share it with the FDCC. Please send me, LPM Section Chair, Chris Steinmetz at cjs@ggsattorneys.com notice of noteworthy verdicts, settlements, decisions, awards, honors, or achievements, and I will share it with all FDCC Members via the Newsletter.