LITIGREAT: The Symposium for Rising Advocates

Developed, Sponsored and Presented by Bartimus Frickleton Robertson Rader P.C.

Thursday, September 19, 2019 • 8:55 AM – 4:20 PM
KaCMBA Event Center
Credit: Missouri – 7.0, incl. 1.0 ethics / Kansas – Pending
Cost: Free for KaCMBA Members (in practice 7 years or less)

DESCRIPTION

This one-day symposium is designed to introduce “rising advocates” to the art of effective advocacy. Now in its fourth year, this year’s program will focus on innovative techniques which allow litigators to strategically break down and develop their cases, and will include demonstrations teaching how to put these techniques into practice. The program will also feature a judge’s panel and one hour of ethics credit. Litigreat is limited to attorneys who have been in practice 7 years or less and will be capped at 100 participants on a first-come basis. The cost to the participants will be free. Lunch is included and a KaCMBA Social follows the program.

AGENDA

8:30 AM Check-in
8:55 AM Welcome and Opening Remarks
Edward D. (Kip) Robertson, III, Bartimus Frickleton Robertson Rader P.C.
9:00 AM Introduction to the Exemplar Case
James P. Frickleton, Bartimus Frickleton Robertson Rader P.C.
9:15 AM Defining Your Problem: Discovering How to Lose
Edward D. (Kip) Robertson, III, Bartimus Frickleton Robertson Rader P.C.
9:30 AM Interactive Workshop: Looking at Your Case from the Other Side and Identifying Landmines
Led by Faculty at Bartimus Frickleton Robertson Rader P.C.
10:30 AM Break
10:45 AM What the Defense Might Look Like?
Todd Scharnhorst, Scharnhorst Ast Kennard Griffin, PC

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11:10 AM  **What’s Your Case Really About? Avoiding or Destroying Landmines.**
James P. Frickleton, Bartimus Frickleton Robertson Rader P.C.

11:25 AM  **Interactive Workshop: Taking Out Each Landmine.**
Led by Faculty at Bartimus Frickleton Robertson Rader P.C.

12:10 PM  Lunch Buffet, Roundtable Discussion & Networking

1:10 PM  **Putting it All Together: Building Your Case in Chief**
James P. Frickleton, Bartimus Frickleton Robertson Rader P.C.
Edward D. (Kip) Robertson, III, Bartimus Frickleton Robertson Rader P.C.

1:55 PM  **Implementing Your Strategy: Examining Witnesses**
James P. Frickleton, Bartimus Frickleton Robertson Rader P.C.

2:25 PM  Break

2:40 PM  **Judges Panel Discussion**
Hon. S. Margene Burnett, 16th Judicial Circuit Court of Missouri, Jackson County
Hon. Sandra C. Midkiff, 16th Judicial Circuit Court of Missouri, Jackson County
Hon. Brian C. Wimes, United States Courts Western District of Missouri
**Moderator:** Hon. Edward D. (Chip) Robertson, Jr., Bartimus Frickleton Robertson Rader P.C.

3:30 PM  **Ethics: Real Life Ethical Dilemmas and How to Work Through Them**
**Panelists:**
James R. Bartimus, Bartimus Frickleton Robertson Rader P.C.
James P. Frickleton, Bartimus Frickleton Robertson Rader P.C.
Michelle L. Marvel, Bartimus Frickleton Robertson Rader P.C.
Michael S. Meyer, Bartimus Frickleton Robertson Rader P.C.
Michael C. Rader, Bartimus Frickleton Robertson Rader P.C.

**Moderator:** Kelly C. Frickleton, Bartimus Frickleton Robertson Rader P.C.

4:20 PM  Adjourn to KCMB A Members’ Social at JJ’s Restaurant

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**4 WAYS TO PRE-REGISTER:**

1. **Online** at kcm ba.org
2. **Mail** completed registration form to KCMBA, 2300 Main St., Suite 100, Kansas City, MO 64108.
3. **Fax** (816) 474-0103
4. **Phone** (816) 474-4322

**Parking** is available in the Two Pershing Square parking garage and will be validated at the event. Visit kcm ba.org/parking for directions and a map.

**Special accommodations** may be made by contacting KCMBA at (816) 474-4322 prior to the program date.

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*Course materials will be provided in electronic format only and are accessible with your laptop, tablet or other mobile device during the event. Final course materials will be sent via email when size permits and posted prior to the event at kcm ba.org.*

**Parking will be validated at the event.** **On-site registrations are welcome; however, seating and/or meals cannot be guaranteed unless you pre-register.**
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