

CLE Blast: Last Minute CLE 2017

December 18, 27-29, 2017

Tennessee Bar Center – Nashville, Tenn.



All programs will count for live credit. Please return your certificate of attendance at the end of the day. If you return on another day, please check-in again on the second floor and you will receive new forms.

ROOM 1, SECOND FLOOR

7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.

Dual Credit

Ethics Roadshow 2017, First Hour

Thirteen reasons why ethics issues are more complicated than ever.

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Dual Credit

Ethics Roadshow 2017, Second Hour

Thirteen reasons why ethics issues are more complicated than ever.

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Dual Credit

Ethics Roadshow 2017, Third Hour

Thirteen reasons why ethics issues are more complicated than ever.

10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.



Break

15 minutes

10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.

Dual Credit

Preventing Legal Malpractice 2017, First Hour

A road map to a better practice with a focus on your clients rather than the day-to-day operations.

11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Dual Credit

Preventing Legal Malpractice 2017, Second Hour

A road map to a better practice with a focus on your clients rather than the day-to-day operations.

12:15 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.

Dual Credit

Preventing Legal Malpractice 2017, Third Hour

A road map to a better practice with a focus on your clients rather than the day-to-day operations.

1:15 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.



Break

15 minutes

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Dual Credit

Attorney Well-Being

Learn new techniques and research related to attorney well-being.

2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. **Dual Credit**
Ethics Roadshow 2017, First Hour (Repeat from morning sessions.)
Thirteen reasons why ethics issues are more complicated than ever.

3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. **Dual Credit**
Ethics Roadshow 2017, Second Hour (Repeat from morning sessions.)
Thirteen reasons why ethics issues are more complicated than ever.

4:30 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.  **Break**
15 minutes

4:45 p.m. – 5:45 p.m. **Dual Credit**
Ethics Roadshow 2017, Third Hour (Repeat from morning sessions.)
Thirteen reasons why ethics issues are more complicated than ever.

5:45 p.m. – 6:45 p.m. **Dual Credit**
MindCraft for Legal Writing: Ethical Obligations of Candor
Topics include ordering arguments, organizational techniques and when to stop.



ROOM 2, FIFTH FLOOR (Access room through the door between the elevators.)

7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. **Dual Credit**
Mediation Ethics (CME)
Common ethical issues faced by Rule 31 neutrals and determining conflicts and confidentiality.




8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. **Dual Credit**
General Practice Updates: The Evolution of Lawyer Competency
New economic realities, the addition of increased risks, threats to information and confidentiality.

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. **Dual Credit**
Paperless Office for Lawyers
Latest in hardware and software to facilitate a full or partial commitment for a paperless office.

10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.  **Break**
15 minutes

10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. **Dual Credit**
General Practice Updates: Ethical Issues in Advertising
The history of lawyer advertising, current landscape, rules and some tips and tricks.

11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. **Dual Credit**
Local Government: Ethics of Dealing with Media and Social Media
Examples of dealing with the media and basic rules to prepare you and your client.

- 12:15 p.m. – 1:15 p.m. **Dual Credit**
 Law Tech: Ethical Obligations for Cybersecurity
 Is this the next game-changing tend in legal technology? Consider the pros and cons.
- 1:15 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.  **Break**
 15 minutes
- 1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. **Dual Credit**
 Handling Criminal Cases and Client Communication
 Technical and legal aspects of criminal defense and provide tips on how to best advise clients.
- 2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. **Dual Credit**
 Go Solo: Everything You Need to Know
 An overview discussion on transitioning, billing, clients, websites, and networking.
- 3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. **Dual Credit**
 Go Solo: Labor and Employment Issues for Solo and Small Firms
 Topics include: employment act, employment law compliance, WC, ADA, TDA, and termination.
- 4:30 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.  **Break**
 15 minutes
- 4:45 p.m. – 5:45 p.m. **Dual Credit**
 Mastering the Deposition: Ethics and Professionalism During Depositions and Dealing with
 Difficult Parties
 Learn about restoring professionalism, civility and respect to the legal profession.
- 5:45 p.m. – 6:45 p.m. **Room Closed**
 (Please return to the second floor. The last hour for the day will be held in ROOM 1 for the session
 on: MindCraft for Legal Writing: Ethical Obligations of Candor.)
-  **ROOM 3, FIFTH FLOOR** (Enter the double glass doors, room is down the hallway.)
- 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. **General Credit**
 Tennessee Code Annotated § 20-1-119: The Basics!
 The comparative fault joinder statute, has been on the books since 1993 – learn the basics.
- 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. **General Credit**
 The Art of Fact Investigation
 Help lawyers get the information they need for litigation, due diligence and finding assets.
- 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. **General Credit**
 Estate Planning and Probate: Charitable Planning 3D... Deductions, Disclosures, Don'ts
 Examine the basics of charitable deductions under current federal tax law.

10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.



Break

15 minutes

10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.

General Credit

Using Case Studies to Explore VA Benefits

How VA benefits connect with disability compensation and non-service pension benefits.

11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

General Credit

Juvenile Law: Rights and Obligations

Includes right to counsel, Due Process, timelines, appeals and indigent and pro se resources.

12:15 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.

General Credit

Mastering the Deposition: The 30.02(6) or 30(b)(6) Witness or

In litigation, the deposition is one of the principal discovery tools available to the litigants.

1:15 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.



Break

15 minutes

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

General Credit

Criminal Law: Field Sobriety Test and Analysis

Officer Bradley Nave of the Metro-Nashville Police Department will give an overview.

2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

General Credit

Disability Law: Introduction to Disability Law

Learn about the different benefit programs, case selection, claims, the hearing and post decision.

3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

General Credit

Labor and Employment: Evolving Gender Issues in Employment

In this session you will hear from a three-person panel regarding gender issues in employment.

4:30 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.



Break

15 minutes

4:45 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.

General Credit

Safeguarding Trade Secrets

Topics include highlights of Tennessee's Uniform Trade Secrets Act and cases interpretations.

5:45 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.

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