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From the President, Jody Bedenbaugh

It is hard for me to believe that 2016 is quickly coming to a close and I am writing my final newsletter column as RCBA President. This newsletter has given me the opportunity to write about what is on my mind at that moment, from the role of the RCBA as I began my term, to my daughter in her first year, and my experiences in representing the RCBA and building my own practice. Because I am writing this in mid-November, what is most on my mind at this moment is the remarkable presidential election. I think the most common response from my colleagues - Republicans, Democrats, and Independents - has been: "What just happened?" No matter what side you were on, it was certainly an interesting and unusual race.



Whatever happens with our national politics, I know that Dave Maxfield will be an excellent President of the RCBA in 2017. Most people know Dave from his consumer law practice, his interest in law-related technology, and the many articles he wrote as Newsletter Editor over the last few years. I am excited to see what he has in store for the Bar in 2017.

As for this year, and at the risk of leaving someone out, I would like to thank the Executive Committee, the Advisory Committee, and the various committee chairs for planning and coordinating the numerous events that the RCBA held this year. From small, informal lunches to family events, large parties, formal services, and our annual CLE, there are multiple events nearly every month, and it would not happen without a number of volunteers (along with the hard work of our Executive Director, Mandy Wren). In particular, I would like to thank Alexis Lindsay for re-energizing the Bigg Dogg lunches and lining up a tremendous group of speakers, Jimmy Byars for planning our Lunch and Learns, Catherine Mubarak and Lamar Fyall for heading up the Memorial Service, Susan Porter and Alex Postic for planning an excellent Annual CLE, and Ashley Story and the other members of the Public Service Committee for doing such a great job. Also, Ward Bradley was a tremendous help in chairing our Portrait Committee and

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From the Editors, Mike Polk and Van Horger




On a beautiful fall afternoon in October, over 1,000 people gathered on the Gervais Street Bridge for a sunset supper. This was the second annual Gervais Street Bridge Dinner, which is billed as “a celebration of what we have in common, what we treasure, and what we’re doing to sustain it.” A celebration it was. To be honest, the tickets were steep at \$150 per person. But most attendees appeared to believe it was worth every penny. After some time to enjoy the scene (and a couple of signature cocktails), the delicious meal was served family-style at long tables spanning the bridge. Although there was plenty of food and drink to go around, the setting was the key that turned a great dinner into an experience well worth the cost of admission.

Attending the dinner on the bridge got me thinking about the great things going on in Richland County. If you can’t wait for next year for the dinner, try one of City Roots’ monthly harvest dinners, which feature the same family-style dinners and boast some amazing chefs from around the Midlands and beyond. Get your tickets early, as these dinners sell out quickly.

City Roots has also started hosting a farmers’ market every Thursday afternoon, giving locals another option if they cannot make the Soda City Market on Main Street on Saturday mornings. And speaking of Main Street, there are new businesses popping up every time I walk down the street. As a Shandon resident, I am also excited about some new restaurants moving to Devine Street, such as Tallulah, which will be housed in the space formerly occupied by Dianne’s (right next door to one of my favorites, Il Giorgione).

Witnessing and being part of Columbia’s growth is exciting. If there is a downside, it has to be that it can be difficult for oft-overworked attorneys to keep up with the fun and interesting things happening. One of our newer columns, *Bar Bites* by Jess Gooding, is a great way to keep up with the new and exciting attractions around the city, find the hidden gems, or to be reminded of an old favorite. Please be sure to drop Jess a line when you stumble on a great new find or to suggest we not forget a classic.

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assisting with a number of other events. Finally, thanks to Mike Polk and Van Horger for taking on the newsletter and doing such a wonderful job in locating new and different content for our members.

I also wanted to mention the loss of the Honorable Tanya Gee. I was actually looking in my attic for something last weekend when I came across the law school directory from my 2L year. I flipped through it and noticed Judge Gee, then a student in the class ahead of mine and already the President of Pro Bono Board and Public Interest Law Society. To say she was a leader in our profession is an understatement – her career path was meteoric, from Clerk of Court, to private practice, to being elected to the bench. She did more than most in just a fraction of the time. Chris and the rest of her family and friends have been in my thoughts, and Judge Gee will continue to serve as an example for all of us.

During my remarks at last year's Annual Meeting, I said that, while growing up in Prosperity, SC, though I did not have a complete understanding of what lawyers actually did, "lawyers" was synonymous with "leaders." It always seemed to me then that wherever there was a community group – the booster club, the Lion's club, the Civitans, you name it - there was a lawyer in that group and, chances were, he or she would be the president or chairperson. This childhood impression has been proven true time and time again. This year has only reinforced the notion that the Richland County Bar Association is essentially a collection of community leaders, and it has been a privilege to be its President.

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A Best Friend to All: A Tribute to the Honorable Tanya A. Gee

by Whitney B. Harrison



Walking out of the South Carolina Court of Appeals last week, I could not help but smile as I looked back at the entrance and thought about my friendship with Tanya Gee. The last time we were together at the court, it was not for any legal reason. Instead, Tanya asked me to be a part of her latest great idea - to have a *Love Actually* moment in the middle of her speech for Chief Judge Lockemy's investiture. She planted singers throughout the audience and on her signal each of us broke into song, including a Supreme Court Justice. The courtroom filled with excitement and laughter, crescendoing to cheers as the song ended and Tanya concluded her remarks. The entire experience was perfectly Tanya Gee. Like its mastermind, the performance was an exquisite blend of wit, creativity, and affection.

Tanya Gee was a beautifully complex person. She was a lover of all things Harry Potter (obviously, a member of Gryffindor) and she allegedly satisfied her foreign language requirement in college with Shyriiwook of the Wookie origin. She was always ready with the cleverest quip, and was the queen of practical jokes. When she wasn't serving as the Clerk of Court for the Court of Appeals, appealing her heart out as a practicing attorney, or regulating as a Circuit Judge, she was crafting her next poem, song, or skit. She could school anyone on legal issues, but was far too humble to ever do so. As an avid reader and podcast loyalist, she made for the ideal trivia teammate. She became a Hollywood darling by hosting Judiciary Squares, and was the best storyteller, especially when a story involved her children. In short, she was the consummate Renaissance woman, delighting us with her talents without ever noticing our own shortcomings.

No matter where you encountered her, whether in law school, her courtroom, or even the grocery store, you inevitably became part of Tanya Gee's world. Her warm and welcoming spirit drew you in effortlessly. Her sincere and selfless desire to make others feel loved was impossible to resist. One of the great joys of my life has been sharing in Tanya's friendship. She was my best friend - my champion in triumphs, my companion in laughter, and my comfort in sorrow. I've come to learn in recent months that many adored her with the same title and attachment, which comes as no surprise. Tanya was a best friend to us all. She made time for each of us and genuinely cared. She relished our victories and grieved our losses, all the while reminding us to remain ever hopeful. She loved life completely and all of us who were in it.

There can be no greater tribute to our best friend than to become friends ourselves. I have no doubt she would delight in this idea to the point that she would be unable to contain her infectious smile. In fact, before this newsletter even made it to your desk she would have created a friendship app or sent out a mass e-mail to share contact information - immediately excited to bring her next great idea to fruition.

As we prepare to start our new friendships, it seems necessary to break some potentially harsh news: we may not have a lot in common. Tanya's deep regard for us extended beyond the bounds of differences that many dare to cross. She unabashedly loved us without respect to our race, gender, political ideology, or religion. She would even overlook the fact that although you had not read any of the Harry Potter books, you had seen the movies and figured that was the same thing. While on the surface we may not share the same hobbies or interests, we do share what really counts: the heart of Tanya Gee. She wanted her life to be defined not by her wealth of accomplishments, but by the love she shared with all of us. Tanya dedicated her life to love and to justice for those she cared about, along with those she would never meet. She inspired us to dream bigger, laugh more, and to serve others with all of our heart. Those are the simple yet profound legacies she leaves for us to take up together in her absence. I can't wait to become friends with each of you - whether you wear a robe, a suit, or a Star-Wars t-shirt. Until then, thanks for being a friend to my best friend.

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Health Hacks I: December Diet Downfalls (and What to Do About Them)

by Miles Coleman



It's the most wonderful time of the year...or potentially the worst time of the year for those trying to control their diet. Between the Pumpkin Spice Lattes, trays of Christmas cookies in the breakroom, and holiday parties, it's easy for the holidays to turn into whole weeks or even a month of excessive indulgence. How's a busy lawyer to stay on track? Thankfully, there's an app for that, two of which - My Fitness Pal and Fext - are discussed in more detail below.

Why track your diet?

As an initial matter, what's the point of tracking what you eat? Dietary journaling gives you immediate and long-term information about two significant dietary metrics: caloric intake and macronutrient balance. This information increases your in-the-moment mindfulness of the nutritional impact of your choices as you peruse a menu, open the fridge, or contemplate the cinnamon rolls in the breakroom. It also provides the "big picture" perspective you need to make informed decisions about your health over time.

The first of these two metrics - caloric intake - is relatively simple. Tracking your diet gives you up-to-the-minute information regarding how many calories you've consumed thus far in the day as well as a long-term record of your normal daily caloric intake. Over time, this information can help you adjust your diet to achieve goals like gaining or losing weight. Keep in mind, of course, that simply measuring calories is a crude tool and a poor proxy for health, much like tracking only your billable hours is a fairly unsophisticated way to determine your profitability and financial wellbeing. (More refined measures to evaluate your health - e.g., the types of foods you eat and getting adequate sleep and exercise - are topics for another article.)

The second metric dietary journaling provides is the macronutrient ratios of your diet. The balance of the macronutrients - namely carbohydrates, protein, and fat - you consume at each meal determines your satiety (how full you feel) and hormonal response (most notably insulin production). Opinions differ on the ideal macronutrient ratio (cf. USDA food pyramid, Atkins diet, Zone diet, etc.), but regardless of which you choose, you'll be surprised at how frequently and dramatically you deviate from it, most often due to eating too much fat and sugar and too little protein. Logging your food and seeing your "macros" throughout the day prompts you keep them on track, often by choosing more healthful foods (which is a nice collateral benefit).

Tools to track your diet

Dietary journaling has never been easier thanks to the proliferation of smartphones, computer access, and apps like My Fitness Pal ("MFP") and Fext. MFP provides a free version (which is quite adequate) as well as a "premium" version for \$10 a month (or \$50 per year). Both the free and paid versions allow users to log and track their food via a smartphone app and on the MFP website. Users can log food by either searching MFP's extensive database of food or by creating and saving your own recipes. For example, you could log your lunch by searching for "Zoe's chicken kabob plate," selecting and adding it to your log for the day, and then immediately see the caloric load (650 kcal), the macronutrient breakdown (52g carbs, 48g protein, and 25g fat), and your total calories and macronutrient ratios for the day thus far.

Similarly, Fext - a neologism of "food" + "text" - is a logging service that, for \$7 a month (or \$60 a year), allows you to log your food via text messages. Fext will log the food and confirm it with a reply message. For example, if you sent Fext a text saying "1 banana," you

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would receive a confirmation text stating, “I added 1 banana to your food log for Dec. 1 with 1 protein, 21 carbs, and 0 fat, for a total of 105 calories.” Users can also log in to Fext’s “Dashboard” on your computer or phone to log and view meals, macronutrient breakdown, and current body weight and body weight progress chart.

Conclusion

It’s never been easier to have accurate and immediate information about the nutritional content of what you eat. The immediacy of the feedback you get from logging prompts many users to make better choices as they scan a menu or look through the fridge, and the long-term data you collect from it provides information that can and should inform your diet. Use these tools to help stay on track through the holiday season and into the new year.

Miles Coleman is a former Ironman triathlete, ultramarathon runner, and CrossFit coach. Currently, he co-chairs the SC Bar’s Wellness Committee and practices appellate law, First Amendment law, and commercial litigation in Columbia, SC. You can reach him at miles.coleman@nelsonmullins.com.

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For those interested in making a gift in Tanya Gee’s honor:

Tanya A. Gee Warriors for Justice Fund at the USC School of Law: As everyone knows, Tanya was passionate about public interest law and, accordingly, asked that a loan forgiveness program be established at the University of South Carolina School of Law for students who became public defenders. Contributions can be sent to the Tanya A. Gee Warriors for Justice Fund at the USC School of Law, 701 S. Main Street, Suite 202, Columbia, SC 29208 – or can be made online at <https://giving.sc.edu/supportanarea/collegesschools/schooloflaw.aspx> (scroll to the bottom of the page).

Tanya Gee Family Educational Trust: A very generous friend of Tanya’s, who wishes to remain anonymous, had the wonderful idea of creating a trust to help defray educational expenses for Will and Sabin. The trust has almost been completed and initial funding will shortly follow. The wonderful person who had the idea of creating this trust has pledged to match donations made through this calendar year up to \$10,000 and has pledged \$5,000 per year for the next 10 years. If you would like to join this effort, checks can be made payable to the Tanya Gee Family Educational Trust and, for at least the foreseeable future, can be sent to my attention at 808 Knox Abbott Drive, Cayce, SC 29033.



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Noteworthy News & Announcements



Bowman and Brooke LLP is pleased to announce that product liability defense attorney **Paula Burlison** has been named Partner in the firm's Columbia office, effective January 1, 2017. With this announcement, the Firm's percentage of female partners grows to 34%. Bowman and Brooke, LLP is a nationally recognized trial firm with one of the largest product liability practices in the country.

Callison Tighe & Robinson's Tax & Estate Planning, Probate & Trusts practice area is growing with the addition of two new partners, **Wm. Bert Brannon** and **W. Alex Weatherly, Jr.** Brannon is new to the firm, joining it as a partner. Weatherly, who has been an "of counsel" attorney with Callison Tighe for two years, became a partner effective Nov. 1. In addition, the firm is pleased to announce that **Alden G. Terry** has joined Callison Tighe & Robinson as an associate.

Callison Tighe has contributed \$10,000 to Harvest Hope, continuing its commitment to the non-profit organization that helps feed millions of South Carolinians every year. The donation to the food bank has become a tradition at Callison Tighe. The firm made its first contribution during the 2009 holiday season as the nation and the state struggled to recover from a recession that spanned three years. Over the years, Callison Tighe has donated \$85,000 to help South Carolina families meet their most basic needs.

Collins & Lacy, P.C. is pleased to announce the expansion of the firm with the addition of **Jennifer B. Honeycutt**. Honeycutt is an associate practicing in the area of workers' compensation defense in the firm's Columbia office.

Collins & Lacy, P.C. is reaching out to non-profit organizations in South Carolina to be considered for the firm's 2017 Denim Day Drive campaign. Two Fridays a month, Collins & Lacy employees are invited to "go casual for a cause" and wear jeans to work in exchange for donating at least five dollars to the designated monthly charity. Each December, the law firm's employees nominate their favorite charities and non-profit organizations to be supported throughout the following year, and organizations can also nominate themselves. An anonymous vote is then held at the firm to

select the twelve non-profit organizations who will be recipients.

Collins & Lacy, P.C. is pleased to announce **Paula Williamson**, Multimedia Strategist at the firm, will be the 2017 Chair for the Legal Marketing Association Southeastern Chapter's (LMASE) Columbia Steering Committee, starting in January. LMA is considered to be the authority for legal marketing, and for more than 25 years, it has served the needs of legal marketing and business development professionals at all stages of their career and from firms of all sizes.

Ashia B. Crooms and **Wesley T. Moran** have joined **Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP** as associates in Columbia. Ms. Crooms will practice with the Business and Distribution Litigation Group in the areas of complex business litigation, including lender liability and dealer/distributor/franchise disputes. Mr. Moran will focus his practice on pharmaceutical and medical device litigation, products liability, and business litigation.

Duff, White & Turner, LLC announces that **Tiffany L. Butler** has become an associate of the firm located at 3700 Forest Drive, Suite 404, Columbia, SC 29204. Phone: (803) 790-0603.

Emily Dobson, **Chase Keibler** and **Alex Serkes** have joined **Nexsen Pruet's** Columbia office. Dobson and Keibler will practice in the business litigation group and Serkes will focus his practice on commercial real estate and corporate law. All graduated from the University of South Carolina School of Law.

Fisher Phillips announces that **Liane Dublinski** has joined the firm's Columbia office located at 1320 Main St., Ste. 750, 29201. (803) 255-0000.

Haynsworth Sinkler Boyd, P.A. is pleased to announce the addition of **Mary Cothonneau Eldridge** in the firm's Columbia office. She practices in the areas of commercial business and financial services litigation.

Kirby Law, LLC announces the relocation of its Columbia office to 828 Woodrow St., 29205. (803) 256-6401.

The S.C. Office of the Attorney General announces that **Robert Bolchoz** has joined the agency as chief deputy attorney and that

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James Haarsgaard and **Kelvin Wright** have joined the agency as assistant attorneys general. **John P. Hazzard V** has joined the agency as deputy attorney general and special counsel. The office is located at 1000 Assembly St., Rembert C. Dennis Bldg., Columbia 29201. (803) 734-3970.

The S.C. Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation announces that **Katherine R. Myers** has joined the Division of Labor Legal Department as assistant labor counsel, located at 110 Center-view Dr., Columbia 29210.

J. Lewis Cromer, Julius W. Babb IV, J. Paul Porter and Ryan K. Hicks announce the opening of **Cromer Babb Porter & Hicks, LLC** located at 1418 Laurel St., Ste. A, Columbia 29201. (803) 799-9530.

LawyerLisa, LLC announces that **David Ziegler** has joined the firm as an associate located at 534 St. Andrews Rd., Ste. B. Columbia 29210. (803) 563-5163.

Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP is pleased to announce that **John F. Kuppens**, partner in the Columbia office, has become President-Elect of DRI-The Voice of the Defense Bar. With 22,000 members, the 56-year-old DRI is one of the three most prominent professional organizations for attorneys in the country and the largest to exclusively represent defense bar attorneys.

Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP have elected **Michael J. Anzelmo, Brian M. Barnwell, Robert H. McWilliams, Jr., and Keith Poston** of the Columbia office to the partnership. Anzelmo practices with the Commercial, Appellate, Consumer, and Employment Litigation Team. He focuses his practice in the areas of appellate, business litigation, consumer financial litigation, tort litigation, state constitutional litigation, and Freedom of Information Act matters. Barnwell practices with the Commercial, Appellate, Consumer, and Employment Litigation Team. He concentrates his practice in the areas of business litigation, consumer financial services litigation, insurance coverage and defense, and construction litigation. McWilliams practices with the Intellectual Property Group. He concentrates his practice in areas involving patent, trademark, copyright, and trade secret litigation. Poston practices with the Banking, Bankruptcy, and Creditors Rights Team. He focuses his practice in the areas of bankruptcy and creditors' rights, consumer financial services litigation, and financial institutions.

Richardson Plowden & Robinson, P.A. is pleased to announce that **David A. Anderson** was recently elected president of the South Carolina Defense Trial Attorneys' Association (SCDTAA). The purpose of SCDTAA is to promote justice, professionalism, and integrity in the civil justice system by bringing together attorneys dedicated to the defense of civil actions. Anderson has served on the Association's board since 2008 and focuses his practice in the areas of real estate litigation, product liability, general liability, and municipal liability defense. He is a former Army Aviator who retired as a Colonel from the South Carolina Army National Guard.

Richardson Plowden & Robinson, P.A. is pleased to announce that attorneys **Caleb M. Riser** and **Joseph E. Thoensen** have been named shareholders in the firm. Riser focuses his practice in construction litigation, procurement, general litigation, insurance defense, and government liability defense. Thoensen focuses his practice in civil litigation, insurance defense, products liability, toxic tort defense-asbestos, premises liability defense, and retail and hospitality defense.

Rogers Townsend & Thomas, PC announces that **Joshua A. Bennett** and **Erica G. Lybrand** have been elected shareholders in the firm's Columbia office.

The South Carolina Workers' Compensation Educational Association (SCWCEA) is pleased to announce the re-elected 2017 Officers and board members to the Board of Directors at its annual business meeting in December 2016. **President - Andrea C. Roche, Mickle & Bass, LLC; Vice President - Lana H. Sima, Jr.; Adams & Reese, LLP; and Treasurer A. Mundi George, McAngus Goudelock & Courie, LLC.** The SCWCEA is a non-profit of over 800 workers compensation professionals from throughout the United States.

Turner Padgett Graham & Laney, PA announces that Columbia-based **Ian D. McVey** and **Joshua D. Shaw** have been elected shareholders of the firm, effective Jan. 1, 2017.

Congratulations to all firms included in the 2017 Edition of the *Best Law Firms in America*.



2016 Annual Awards

Matthew Perry Civility Award

The Civility Award of the RCBA is named after the US District Judge Matthew J. Perry, Jr. It is awarded to the judge and to the lawyer who, best exemplify the word “civility.” The Executive Committee recognizes that it is a high honor to be nominated or selected for this recognition as attorneys perform their responsibilities in various capacities of the legal profession.

Judicial Recipient - The Honorable Tanya Gee

Starting as a clerk for Judge Hearn at the Court of Appeals, then as Staff Attorney and Clerk of Court, and then private practice at Nexsen Pruet, Judge Gee’s rise was meteoric. By the age of 37, she was elected as circuit court judge, where she excelled as she did with everything else and impressed the Bar and litigants with her intellect and fair and respectful treatment of all who appeared before her. She received many awards and honors, including the Bronze and Silver Compleat Lawyer Award from the School of Law and she was a Liberty Fellow in 2012. As stated in the nomination, “she inspired a legion of lawyers and judges in our county and all across the State to always do our best, love one another, and never, never give up.” She left us far too soon, but in her time here she did much more than most and touched so many people. Her award was accepted by Chief Justice Toal and her family was present for the awards ceremony.

Attorney Recipient - John Grantland

John Grantland founded Murphy Grantland with J.R. Murphy in 1997, where he has a statewide defense litigation practice. He has tried over 200 cases to verdict. Before private practice, he was a Judge Advocate in the Marines, where he received the Navy-Marine Corps Commendation Medal in recognition of his outstanding accomplishments as a Judge Advocate. John is very active in the Columbia community, including his church, Shandon United Methodist, and with the Cub Scouts. This award is very fitting because John had the privilege of trying Judge Perry’s last civil case – and he certainly exhibits the civility and grace for which we so fondly remember Judge Perry.

Civic Star Award Recipients - Keith Babcock and Roy Shelly

The **Civic Star Award** recognizes exceptional and meritorious service to the Richland County community by a member of the RCBA for activities outside of the legal profession. The Recognition Committee selected two honorees this year that have both exemplified a lifetime of public service.



The Honorable Tanya Gee posthumously received the Matthew Perry Civility Award (judicial). Her husband Chris Koon and children were present for the awards ceremony. The award was accepted by Chief Justice Jean Toal.



The Matthew Perry Civility Award (attorney) was given to John Grantland of Murphy Grantland.



Civic Star Award Recipient Keith Babcock

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Keith Babcock is a founding partner of **Lewis Babcock**, where he practices almost exclusively in litigation. He is very active in both the legal community and our local community. His public service includes serving as the immediate Past President of the Columbia Jewish Community Center and as a member of the Board of Directors for the Columbia Jewish Federation for a number of years. In 2013, he was honored as the co-recipient of Columbia Israel Bonds Star of David Award. From 2007 through 2012, Keith was a member of the Board of Directors for the Greater Columbia Educational Advancement Foundation.

Roy Shelly is head of the Litigation Department at **Rogers, Townsend and Thomas**. Roy served as an Adjunct Instructor at the University of South Carolina from 1999 to 2013 and has served as District Coordinator for the South Carolina Bar High School Mock Trial competition since 1996. In 2012, Roy was selected as a member of the editorial board of the Environmental Claims Journal (ECJ). In 2015, he was named the Law-Related Education (LRE) Lawyer of the Year by the South Carolina Bar.



Civic Star Award Recipient Roy Shelly, photographed with his daughter.

John W. Williams Distinguished Service Award Recipient - Bob McKenzie

The John W. Williams Distinguished Service Award, affectionately known as the “Tootie” Williams Award, is awarded for distinguished and meritorious service to the legal profession or to the public in professional related activities. The Williams Distinguished Service Award is the highest recognition given by our association. This year the award goes to Bob McKenzie. Bob has practiced for 50 years at McDonald, McKenzie, Rubin, Miller & Lybrand. He is one of the pre-eminent trial attorneys in our county and state, having received almost every award in the legal profession, including -

- 2010 Platinum Compleat Lawyer Award, University of South Carolina Law School Alumni Association.
- 2008 Trial Lawyer of the Year, South Carolina Chapter American Board of Trial Advocates
- The Worthy Adversary Award from the SC Association for Justice
- Fellow of the American College of Trial Attorneys

He also served the state and local bar with distinction, including -

- Former President of this Association,
- Member of the House of Delegates of the SC Bar
- Chair of the SC Supreme Court Commission on Continuing Legal Education and Specialization



The Williams Distinguished Service Award was presented to Bob McKenzie. He is photographed with his son and law partner, Jack McKenzie.

As one nomination stated, “At last count, he had tried over 500 cases to a jury in courts of record during his fifty-plus year career. That is an achievement that no one else can claim...and will never be matched.” A plaintiff’s attorney who nominated him said “he is an excellent attorney who always represented his clients well, [but] more importantly, he and I always walked away from trials as friends.” Finally, as another person who nominated Bob said, “Bob McKenzie epitomizes the type of lawyer all of us should strive to be.”

Choosing (and Sharpening) the Right Tools For Your Practice, Part II: What's in Your Toolbox?

by Jack Pringle



In the first part of this series, we spoke generally about the tools lawyers use - processes, people, and computer technology - to apply knowledge to information and solve client problems (hopefully). Seen in this light, getting better at what you do is not just a matter of picking out a new computer system or program, turning it on, and watching it work. Instead, you have to really know what you do on a daily basis with information and knowledge. And this means understanding how people, processes, and computer technology actually work in your practice. Accordingly, this article encourages you to take a closer look at your practice tools, in the hopes that understanding the way they work together will help you optimize them.

"You have to stop in order to change direction." – Erich Fromm

What Information and Knowledge Do You Have, and What Do You Do With It?

A great deal of this evaluation need not involve your computer system at all, but instead a review of work flow and office practices. Put it this way, (and borrowing from Dennis Kennedy), you only need a sheet of paper to track where information goes in your office when you open a matter or file, and to see how information (and the knowledge added to it) is managed over the course of a representation.

Follow the Flow of Information

1. **Collection.** How does information about a new file come in the door? If your office receives information from a client via phone call or meeting, do you have a standard client intake form? Might such a process or checklist be helpful or useful?
2. **Storage (and Protection).** Do you know where and how file information is stored? Does everyone in your office or on your team follow a standard naming and storage protocol? Do you have a standard process for protecting various types of sensitive information?
3. **Process.** Usually this involves taking information in one form, and putting it into another framework, such as a pleading, contract, or will.
4. **Communication.** What practices do you follow when you transmit information and work product (to adverse parties in discovery, tribunals via electronic and traditional filing practices, to other parties and counsel, or to your client)?

With respect to the processes you identified above, how many of them are written down? How many are followed uniformly throughout your firm or office? Who executes them or is responsible for making sure they are followed? How do computer technologies play a part?

Where Does the Knowledge Flow (Or Stop)?

I will wager you have learned a great deal in your years of practice. (Believe me, you never stop talking about it). How much of that knowledge is stored only in your head? Or in a desk drawer in your office? Why? Please see *The Checklist Manifesto: How To Get Things Right* at <https://www.amazon.com/Checklist-Manifesto-How-Things-Right/dp/0312430000> for more on why your head is a terrible storage device.

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Are useful resources (work product, research, etc.) available to others within the office? Are those resources available outside a practice group or area? Are all employees of the firm encouraged to share knowledge? Who are the individuals in your group or office who know the most about certain filings, or courts, or software products? What happens to that knowledge in the event one or more of those individuals moves on or retires? Do you see what I am getting at? Who and where are “fonts” of accumulated knowledge, and likewise who and where are the knowledge “bottlenecks?”

So I See the Way the Sausage is Made: Now What?

Even such a basic analysis can reveal ways to improve upon the way you collect and process information, apply knowledge, and perform tasks: Significantly, you may learn that what you consider to be a computer technology shortcoming might really be a “people” or “process” failure.

Next up: Where Computer Tools May Help Your People and Processes.

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Getting Great Sound from your Smartphone On a Budget *by Derrick Jackson*



I love music, all kinds of music. I love classical, jazz, classic rock, folk, country, blues and many other genres. I love Bach, Bill Evans, the Avett Brothers, Aerosmith, Eric Clapton, Led Zeppelin, and Robert Johnson. In the days of my youth, this meant listening on a home stereo system, car radio, or (gasp!) a cassette tape player. (No, I don't date back to 8 tracks.) However, with the digital revolution, the way we listen to music has changed.

Cassettes gave way to compact discs, and they are giving way to digital downloads and streaming services. We still have our home audio receivers, but many of us now rely on our smartphones as our primary listening device. While this has many advantages (portability, storage, apps), one of the disadvantages is that the sound quality from the average smartphone is "meh." You may not think so because like Neo in the Matrix before he takes the blue pill, you have been conditioned to accept

mediocre sound. So how do you get great quality sound from a smartphone?

A Pair of Good Headphones

The first step is to get a pair of good quality headphones and not the earbuds that came with your phone. Headphones range in price from a few dollars to several thousand dollars, but you don't have to take out a second mortgage to get a good pair. I started with a pair of Koss PortaPro's which have been manufactured since 1984 (\$28.99 Amazon and an average review of 4.5 with over 3,100 reviews.) I still use them.

A few Christmas gifts ago, I upgraded to a pair of Sennheiser HD 558 which are entry-level audiophile grade. They are open backed type which means you can hear outside noise but that gives them a warm and spacious sound and a wider soundstage so the music does not seem confined to your head. When watching video on an iPad, they sound almost theater-like. I got my pair for under \$100 on sale. Similar, but slightly higher quality is the Sennheiser HD 598 Special Edition Black (\$149 Amazon, 4.5 stars 2,700 reviews). Another choice in this price group is the Grado SR80e which are \$99 on Amazon. Look for sales on these during the holidays.

A step up the quality ladder if your budget allows are the HiFiMan HE400S which are \$295 on Amazon. They are planar magnetic headphones and were chosen by The Wirecutter as the best open backed headphones under \$500. The Sennheiser HD 600 is also worth considering at \$249.

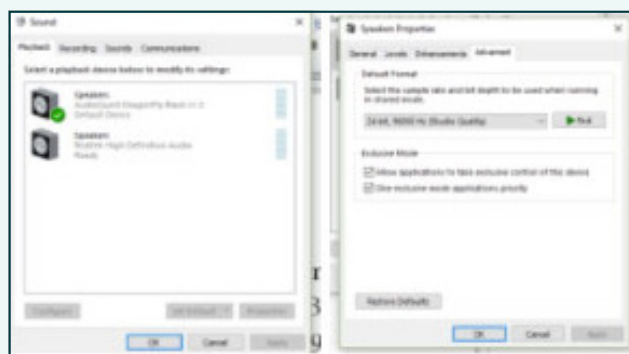
A Portable DAC

What is a DAC? A DAC is short for Digital to Analog Converter. Your favorite song downloaded from iTunes is in digital format. To play over speakers or headphones, the digital format has to be converted back to an analog wave form. The DAC performs this conversion and is a chip in your smartphone or your audio receiver. The problem is that most smartphones are designed like your computer to be a jack of all trades: good at many things, but excelling at few. This is certainly true of the DAC in most phones. So what do you do if you have an iPhone or android device? You can't take it apart and put in a new chip - that's where a portable DAC comes in. There are a number on the market, but a few are standouts.

For the budget conscious, there is the Dragonfly Black which is what I currently use. The Dragonfly Black cost \$98 on Amazon and uses a 32-bit ESS 9010 Sabre DAC which is the gold standard manufacturer of DAC chips. To use this DAC with your phone you will need a

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lightning to USB adapter (or micro-usb for Android). Don't make my mistake if you have an iPhone - spend the extra \$10 and get the adapter that also has a separate charge port so you can charge while listening. Also make sure you get the 1.5 version because the 1.2 (older version) requires more power than your phone can produce by itself. If you have a more in the budget, the Dragonfly Red has the best ESS Sabre chip, more power to drive certain headphones with high impedance, and a better amplifier. Both have amplifiers which allow you to listen at lower volume levels. The Red costs \$198. Another use for both of the Black and the Red is that you can plug them directly into your computer USB and then using the audio settings set your computer to output through the Dragonfly at 24 bit/96khz Studio Quality. You can use this to listen to your iTunes library or listen to a streaming service. A neat feature of the Dragonfly is that the silhouette of the dragonfly changes color based on the audio resolution being output (green for CD quality and Magenta for High-Res 96kHz). Make sure you turn your computer volume to less than 25% because of the amplifiers. These DACs make the music crisper, more defined, have better instrument separation, have clearer vocals, and have better soundstage.



A Good Quality Source

The old adage is true in audio; you are only as strong as your weakest link. You can have a great pair of headphones, a Dragonfly DAC, but a poor quality recording. Your otherwise solid components will pick up on the imperfections in the recordings (including ones you might not otherwise hear) and it will sound worse. So what makes a good quality source? First, that it was recorded well in the first place. This is usually not a problem with modern recordings, but older recordings and some live recordings, this can

be an issue. A website like www.prostudiomasters.com lists recording information in its technical notes with most albums. Second, the recording should be in a lossless format. Music files can be large so to make them easier to download and stream, the music is put in a format (.mp3) which compresses the audio file by discarding some of the data which some algorithm determines is not essential. In contrast, audio formats like FLAC, WAV, or ALAC are not compressed and include all the source information. I especially like and use FLAC because, although it still compresses the file, it includes all the information and unpacks it when the file is opened, similar to a computer zip file. This allows smaller file size while retaining uncompressed audio.

There are a number of sources for these files including HD Tracks, ProStudio Masters, Eclassical, and Pono Music. You can download music directly in FLAC format. If you have a Dragonfly you can opt for resolutions up to 24 bit 96Khz. However, there is another source for these files that is cheaper and that you probably already have in abundance: the humble CD. Using a free (for non-commercial use) program called Exact Audio Copy (EAC) you can rip a FLAC file from a CD and save it on your computer. The iPhone has some apps which allow you to transfer and play FLAC files directly on your iPhone. Two that I use and that sound great are CanOpener and Onkyo HF player.

So there you have it, how to get great sound from your smartphone on a budget.

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Does Your Cyber Insurance Coverage Measure Up? *by Bill Latham*



Lawyers are prime targets for hackers. They maintain confidential information of their clients and others, often to include financial and health information, yet many law firms are comparatively unsophisticated when it comes to data security. While the financial and reputational risks of a law firm data breach are potentially catastrophic, according to a recent America Bar Association technology survey, only 11% of respondents' law firms carried cyber insurance coverage of any kind. Even those firms that have purchased cyber coverage of some type should ask whether the coverage provided is sufficient or appropriate for the risks to which the firm is exposed.

My role on our law firm's data breach rapid reaction team includes mitigating litigation risk and assessing the data breach and other insurance coverage available to the client in their time of need. I also help the client comply, if feasible, with any policy preconditions to obtaining coverage and help frame the

initial notification to the insurer(s) to improve the likelihood of a favorable coverage decision.

In too many cases where we have been retained post-breach, it turns out our client has not purchased the appropriate coverage for their actual cyber risks. Unfortunately, some clients are under the usually mistaken impression that a standard Lawyer's Professional Liability policy ("LPL"), Commercial General Liability ("CGL") policy, or a Commercial Crime policy will provide meaningful coverage in the event of a data breach. For example, while there were arguments for third-party coverage available under the advertising injury provisions of older versions of the standard Insurance Services Organization ("ISO") CGL policy form widely used by insurers, new exclusions added to these policies in 2014 make it much more difficult to obtain coverage for data breach claims under them. As a general rule, adequate data breach coverage will require the purchase of a separate data breach policy or a data breach endorsement to an existing policy.

When considering data breach insurance coverage, lawyers must distinguish between first party and third-party claims. Pre-2014 LPL and CGL policies may potentially cover some third-party data breach claims, e.g., defense costs and indemnification if you are sued by a client or other third party for exposing their data. This is to be contrasted with first party claims by the insured for reimbursement of the high costs of responding to a data breach—such as hiring data breach counsel, computer forensic experts, a PR firm to provide crisis management services, an administrator for sending legally sufficient notice to those persons and businesses whose data has been compromised, and potentially providing credit monitoring services to the victims. Claims made by an insured for expenses it has incurred in responding to and mitigating liability for a data breach are generally considered to be first-party claims, and are not typically covered by most standard LPL and CGL policies.

Several of my data breach clients thought they were covered with so called cyber breach policies, but in reality the policies provided little if any coverage to reimburse the insured for monies they necessarily incurred in rapidly responding to the breach. In one case, on the recommendation of their broker, a client in the financial industry purchased an additional policy endorsement titled "Technology Services Endorsement." To a layman, it appeared to be comprehensive data breach coverage, but after all the exclusions were applied, in reality provided no additional meaningful coverage for the extra premium - no mitigation or response costs and not even coverage for third party claims except for social media defamation claims which were an unlikely risk for my client in the payment processing business. My conclusion was that the coverage was illusory and the insurance broker had committed malpractice by recommending an inappropriate and inadequate policy. The insurer and broker were eventually "persuaded" to pitch in toward the substantial response costs under threat of bad faith and broker malpractice litigation.

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In another case, my client had a reasonably comprehensive multi-million dollar CGL policy with a data breach first party response cost endorsement. One problem with this endorsement was that data breach coverage was limited to \$25,000.00 and there was a sublimit for legal and forensic expense reimbursement of \$5000.00. This was token coverage at best. Once again we were able to convince the insurance company to pay most of their \$25,000 limit by pointing out ambiguities in the policy language.

While we do our best to “find” some coverage for clients who come to us after a breach has occurred, the much better practice is to have an evaluation done of your insurance needs compared to your coverage in advance of a breach. Although not a substitute for a review of your insurance portfolio by an experienced data breach insurance coverage attorney, the following checklist will give a flavor for some of what to look for when conducting such a review:

Data Breach Insurance Coverage Checklist

- Gather and inventory all active insurance policies.
- Assess data breach coverage, if any, provided by standard policies.
- Do you have a specific “Data Breach,” “Cyber Security,” “Cyber Risk” or similarly titled Policy or Endorsement to another Policy (such as CGL or LPL)? If not, how are you covering the data breach risk?
- What are the data breach Limits of Coverage? Are they per incident or per claim?
- Amount of deductible/retention for data breach claims?
- What data breach related sublimits apply? (This could be the ball game).
- Are defense costs unlimited or included in the limits of liability?
- Does your policy provide for third-party (liability) and first-party coverage – i.e., the policy provides protection to the insured for liability to others and reimbursement for expenses incurred responding to the breach?
- Does your policy apply to claims made or events occurring anywhere in the world?
- Does your policy provide an option to choose your own defense counsel – i.e., option to select duty to defend or reimbursement coverage at policy inception?
- Does your policy provide first-party coverage for computer program and electronic data restoration expenses?
- Does your policy include cyber extortion coverage – applies to expenses to deal with the threatened compromise of your network or data?
- Does your policy include business interruption coverage – applies to expenses and lost revenue due to a computer virus or denial of service attack that impairs your computer system?
- Does your policy provide coverage for security breach remediation and notification expenses including:
 - Management of breach response by counsel?
 - Legally sufficient notification to impacted persons?
 - Purchase of an identity fraud insurance policy?
 - Credit monitoring services?
 - Computer forensics?
 - Does the policy provide option to choose your own forensics expert or provide a preapproved list?



Richland County Common Pleas Jury Verdicts

15-CP-40-6860

Earl Johnson v. Rosa Michelle Gray

Attorneys:

Plaintiff: Dietrich Lake

Defendant: George Hanna and Richard A. "Trey" Jones III

Cause of Action: Personal Injury

Verdict: For Plaintiff

Actual Damages: \$9,385.48

Punitive Damages: \$2,500.00

13-CP-40-5352

C.F. Hall, Jr. v. T.L. Loskoski

Attorneys:

Plaintiff: C. W. Gibbons

Defendant: J.R. Snell, Jr.

Cause of Action: Property, Conversion

Verdict: For Plaintiff and Defendant.

Property is divided between the Plaintiff and Defendant.

15-CP-40-2240

Mayhem Roofing v. Xavier McDaniel

Attorneys:

Plaintiff: J.R. Oates

Defendant: E.J. Dean

Cause of Action: Breach of Contract

Verdict: For Defendant

15-CP-40-0618

Carolina Finance, LLC v. SCDMV, Etal

Attorneys:

Plaintiff: Theodore von Keller

Defendant: Charles A. Kinney, Jr.

Cause of Action: Other, Car Title Sale

Verdict: For Defendant

15-CP-40-4689

H. Pressley v. E. Sanders

Attorneys:

Plaintiff: Page Kalish

Defendant: R.A. Jones

Cause of Action: Automobile, Personal Injury

Verdict: For Plaintiff

Actual Damages: \$9,888.30

15-CP-40-0371

J.M. Sellers v. Colie M. Martin III

Attorneys:

Plaintiff: V.A. Sheheen

Defendant: G.R. McElveen, III

Cause of Action: Property, Other

Verdict: For Plaintiff

Actual Damages: \$12,800

Punitive Damages: \$6,000

15-CP-40-3434

Camisha Mims v. Amber Nicole Oswald

Attorneys:

Plaintiff: Barry George

Defendant: J. Drayton Hastie

Cause of Action: Automobile

Verdict: For Plaintiff

Actual Damages: \$5,098

14-CP-40-0240

Sergey Tsyplakov v. SSJ Builders, LLC and Herbert Gaskins D/B/A

Ashco Construction Co.

Attorneys:

Plaintiff: Charles Brooks

Defendant: Frederick Hall, III and Robert Cook

Cause of Action: Contract, Breach of Contract

Verdict: For Plaintiff

Actual Damages: \$35,000



Does Your Cyber Insurance Coverage Measure Up? (...cont'd from pg. 17)

- Does the policy provide coverage for regulatory fines and penalties?
- Does the policy provide for reimbursement of crisis management and public relations services?
- Does the Policy contain exclusions barring coverage in the event breach is a result of:
 - Mechanical failure?
 - Failure to maintain a computer network or system?
 - Failure to maintain risk controls?
 - Lack of performance in software?
 - Spyware, cookies or other information collection?
 - Lack of encryption?

This checklist is not exhaustive and the requirement for a particular coverage will vary depending upon the nature and extent of the law firm. The important take-away: do not wait for a breach to occur before you take a hard look at what your cyber insurance policy actually covers.

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Did you see the USC v. Tennessee game? Better yet, were you *there*? It may not be timely for this issue, but I think that game will mark the highlight of the season for us Gamecock fans, and because it took place in Richland County, it certainly qualifies as something some members of our bar enjoyed doing in the Midlands. I was lucky enough to have picked that game to attend with a group of my college friends, some of whom were in town just for the game. The stadium was absolutely electric! The student section has perfected its Sandstorm routine, and fans were on their feet in every corner of the stadium. Even the Georgia fan next to me appreciated the atmosphere. But my favorite part of the night came in the second quarter when Jake Bentley threw a solid pass in spite of pressure from the Tennessee defense and Bryan Edwards scored the Gamecocks' second touchdown. Being from Conway, I always love to see Edwards perform well, but that's not the reason it was my favorite part of the game. It's because the man sitting in front of us said, "Just like the old days!" I think I laughed out

loud. The old days? You mean the years that spanned my time in undergrad and law school where Carolina was consistently competing for the SEC East title? Ouch. Burn. Feels like yesterday to me. Nonetheless, we spent the rest of the game yelling "Feels like the old days!" every time the Gamecocks scored, and we had a wonderful time waiving our white towels in the air and celebrating victory.

Have you enjoyed an event or activity in the Midlands? We want to hear about it. We also want to know what books, blogs, podcasts, music, restaurants, television shows, and movies you've enjoyed. Last issue, we had a couple of endorsements for *Stranger Things*, the new Netflix series, and it continues to be popular. As **Ashley Kirkham of Collins and Lacy** puts it, "1980s + Winona Rider = hooked!" **Spotted Salamander**, which has been a great lunch spot for a while but recently opened for dinner, also got some positive attention. **Lindsay Joyner of Gallivan White & Boyd**, shared "We dined al fresco on the front porch, and had a wonderful meal. The atmosphere at Spotted Salamander was great!"

Read on for more recommendations from RCBA members, and if you have something you'd like to share, please email me at JGooding@GoingsLawFirm.com. Next issue, I'd like to feature a section on **travel**. If you've enjoyed a trip recently and can recommend a particular hotel, restaurant, or attraction that made your trip worth bragging about, please share! Bring on the Charleston restaurant reviews and directions to the best Bed & Breakfasts on the East Coast. Cheers to good recommendations,

What We're Listening To

"On long drives, I've been listening to the **How I Built This** podcast, which features various entrepreneurs like the founder of Spanx and Airbnb and walks through the conception and implementation of their respective big ideas. I have listened to the Instagram and Clif Bar episodes. It's fascinating to hear how their ideas took shape and the massive amount of work they have put into growing their companies." – *Alexis Lindsay, Sowell Gray Robinson*

Where We're Eating

"**Tacos Nayarit** on Decker Boulevard has some of the best Mexican food in town. The ambiance of eating on the gravel parking lot under the aluminum shelter does nothing to take away from the freshness and quality of the food. And they give you fresh jala-



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penos with your dish. A must try - and get some fresh produce from the stand next door.” – *JP Lee, Sojourner, Caughman & Thomas*

“**Arirang Korean Restaurant.** This humble gem is nestled on Decker Blvd in Columbia aka the International Corridor. What it lacks in atmosphere it more than makes up for in amazing authentic Korean fare. It’s family owned and operated, so it really is home cooking. Their kimchi jjigae is on my last meal list!” – *Rebecca Creel, Lester & Hendrix*



What We're Reading

“I recently read ***Executive Presence: The Missing Link Between Merit and Success*** by Sylvia Ann Hewlett. The book poses the questions, “Are you ‘leadership material?’ and ‘Do others perceive you to be?’ The text shares stories from professionals of all walks of life and the pitfalls they faced in realizing that you can have the experience and qualifications of a leader, but without executive presence, you won’t advance.” – *Allyce Bailey, Turner Padgett*



What We're Watching

“HBO’s ***Westworld***. A sumptuous blend of *Deadwood* and *Jurassic Park*! Anthony Hopkins plays, yet again, a brilliant ‘are you a bad guy?’ role. Absolutely binge worthy!” – *Rebecca Creel, Lester & Hendrix*

“***Atlanta*** on FX. Donald Glover is a man of many talents (*Childish Gambino*, *Community*), and his latest series reads like a rambling and conflicted love note to his hometown and its inhabitants. As Earnest “Earn” Marks, the semi-official manager of his cousin’s budding gangsta-rap career, Glover wanders with a sleepy cool through all corners

of the city’s life, commiserating with rich and poor, urban and suburban, the serious and the ridiculous.” – *Ryan Judd, Turner Padgett*



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- **January 19** - Jacqueline M. Pavlicek - Legal Services Clients Need from Tech-Savvy Lawyers
- **February 2** - Brandon Huffman - Opportunities and Legal Issues in Virtual Reality
- **February 16** - Adam Massey - Tools To Help Victims of Nonconsensual Pornography
- **February 23** - Jon VanHouten, Pat Pruitt, Frank Kelley - CyberSecurity — Keeping Yourself Safe Online
- **March 2** - Dean Fowler - Digital Forensics 101
- **March 16** - Sean Kiefer - Child Custody Mediation/Settlyd Child Support App
- **March 23** - Dave Maxfield - Lean Law Office Management



Seminar Details

LEGAL SERVICES CLIENTS NEED FROM TECH-SAVVY LAWYERS

January 19, 2017 @ 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM

School of Law Auditorium

Faculty: Jacqueline “Jax” M. Pavlicek, Esq. CIPP/US, Callison Tighe & Robinson

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LEGAL ISSUES IN VIRTUAL REALITY FOR DEVELOPERS, CONSUMERS AND ENTREPRENEURS

February 2, 2017 @ 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM

School of Law Auditorium

Faculty: Brandon Huffman Esq. - Hutchison, PLLC,

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TOOLS TO HELP VICTIMS OF NONCONSENSUAL PORNOGRAPHY

February 16, 2017 @ 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM

School of Law Auditorium

Faculty: Adam G. Massey, Esq., Associate, C. A. Goldberg, PLLC

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CYBERSECURITY — KEEPING YOURSELF SAFE ONLINE

February 23, 2017 @ 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM

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Faculty: Officer Jon VanHouten, Columbia PD, SC Electronic Crimes Task Force; Senior Special Agent Pat Pruitt, USSS / SPECTF Examiner and Training and Senior Special Agent Frank Kelley, USSS / SPECTF Budget and Funding

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DIGITAL FORENSICS 101

March 2, 2017 @ 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM

School of Law Auditorium

Faculty: Dean Fowler, M.Ed. — Digital Forensics Examiner (ACE, CCLO, CCPA) — Liberty Associates

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LEAN LAW OFFICE MANAGEMENT

March 23, 2017 @ 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM

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Faculty: Dave Maxfield, Esq.

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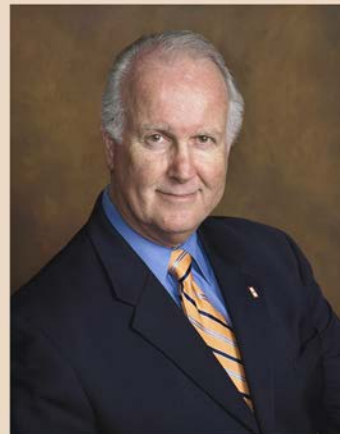
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