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Conference Chair: Bryan Schwartz, *Bryan Schwartz Law*  
Conference Committee: Barbara Bryant, *Mediation Law Offices of Barbara Bryant*; Phil Horowitz, *Law Offices of Phil Horowitz*; Theodora Lee, *Little Mendelson P.C.*; Latika Malkani, *Siegel Lewitter Malkani*; Charles Thompson, *Seyfarth Shaw*

Registration will open at 8:00 am

### 9:00 am to 3:00 pm—PROGRAM ITINERARY AND SPEAKERS

Disability discrimination actions are an ever-increasing part of the labor & employment lawyer's caseload. The State Bar of California Labor and Employment Law Section presents a unique opportunity to learn disability case litigation skills by observing a mock trial, including argument and examination, before real Superior Court judges.

### HOT TOPICS IN DISABILITY DISCRIMINATION LITIGATION: 9:00 am – 10:30 am

Veteran practitioners of disability discrimination law will touch on key legal issues in the field: from pre-employment matters involving disabilities; to the interactive dialogue and reasonable accommodation process; to intersecting workers' compensation, Family Medical Leave Act, California Family Rights Act, and social security concerns; to undue hardship analysis.

#### Speakers:

Carol Gillam, *The Gillam Law Firm*, and James Michalski, *Holland Knight* (L.A.)  
Noah Lebowitz, *Duckworth Peters Lebowitz Olivier LLP*, and  
Cara Ching-Senaha, *Jackson Lewis* (San Francisco)

### 10:30 am – 10:45 am Break

### MOCK TRIAL OF A DISABILITY CASE: 10:45 am – 3:00 pm (with 1 hour break for lunch)

Watch a trial of a real disability case based upon a migraine headache sufferer, Benny Nelson, including opening and closing statements, and direct and cross examination of Mr. Nelson and the corporate human resources representative. An extensive question-and-answer session will follow, and you – the jury- will reach a verdict.

#### Presiding Judge:

Hon. Jeffrey Winikow, *Los Angeles County Superior Court* (Los Angeles)  
Hon. Brad Seligman, *Alameda County Superior Court* (San Francisco)

#### Plaintiff's Counsel:

Phil Horowitz, *Law Office of Phil Horowitz*  
Latika M. Malkani, *Siegel LeWitter & Malkani*

#### Defense Counsel:

Theodora Lee, *Little Mendelson P.C.*  
Charles Thompson, *Seyfarth Shaw*

## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

**DEADLINE:** In order to pre-register, your form and check, payable to The State Bar of California, or credit card information, must be received by November 10, 2014.

**ONLINE REGISTRATION:** Now available at <http://laborlaw.calbar.ca.gov/>

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## REGISTRATION FORM

### LITIGATING A DISABILITY DISCRIMINATION CASE - TRIAL DEMONSTRATION SEMINAR

Note: One registrant per form. Photocopies may be used.

Select Program Location:

- Date of program: **Tuesday, November 18, 2014**  
Time of program: 9:00 am – 3:00 pm  
Location of program: Loyola Law School  
919 Albany St., Robinson Courtroom, **Los Angeles**  
MCLE: 4.75 hours of MCLE
- Date of program: **Thursday, November 20, 2014**  
Time of program: 9:00 am – 3:00 pm  
Location of program: State Bar of California  
180 Howard Street, **San Francisco**  
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