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2017 FEDERAL BENCH-BAR CONFERENCE

JUNE 9, 2017

**Hosted by the Federal Courts Committee of the
Philadelphia Bar Association**

This half-day annual conference, hosted by the Philadelphia Bar Association's Federal Courts Committee, offers in-depth CLE discussions on legal and practice topics important to the Federal Court Practice community in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

Date:

Friday, June 9, 2017

Time:

8:15 a.m. (Registration
and Continental
Breakfast)

9 a.m. - 1:15 p.m.

Location:

Ritz-Carlton Philadelphia
10 Avenue of the Arts
Grand Ballroom
Philadelphia, PA 191052

CONFERENCE AGENDA

8:15 - **Continental Breakfast and Registration**
8:45

8:45 - **Conference CLE Administrative
Remarks**
8:47

8:47 - **Welcome & Opening Remarks**
8:50 Colleen M. Bannon, Esq. and Diana P. Cortes, Esq.,
Federal Courts Committee Co-Chairs

3.5 CLE Credits

Total (2.5 SUB/1 ETH*)

*1 hour of ethics is
integrated within the
presentation of this
conference. An attorney
must attend the
conference in its entirety
to earn the ethics credit. If

8:50 - Introduction to Program and Panels

8:55 Phinorice J. Boldin, Esq., Vice-Chair and 2017
Federal Bench-Bar Conference Planner

**8:55 - Pro Bono Opportunities with Eastern
9:00 District of PA**

Hon. Mitchell S. Goldberg, U.S. District Court Judge,
Eastern District of Pennsylvania

**9:00 - How International Law and Litigation
9:45 Abroad Impact Litigation in the ED PA**

Hon. Michael M. Baylson, U.S. District Court Judge,
Eastern District of Pennsylvania
Hon. David R. Strawbridge, Magistrate Judge, U.S.
District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania
Jordan L. Fischer, Esq., Archer & Greiner, P.C.
David Kessler, Esq., Kessler Topaz Meltzer & Check,
LLP

**9:45 - How to Defend a Party with Potential
10:45 Civil and Criminal Liability**

Hon. Petrese B. Tucker, Chief Judge, U.S. District
Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania
Hon. Mitchell S. Goldberg, U.S. District Court Judge,
Eastern District of Pennsylvania
Zane D. Memeger, Esq., Morgan, Lewis & Bockius
LLP
Catherine M. Recker, Esq., Welsh & Recker PC

**10:45
- NETWORKING Break
11:15**

**11:15 Practice Tips from Magistrate Judges
- of the Eastern District of Pennsylvania
12:00**

Hon. Linda K. Caracappa, Chief Magistrate Judge,
U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania
Hon. Henry S. Perkin, Magistrate Judge, U.S. District
Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania
Hon. Marilyn Heffley, Magistrate Judge, U.S. District
Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania
Hon. Richard A. Lloret, Magistrate Judge, U.S.
District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania
Moderator: Phinorice J. Boldin, Esq., Fineman
Krekstein & Harris, P.C.

**12:00 Reports on the State of Courts
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12:15**

Hon. Petrese B. Tucker, Chief Judge, U.S. District
Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania
Hon. Magdeline D. Coleman, U.S. Bankruptcy
Judge, Eastern District of Pennsylvania
Kate Barkman, Esq., Clerk of Court, U.S. District
Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania

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early, the attorney will
earn only substantive
credit for the amount of
time attended.

Cost:

\$149 - Member

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(MBR)

\$135 - CrtRpt/Paral
(NoMBR)

\$112 - Government/Law
Clerk

\$30 - Law Student

\$75 - Legal Svcs/Pub Int.

\$169 - Non Member

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12:15 **Luncheon CLE Presentation**
- 1:15 *To Be Announced*

