Pennsylvania Bar Association
Commission on Women in the Profession

2018 FALL RETREAT
NOVEMBER 9-10, 2018 • THE HOTEL HERSHEY

“Making a Difference in the Me Too Era:
Speaking Up, Taking Action and Unitig for Change”

#PBAwip18
Agenda

Friday, November 9, 2018

3:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m. Registration
3:00 p.m.–4:00 p.m. Governance Committee — Oral History Project Meeting
4:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m. Book Group Discussion
5:00 p.m.–5:45 p.m. Opening Reception and Cash Bar
6:00 p.m.–8:00 p.m. Dinner
   Welcome Remarks: Andrea Tuominen and Renee Mattei Myers, WIP Co-chairs
   Remarks from Charles Eppolito III, PBA President
   Dinner Service
   Introductory Remarks: Jennifer Coatsworth and Elizabeth Flaherty, 2018 Fall Retreat Co-chairs
   Viewing of the Film, “I Am Evidence”
   The Joyful Hearts Foundation

8:00 p.m.–10:00 p.m. Hospitality and Discussion

Saturday, November 10, 2018

7:45 a.m.–9:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast Buffet
8:00 a.m.–9:00 a.m. WIP Business Meeting
9:00 a.m.–10:30 a.m. Creating Awareness, Accountability and Action — Pennsylvania’s Rape Kit Backlog
   We will continue our discussions from Friday night’s viewing of the film, “I Am Evidence,” created by the Joyful Hearts Foundation. Our esteemed panelists will delve further into this issue and discuss what attorneys can do to:
   • increase public awareness of how rape culture and bias work together to negatively impact our criminal justice system’s response to sexual assault;
   • mobilize the public to help change laws and policies in their communities;
   • inspire lawmakers at the federal, state and local levels to support legislation mandating the testing and tracking of kits; and
   • change the way the criminal justice system responds to sexual assault in our society.
   1.5 hours substantive CLE credit
10:45 a.m.-12:15 p.m.  **Time's Up! Working to Eradicate Harassment and Discrimination**

This panel will explore the #MeToo era and the subtle to extreme forms of sexual harassment, assault and discrimination in the workplace. Panelists will instruct attendees on how to recognize harassment and discrimination in all its forms and provide tools to deal with the behaviors.

*1.5 hours substantive CLE credit*

Moderator:
- Hon. Lori Serratelli, Schiffman Sheridan & Brown PC & Serratelli Dispute Resolutions LLC

Panelists:
- Suzanne Estrella, Pennsylvania Coalition Against Rape
- Nadia Hewka, Community Legal Services Philadelphia
- Lisette McCormick, Executive Director, Interbranch Commission for Gender Racial & Ethnic Fairness
- Carol E. Tracy, Executive Director, Women’s Law Project

12:15 p.m.-1:15 p.m.  **Luncheon**

1:30 p.m.-3:00 p.m.  **Public Service Project Session**

3:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.  **Quality of Life Committee — Yoga Class**

6:00 p.m.  **Group Reservation at a Local Restaurant**

Please note the cost of dinner is not included in the registration fee. Dinner will be at your own expense. Please indicate your attendance plans so that reservations can be made and adequate seating is available.

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**CLE CREDITS**

The Pennsylvania Bar Institute is approved by the Pennsylvania Supreme Court Continuing Legal Education Board as an accredited CLE provider. The PBA Commission on Women in the Profession 2018 Fall Retreat has been approved by the Pennsylvania Continuing Legal Education Board for up to three hours of CLE credits. To receive credits, you must register and submit the blue forms following the program. CLE materials will be given to all attendees.
Registration Information
Registration Deadline: Oct. 29, 2018

Full Event Registration Fee includes Friday reception, dinner, hospitality/group discussion, Saturday continental breakfast, buffet lunch, yoga class and access to sessions and CLE materials.

- PBA Member .......................................................... $115
- Non-PBA Member .................................................. $230
- Law Student .......................................................... $45

Saturday-Only Registration Fee includes Saturday continental breakfast, buffet lunch, yoga class and access to sessions and CLE materials.

- PBA Member .......................................................... $85
- Non-PBA Member .................................................. $120
- Law Student .......................................................... $45

Friday Dinner Choices: Beef, salmon or vegetarian

Sessions and CLE Information:
Two CLE sessions will be offered on Saturday morning:
9:00-10:30 a.m  Creating Awareness, Accountability and Action – PA’s Rape Kit Backlog  1.5 hours substantive CLE credit .............................................. $45
10:45-12:15 p.m.  Time’s Up! Working to Eradicate Harassment and Discrimination  1.5 hours substantive CLE credit .............................................. $45

Please note: The Saturday evening dinner will be held at a local restaurant. Reservations are required so please be sure to indicate your attendance plans. All costs involving dinner are on your own and not included in the registration fee.

Registration deadline: Oct. 29, 2018
- After that date, registrations will be accepted on a space-available basis.
- Written cancellations must be received before the close of business on Oct. 29, 2018. Upon receipt, a refund will be issued, minus a $25 administrative fee. After Oct. 29, 2018, no refunds will be issued.

Register online here:

For more information regarding registration, call the PBA Meetings Department at 1-800-932-0311, ext. 2245.

Hotel Reservations
- A block of rooms has been reserved for the PBA Commission on Women in the Profession Retreat. The group rate is $239 per room/ per night, plus 11% tax.
- Attendees should make their own room reservations by Oct. 16, 2018.
- To make online hotel reservations, click here.
- Or, call The Hotel Hershey reservation office at 855-729-3108 and ask for the room block for the PBA Commission on Women in the Profession Retreat.