

Back to the Basics

2019 INSURANCE LAW SECTION ANNUAL MEETING AND CLE

PROGRAM DETAILS

LIVE and WEBCAST | (#720INS/#720LWC)

Thursday, January 31, 2019 | NC Bar Center, Cary

CLE CREDIT |

6.5 Hours

Includes 1.0 Hour Ethics/Professional Responsibility

6.0 Hours of General Continuing Education Credit for Insurance Professionals (Live program only). Must attend the entire program to receive this credit.

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NCBA Insurance Law Section

SUMMARY

The Insurance Law Section's 2019 CLE is premised on a "back to basics" concept to assist attorneys and insurance adjusters both new to and well-versed in insurance law.

Insurance law encompasses many issues and areas of practice, including whether a policy of insurance potentially provides coverage for a claim and disputes between third parties and individuals or entities listed as named insureds or identified as additional insureds under a policy.

In addition to those matters, learn from exceptional attorneys as they share, explain and provide helpful practice information in the areas of commercial general liability insurance, excess and umbrella insurance, directors and officers insurance, errors and omissions insurance (malpractice insurance), medical health insurance, disability insurance, automobile insurance, and homeowner's insurance. The program also addresses issues concerning insurance carriers' duty to defend and provides an excellent role play of an insurance coverage dispute.

This is a fantastic opportunity to learn more about analyzing and handling insurance law matters, and is useful to attorneys from a wide range of practice areas.

AGENDA

THURSDAY, JANUARY 31, 2019 | 8:00 a.m. – 4:40 p.m.

- 8:00-8:25 **Registration and Continental Breakfast**
- 8:25-8:30 **Welcome and Introductions**
- 8:30-9:20 **CGL and Duty to Defend** | *Bryan and Jo*
Commercial General Liability insurance (CGL) typically forms the backbone of an entity's insurance coverage program, providing coverage to both entities and individuals. Learn from the experts as they discuss the nuts and bolts of the coverages, address key exclusions in the standard CGL policy, and identify emerging issues and common coverage disputes, including those involving the carrier's duty to defend.
- 9:20-10:10 **Excess and Umbrella** | *Pinto and Reich*
Following an examination of the differences between and obligations created by the typical excess and umbrella policies, presenters analyze the interrelationship and obligations between those policies and their carriers with the underlying primary (CGL) policies and the carriers who write them.
- 10:10-10:25 **Break**
- 10:25-11:15 **D&O and E&O** | *Brock and DeGeorge*
Directors and officers insurance (D&O) provides coverage for the directors and officers in an entity, as well as the entity that owes them indemnification. Errors and omissions insurance (E&O) is professional liability insurance covering the risk exposures of certain categories of professional activity. Enhance your understanding of the purpose of and need for both coverages, as well as the unique policy provisions that can make or break coverage.
- 11:15-12:05 **Medical/Health and Disability** | *Ward and Winslow*
Medical/health insurance and disability insurance both provide coverage when persons are injured or sick. Both involve numerous statutes and regulations. This presentation not only goes over the coverages provided, but also examines the statutory and regulatory provisions involved and issues that commonly arise.
- 12:05-12:20 **2019 Insurance Law Section Annual Meeting** | Deborah J. Bowers, Pinto Coates Kyre & Bowers, Greensboro, 2018-2019 Section Chair, presiding
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- 12:20-1:00 [Networking Lunch](#)
- 1:00-1:50 **Top 10 Insurance Decisions** | *Davey and Simmons*
The always-popular “Top 10” presentation returns this year, featuring the decisions of most interest to practitioners during the preceding year.
- 1:50-2:40 **Auto and Homeowner’s** | *Flynt and Maynard*
Nearly everyone encounters auto and homeowner’s coverages at some point, and they can generate any number of issues. After an overview of these policies, presenters delve into common issues that practitioners may face with auto insurance, including personal injury, property damage, medical payments, and uninsured and underinsured coverages. Given recent weather-related problems in North Carolina, including Hurricane Florence, the homeowner’s portion focuses on storm-related issues in property claims, including the interplay between homeowner’s insurance, wind/hail insurance and flood insurance.
- 2:40-3:10 [Networking Reception and Break](#)
Sponsored by *Cranfill Sumner & Hartzog LLP, Raleigh*
- 3:10-4:40 **Hypothetical Insurance Coverage Disputes*** | *Armstrong, Beverly, Boyles, Kelly, Lewis and Wortman* | Moderators: *Brown and Smyth*
Enhance your understanding of insurance coverage disputes with this interactive presentation, which involves role playing through an extended scenario of interconnected tort and insurance disputes that give rise to a number of legal, tactical and ethical issues. A plaintiff and a defense lawyer, a personal coverage lawyer for the defendant, and counsel for a primary insurer and for an excess insurer attempt to navigate their way through a series of problems, from the date of the accident and onward to the trial, with a narration and a commentator, as well as solicited audience advice/observation/participation along the way.
- 4:40 [Adjourn](#)

* *Indicates portion providing Ethics/Professional Responsibility credit*

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

PLANNERS

- **Lenneka H. “Nikki” Feliciano**, Pinto Coates Kyre & Bowers PLLC, Greensboro
- **Daniel J. Knight**, Anderson Jones PLLC, Raleigh
- **Alan M. Ruley**, Bell Davis & Pitt PA, Winston-Salem

MODERATORS

- **David L. Brown**, Goldberg Segalla LLP, Greensboro
- **Theodore B. “Ted” Smyth**, Cranfill Sumner & Hartzog LLP, Raleigh

SPEAKERS

- **L. Lamar Armstrong Jr.**, The Armstrong Law Firm PA, Smithfield
- **Brian O. Beverly**, Young Moore & Henderson PA, Raleigh
- **Susan H. Boyles**, Kilpatrick Townsend & Stockton LLP, Winston-Salem
- **Walter E. Brock Jr.**, Young Moore & Henderson PA, Raleigh
- **James W. “Jim” Bryan**, Nexsen Pruet PLLC, Greensboro
- **Joshua D. Davey**, McGuireWoods LLP, Charlotte
- **R. Steven DeGeorge**, Robinson Bradshaw & Hinson PA, Charlotte
- **Andrew P. Flynt**, Young Moore & Henderson PA, Raleigh
- **Jang H. Jo**, Smith Anderson Blount Dorsett Mitchell & Jernigan LLP, Raleigh
- **James H. “Jim” Kelly Jr.**, Kilpatrick Townsend & Stockton LLP, Winston-Salem
- **Scott Lewis**, Butler Snow LLP, Wilmington
- **C. Douglas Maynard Jr.**, Maynard & Harris Attorney at Law PLLC, Winston-Salem
- **Richard L. “Rick” Pinto**, Pinto Coates Kyre & Bowers PLLC, Greensboro
- **Jonathan R. Reich**, Womble Bond Dickinson (U.S.) LLP, Winston-Salem
- **L. D. Simmons II**, McGuireWoods LLP, Charlotte
- **Jonathan P. “Jon” Ward**, Pinto Coates Kyre & Bowers PLLC, Greensboro
- **Sarah E. Winslow**, White & Stradley PLLC, Raleigh
- **Ellen P. Wortman**, Marshall Williams & Gorham LLP, Wilmington

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TownePlace Suites by Marriott

120 Sage Commons Way | Cary

- **Nightly Rate:** \$114 studio queen with sleeper sofa (Sunday-Thursday)
- **Reservations:** 919.678.0005
- **Ask for the NCBA corporate rate.**

Embassy Suites

201 Harrison Oaks Boulevard | Cary

- **Nightly Rate:** \$169 single/double
- **Reservations:** 919.677.1840 or
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- **Corporate Account Code:** 2691626

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