

# Moving Forward for Equal Justice

## Agenda

Friday, April 23

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

8:45-9:00 **Welcoming Remarks**

- Frederick J. Baumann, Esq., Chair of Colorado ATJ Commission
- Dean Marty Katz, University of Denver Sturm College of Law
- Dean David Getches, University of Colorado School of Law

9:00-10:00 **Civil Gideon: Exploring the Right to Counsel in Civil Cases**

- Scott Llewellyn, Esq., Morrison & Foerster (Advocate)
- Walter Sargent, Esq., Walter H Sargent PC (Advocate)
- Hon. Jean Dubofsky, former Justice, Colorado Supreme Court (Judge)
- Hon. George Lohr, former Justice, Colorado Supreme Court (Judge)
- Hon. Steve Briggs, former Judge, Colorado Court of Appeals (Judge)
- Hon. JoAnn Vogt, former Judge, Colorado Court of Appeals (Judge)
- Hon. Marsha Piccone, former Judge, Colorado Court of Appeals (Judge)

10:00-10:30 **Panel Discussion and Q&A on Civil Gideon Argument**

10:30-10:45 **Break**

10:45-11:45 **Breakout Sessions**

### A): Civil Justice Reform

- Hon. Rebecca Love Kourlis, Executive Director, IAALS (former Justice, Colorado Supreme Court)
- Pamela A. Gagel, Assistant Director, IAALS
- Hon. Simon Mole, Broomfield County Magistrate

### B): Steering Clear of Ethical Problems When Using Technology - To Make Your Pro Bono Hours Go Farther

- Molly French, Technology Unit Manager, Colorado Legal Services
- Nancy Cohen, Chief Deputy, Office of Attorney Regulation Counsel

### C): Points of Access in the Civil Litigation Process

- Veronica Rossman (Moderator), Visiting Lecturer, DU
- Melissa Hart, Associate Professor, CU
- Jordan Singer, Director of Research, IAALS
- Alan Chen, Associate Dean for Faculty Scholarship and Professor, DU

11:45-1:15 **Lunch/CBA Pro Bono Awards**

"Access to Justice is Restricted"

Keynote Speaker: Hon. John L. Kane, Senior Judge, US District Court, District of Colorado

1:15-2:15 **Moving Justice Forward-The Money and the Message**

- Meredith McBurney, ABA Resource Center for ATJ Initiatives

2:15-3:15 **Ethical Issues in Pro Bono Presentation**

- Hon. Edward C Moss, District Judge, Adams County
- John Baker, Esq., President, Denver Bar Association
- Nancy Cohen, Chief Deputy, Office of Attorney Regulation Counsel

3:15-3:30 **Break**

3:30-4:30 **Colorado Supreme Court Pro Bono Recognition Ceremony**

- Hon. Mary Mullarkey, Chief Justice, Colorado Supreme Court
- Hon. Gregory Hobbs, Associate Justice, Colorado Supreme Court

4:30-5:30 **Reception**

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## Agenda

Saturday, April 24

8:00-8:30

**Registration & Continental Breakfast**

8:30-10:00

**Pro Bono and Beyond Panel**

- Cheryl Zalenski, Director, Center for Pro Bono, ABA
- Aaron Clay, Clay & Dodson, PC
- Candace Whitaker, Faegre & Benson, LLP

10:00-10:15

**Break**

10:15-11:45

**Local ATJ Committees – Achievements and Opportunities**

- Hon. Elizabeth Strobel, District Judge, Weld County
- Hon. Barbara Hughes, El Paso County Magistrate
- Lynne Sholler, Chair, 6th JD ATJ Committee
- Magistrate Beth Faragher, Denver County Court

11:45-12:30

**Panel: Next Steps for ATJ in Colorado**

- Hon. JoAnn Vogt, former Judge, Colorado Court of Appeals (former Chair, Colorado ATJ Commission)
- Connie Talmage, Esq., Executive Director, Colorado Lawyers Committee (former Chair, Colorado ATJ Commission)
- Jonathan D. Asher, Esq., Executive Director, CLS
- Frederick J. Baumann, Esq., Chair, Colorado ATJ Commission

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