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Annual Conference

Interlaken Inn, 74 Interlaken Road, Lakeville, CT 06039
American Museum of Tort Law, Winsted, CT

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Friday, May 4, 2018 – Sunday, May 6, 2018

Program Chair: Mark DeAngelis, UConn

Program Summary – 2018 NEALSB Annual Meeting
Interlaken Inn, Lakeville, CT
American Museum of Tort Law, Winsted, CT
Friday, May 4, 2018 – Sunday, May 6, 2018

Friday, May 4

- 4:00pm – 9:00pm **Hotel Registration – Main Lobby**
- 6:30pm – 7:00pm **Reception – Skylight Deck**
*The Program Chair gratefully acknowledges the support of the **University of Connecticut, School of Business, Marketing Department** and the **Marketing & Business Law Endowment for Excellence** for their sponsorship.*
- 7:00pm – 9:00pm **Dinner – Skylight Deck**

Saturday, May 5

- 7:00am - 8:00am **Fun Run/Walk – Meet in the lobby**
- 7:00am - 9:00am **Breakfast – Skylight Deck**
- 8:30am – 10:10am **Concurrent Academic Sessions: Continental Room and Continental Patio**
- 10:10am – 10:30am **Mid-Morning Break**
- 10:30am – 11:45am **Concurrent Academic Sessions**
- 12:00pm – 1:00pm **Lunch - room**
- 1:00pm – 2:00pm **Travel to Museum (Van Transport and Carpools Available – Sign up at Conf. Reg.)**
- 2:00pm – 3:15pm **[American Museum of Tort Law](#)** *(Directions to the museum are in the folder.)*
Academic Session: Museum Theater
- 3:30pm – 4:45pm **Tour Museum**
- 6:30pm -8:00pm **Dinner – Skylight Deck**
- 8:00pm – 10:00pm **Lakeside Bonfire**

Sunday, May 6

- Reminder: Check out time is 11:00am**
- 7:00am - 9:00am **Breakfast – Skylight Deck**
- 8:30am – 10:10am **Academic Session – Continental Room**
- 10:10am – 10:30am **Mid-Morning Break**
- 10:30am – 12:00pm **NEALSB Business Meeting – Continental Room**
- 12:00pm **Box Lunch Pickup**

ACADEMIC PROGRAM

Saturday, May 5, 2018

7:00am – 9:00am

Breakfast – Skylight Deck

Academic Session I

8:30am – 10:10am

Continental Room

Chair:

Elizabeth Marcuccio, Sienna College

8:30-8:55

Should an Agent be Liable for Ordinary Negligence When Liability is Transferred to the Principal by **Nicholas Misenti**, Quinnipiac University

8:55-9:20

The Other Side of FATCA: Issues of Human Rights, Constitutionality and Security by **John Paul**, Brooklyn College/CUNY

9:20-9:45

Financial Regulations: Are They Excessive? by **Roy Girasa, Joseph J. DiBenedetto and Jessica Magaldi**, Pace University

9:45-10:10

The Use of the Statutory "Power of Attorney" as a Medicaid Planning Tool by **Winston Spencer Waters**, Adelphi University

Academic Session II

8:30am – 10:10am

Continental Patio

Chair:

Nancy Lasher, The College of New Jersey

8:30-8:55

Cruel and Unusual Corporate Punishment by **Robert Wagner**, CUNY, Baruch College

8:55-9:20

Economic Liberty v. Economic Protectionism by **Judy Gedge**, Quinnipiac University

9:20-9:45

Getting "SLAPPED" for Engaging in Public Speech: Anti-SLAPP statutes and Social Media by **Sharlene McEvoy**, Fairfield University

9:45-10:10

The Appointments Clause and the SEC's Administrative Law Judges; Protecting the Separation of Powers, Political Accountability and Investors by **Susan L. Martin**, Hofstra University

10:10am – 10:30am Mid-Morning Break

Session III**10:30am – 11:45am****Continental Room**Chair: **John Paul**, Brooklyn College/CUNY10:30-10:55 *Religion and Taxes Under Trump* by **Karen Gantt**, University of Hartford10:55-11:20 *Religious Liberty - The Illusory Fundamental Right* by **Elizabeth Marcuccio**, Siena College11:20-11:45 *Pat-a-Cake, Pat-a-Cake, Baker's Man* by **Gwen Seaquist, Alka Bramhandkar, and Marlene Barken**, Ithaca College**Session IV****10:30am – 11:45am****Continental Patio**Chair: **Patricia Sheridan**, Manhattan College10:30-10:55 *The Opioid Epidemic: A Legal, Ethical (and Often Personal) Case Study* by **Kerrin Wolf**, Stockton University10:55-11:20 *Lies, Damn Lies, Alternative Facts . . . and the Invasion of the Bots* by **Nancy Lasher and Terrance Bennett**, The College of New Jersey11:20-11:45 *Title IX Office of Civil Rights Directives: An Update* by **Audrey Wolfson Latourette**, Stockton University

12:00pm – 1:00pm Lunch - Skylight Deck

1:00pm – 2:00pmTravel to [American Museum of Tort Law](#), 654 Main St., Winsted, CT
Van Transport Available – Sign up at Conf. Reg.**Session V****2:00pm – 3:15pm****Am. Mus. of Tort Law Theater**Chair: **Robert Wiener**, Pace University2:00-2:25 *Being Transgender is Not Defamation?? Ask Richard Simmons* by **Karen Morris**, Monroe Community College2:25-2:50 *Richard A. Posner: A Study in Judicial Entrepreneurship* by **Sean Shannon**, SUNY Oneonta

2:50-3:15

On Dangerous Ground?: The Turf War Over Crumb Rubber: Potential Liability for Manufacturers and Municipalities by **Sharlene McEvoy**, Fairfield University

3:30-4:45pm

Museum Tour

6:30pm – 8:00pm

Dinner - Interlaken Inn; Skylight Deck

8:00pm – 10:00pm

Lakeside Bonfire

ACADEMIC PROGRAM

Sunday, May 6, 2018

Reminder: All hotel guests much check out by 11:00am.

7:00am – 9:00am

Breakfast – Skylight Deck

Session V

8:30am – 10:10am

Continental Room

Chair:

Elisa Salvi, Nassau Community College

8:30-8:55

Regulation of Cryptocurrencies and Blockchain Technologies: A Preview to an Upcoming Book by **Roy Girasa**, Pace University

8:55-9:20

A Clarification of the Evolving Law of Religious Discrimination with Regard to the Wearing of an Islamic Headscarf in the European Union Workplace by **JL Yranski Nasuti**, Iona College

9:20-9:45

Corporate Liability under the Alien Tort Statute Post Kiobel: Jesner v. Arab Bank, PLC by **Robert Wiener**, Pace University

9:45-10:10

Enforcing Pre-Dispute Arbitration Clauses by **Thomas Madden**, Marist College

10:10am – 10:30am

Mid-Morning Break

10:30am – 12:00pm

NEALSB Business Meeting - Continental Room

12:00pm

Pick up boxed lunch

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