

Moving Towards Civil Gideon

2014 Legal Assistance Partnership Conference

September 10-12, 2014

The Albany Marriott
189 Wolf Road, Albany, New York

Hosted by:

The New York State Bar Association
The Committee on Legal Aid

For more information and to register online visit
www.nysba.org/partnership



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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10th

10:00 am – 1:30 pm

Joint Meeting of the NYSBA Committee on Legal Aid and President's Committee on Access to Justice, including lunch

Affinity Group Meetings — 1:30 pm – 4:45 pm [unless otherwise specified]

DAP* [10:00 am – 5:00 pm]

NYS Legal Services Association

Welfare* [10:00 am – 5:00 pm]

Health Law*

Pro Bono Coordinators Network

DV/Family [1:30 pm – 6:30 pm]

5:00 pm – 6:30 pm

LawHelp Stakeholders Forum

Diversity Task Force

New York Immigrant Assistance Consortium (NYIAC)

Meetings marked with an (*) will be held at the New York State Bar Center located at 1 Elk Street, Albany

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 11th

7:30 am – 8:45 am

Continental Breakfast

8:45 am – 9:45 am

Welcome by NYSBA President Glenn Lau-Kee

A Conversation with Chief Judge Jonathan Lippman about Civil Gideon and Access to Justice

10:00 am – 1:15 pm

Morning Workshops

	ACA/Medicaid	DAP	Foreclosure & Housing	DV/Family	Program Improvement
10:00 am – 11:30 am	A. Medicaid In 2014: Impact Of Federal and State Reform	E. From Childhood To Adult: An Overview Of SSI Age 18 Reviews	L. Understanding The Basics of the New York State Foreclosure Process – A General Overview for Non-Foreclosure Defense Attorneys	P. Cornerstone Advocacy: An Interdisciplinary Approach to Working With Families	W. The Future of Technology in the Effective Delivery of Legal Aid
11:45 am – 1:15 pm		F. Typical Mental Impairments In Young Adult SSI Claims	M. Avoid Foreclosures Through Chapter 13 Bankruptcy Plans	S. Economic Issues and Family Law: Navigating the Intersections of Consumer, Family, Bankruptcy and Foreclosure Laws	X. Governance and Management Changes in New York Law

1:15 pm – 2:45 pm

Lunch and Networking

Presentation: *Diversity in Law School and Legal Services: How are we doing?*

3:00 pm – 6:15 pm Afternoon Workshops

	Benefits	Foreclosure & Housing	DV/Family	Program Improvement	Pro Bono/Pro Se
3:00 pm – 4:30 pm	C. Meeting a Client's Immediate Needs: An Intensive Treatment of Emergency And One-Time Assistance	Special Time: 3:00-5:00pm N. Preservation Issues in HUD Subsidized Housing	Q. The Color of a Bruise: Addressing Racial Inequalities in Legal Protection for Victims of Bruising Injuries	U. Community Lawyering: Sharpening our Theory & Developing our Toolbox	Z. Using Business Law and Partnerships with Pro Bono Attorneys To Assist Small Businesses And Non-Profit Organizations In Order To Improve The Quality Of Life Of Individuals In Low-Income Neighborhoods
4:45 pm – 6:15 pm		Special Time: 5:15-6:15pm O. Low Income Housing Tax Credit Developments: Issues in the Identification of the Unique Occupancy and Eviction Requirements of those Development and Strategies for Representing Occupants of LIHTC Housing	R. The Ethics and Practice of Representing Indigent Respondents in Child Support Cases		Other
					AC. Tax 101 for the Legal Services Practitioner

6:30 pm – 7:15 pm Reception

7:15 pm – 9:00 pm Dinner and Denison Ray Awards

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 12th

8:00 am – 9:00 am Continental Breakfast

9:00 am – 12:15 pm Morning Workshops

	Benefits	DAP	Diversity	Other	Pro Bono/Pro Se
9:00 am – 10:30 am	B. Intentional Program Violations and Related Welfare/Food Stamp Fraud Issues	G. Problems Proving Vocational Issues in Young Adult Disability Claims	J. Beyond Law Reform: Building a Practice that Meets the Needs of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Clients	AD. Criminal Law for the Civil Practitioner: Bridging the Gap Between Arrest and Reentry To Work Towards Holistic and Transformative Delivery of Direct Legal Services	Y. Cultivating Pro Bono Leaders
10:45 am – 12:15 pm	Diversity I. Immigrant Eligibility for Public Benefits in New York State: New Developments & Review of the Basics	H. Proving Young Adult Disability Claims: Mock Hearing			AA. Filling in the Gap: Using Non-Lawyers to Educate & Assist Pro-Se Litigants

12:15 pm – 1:15 pm Lunch and Networking

1:30 pm – 3:00 pm Afternoon Workshops

	Consumer	Diversity	Program Improvement	Other	Program Improvement
1:30 pm – 3:00 pm	D. Defending And Assisting Consumers In Debt Collection Lawsuits	K. Breaking Down the Barriers to Language Access <i>[previously Creative Strategies For Obtaining Language Access]</i>	V. It Will Happen To Us All: An Essential Guide To Delivering Disaster Legal Aid	AB. Implementing Federal Rights: The American Private Enforcement Model	T. Effective Legislative Advocacy For Lawyers And Advocates

For additional program information visit www.nysba.org/partnership
To view program descriptions and presenters visit: www.nysba.org/PCtopics

IMPORTANT DATES

<i>June 1, 2014</i>	Registration Opens	<i>July 31, 2014</i>	Early Bird Registration Deadline
<i>August 13, 2014</i>	All cancellations received after this date will incur a \$50 processing fee. All cancellations received after August 27, 2014 will not be refunded.		
<i>August 31, 2014</i>	Registration Closes		
<i>August 28, 2014</i>	Marriott Albany Reservation Deadline (Booking available now). Standard Guest Room \$132.00 per night (king or double), To book a room visit: http://goo.gl/Zig9L5		

FEES

Members		Non-Members	
Early Bird	Regular	Early Bird	Regular
\$100.00	\$125.00	\$150.00	\$175.00

Group Registration | Four (4) or more registrants.

Members – per person		Non-Members – per person		Group registrations can only be processed by mail, fax or email. To download a group registration form please visit www.nysba.org/partnership
Early Bird	Regular	Early Bird	Regular	
\$95.00	\$115.00	\$145.00	\$165.00	

Schedule subject to change

All meals will require a meal ticket. You must be registered for a meal (Breakfast, Lunch, and/or Dinner) in order to be served.

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