

WELCOME

Each year, more than 4,500 members from across the world come together at the New York State Bar Association's (NYSBA) Annual Meeting.

INSPIRE

The events at the Annual Meeting are always excellent educational resources for established practitioners, as well as newly admitted attorneys. Whether you want to hear about the most timely topics in a particular area of practice, or learn about emerging issues affecting the legal profession, Section and Committee meetings are the ideal opportunity to do so.

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Register for as many section and committee programs as your schedule allows. Mark your calendar for **Monday, January 22–Friday, January 26** – the only place to be is at the New York State Bar Association's 141st Annual Meeting in New York City.

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We offer over 40 educational programs for MCLE over the course of one week.

FREE PROGRAMS HELD AT ANNUAL MEETING

Career Development Program | Monday, January 22nd
Program 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. | Reception 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Celebrate Diversity in the Bar | Monday, January 22nd
6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

SOCIALIZE

President's Reception | Wednesday, January 24th
5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

**Young Lawyers Section
Craft Beer & Conversation | Thursday, January 25th**
5:15 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. | Clio Cloud Cafe

VISIT

Exhibitors | Monday–Friday
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. (1:00 p.m. on Friday)

Clio CSR Fastcase
LawPay LexisNexis USI Affinity Insurance

RELAX

Clio Cloud Café | Monday–Friday
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. (1:00 p.m. on Friday)

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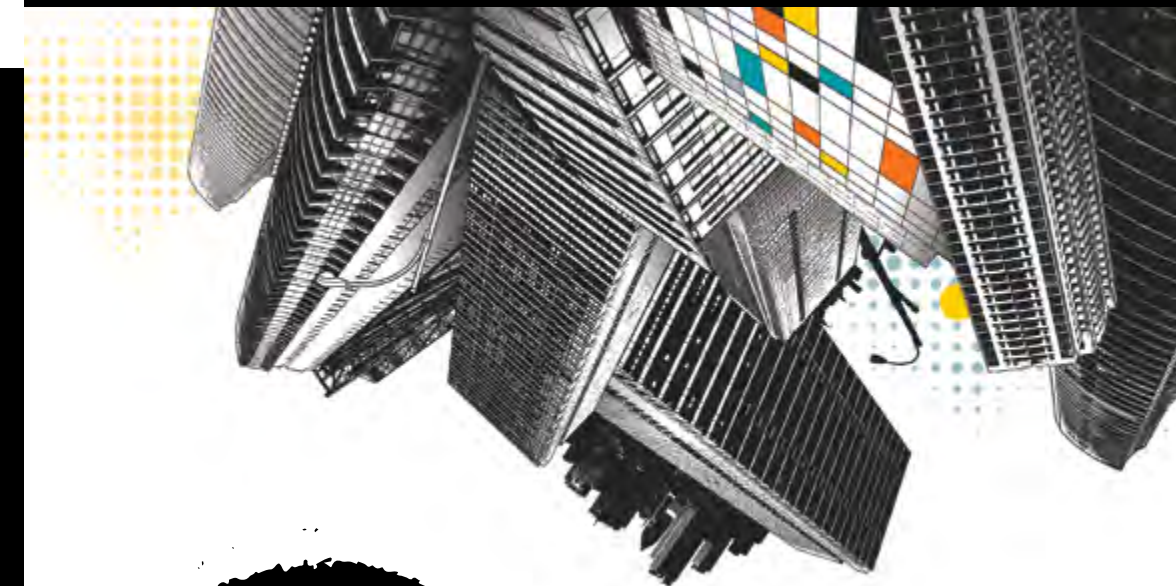
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General Registration Fees

	Early Bird* By 1/12/2018	Regular* As of 1/13/2018
New York State Bar Association Members	\$90	\$190
Non-Members	\$290	\$390
Newly Admitted Attorneys of 3 years or less (admitted after January 1, 2015)	\$50	\$150

Meeting Registration Fees

*Plus registration of \$85 for half-day MCLE meetings and \$125 for full-day MCLE meetings. Pricing for each meeting and additional pricing information for social functions are noted on the registration form.

Important Note: The general registration fee is required for those attending an MCLE program; it is NOT required for those attending only a meal function. A meal function includes separately priced luncheons, dinners and receptions (on-site and off-site).

Hotel Accommodations

The location of the New York State Bar Association's 141st Annual Meeting is the New York Hilton Midtown, 1335 Avenue of the Americas, between 53rd and 54th Streets, NYC. A limited number of rooms have been reserved at the New York Hilton Midtown at a discounted rate for New York State Bar Association members attending the 2018 Annual Meeting. The rate will be based on room selection (single/double occupancy) and arrival/departure dates with additional taxes and hotel fees. The discounted rate for January 21st and January 22nd is \$179 per night. The discounted rate for January 23rd through January 28th is \$229 per night. A rate of \$209 will be offered to those with overlapping dates. Reservations must be made before December 15, 2017 by calling the New York Hilton Midtown directly at 800-445-8667 or online at www.nysba.org/am18accomm.



Accommodations for Persons with Disabilities: NYSBA welcomes participation by individuals with disabilities. NYSBA is committed to complying with all applicable laws that prohibit discrimination against individuals on the basis of disability in the full and equal enjoyment of its goods, services, programs, activities, facilities, privileges, advantages, or accommodations. To request auxiliary aids or services or if you have any questions regarding accessibility, please contact Adriana Favreau at afavreau@nysba.org (518-487-5669).

MCLE PLENARY SESSION: PRESIDENTIAL SUMMIT

Wednesday, January 24, 2018 | 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Race, Slavery and Mass Incarceration

We all know that the 13th Amendment to the US Constitution abolished slavery, but few of us have really concentrated on the language employed. Section 1 reads: "Neither slavery nor involuntary servitude, except in the punishment for a crime, whereof the party shall have been duly convicted, shall exist within the United States, or any place subject to their jurisdiction." The exception for punishment for a crime began a second institution of slavery, and is acknowledged as a basis for the mass incarceration of people of color within our country. The award winning film, "13th" by Ava DuVernay, will be shown in its entirety. The film will be followed by a panel discussion, moderated by ABA President Hilarie Bass, exploring the issues of mass incarceration, implicit bias, wrongful conviction, fines and fees, and systemic litigation to counteract all of the factors which have resulted in the incarceration of so many men and women of color.

The showing of the movie is free to all. In order to receive CLE credit for the substantive portion of the program, you must pay the General Registration Fee.

Viewing of the movie is complimentary, however pre-registration is still required. You may register online at www.nysba.org/am2018

MONDAY JANUARY 22, 2018

Career Development Conference

Program 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Reception 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

SECTION MEETINGS

International Section

Awards Luncheon 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Meeting 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

TUESDAY JANUARY 23, 2018

SECTION MEETINGS

Elder Law and Special Needs Section

Meeting 1:30 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.
Reception follows program off-site: Warwick New York, 65 West 54th Street

Entertainment, Arts and Sports Law Section

Meeting 1:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.
EASL & IP Joint Reception follows off-site: Bill's Bar & Burger Rockefeller Center

General Practice Section and the Committee on Professional Discipline

Meeting 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Intellectual Property Law Section

Meeting 8:45 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.
Luncheon 12:35 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.
IP & EASL Joint Reception follows off-site: Bill's Bar & Burger Rockefeller Center

Tax Section

Meeting 8:45 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Luncheon 12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

COMMITTEE PROGRAMS

Committee on Women in the Law

Program 9:00 a.m. – 4:15 p.m.
Kay Crawford Murray Luncheon 1:15 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.
Networking Reception 4:15 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 24, 2018

PRESIDENTIAL SUMMIT

Program 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

President's Reception

Complimentary Reception for all Annual Meeting registrants.

5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

SECTION MEETINGS

Business Law and Corporate Counsel Sections

Meeting 9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Reception/Luncheon 12:30 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.

Commercial and Federal Litigation Section

Meeting 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Reception/Luncheon 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Criminal Justice Section

Meeting 8:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Awards Luncheon 12:15 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Health Law Section

Meeting 9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Luncheon 12:45 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Meeting resumes 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Torts, Insurance & Compensation Law and Trial Lawyers Sections NEW LOCATION

Reception/Dinner 6:30 p.m. off-site: The Edison Ballroom, 240 West 47th Street

Trusts and Estates Law Section

Meeting 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Reception/Luncheon 12:00 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.
Reception 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. off-site: The University Club, One West 54th Street at 5th Avenue

Young Lawyers Section

Meeting 8:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.
Executive Committee Meeting & Awards Luncheon 12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

COMMITTEE PROGRAMS

Committee on Animals and the Law

Program 1:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Committee on Law, Youth and Citizenship

Program 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

THURSDAY JANUARY 25, 2018

SECTION MEETINGS

Antitrust Law Section

Meeting 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Antitrust Associates & Young Lawyers Reception 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Reception/Dinner off-site: University Club, One West 54th Street at 5th Avenue

Dispute Resolution Section

Networking Luncheon 12:30 – 1:30 p.m. off-site: Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP, 1285 Avenue of the Americas
Meeting 2:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Reception follows program off-site: Dorsey & Whitney LLP, 51 West 52nd Street

Family Law Section

Reception/Awards Luncheon 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Meeting 2:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Chair's Reception 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
off-site: Warwick New York, 65 West 54th Street

Environmental and Energy Law Section

Reception 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Food, Drug & Cosmetic Law Section NEW TIME

8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Reception follows program off-site: Arent Fox LLP, 1675 Broadway

Local and State Government Law Section

Meeting 9:00 a.m. – 4:35 p.m.

Real Property Law Section

Program 8:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.
Reception/Luncheon 12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.
off-site: **NEW LOCATION** 54 Below, 254 West 54th Street

Senior Lawyers Section

Meeting 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Torts, Insurance & Compensation Law and Trial Lawyers Sections

Meeting 8:45 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Lunch on your own.

Young Lawyers Section Leadership Academy

Meeting 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Lunch on your own.

COMMITTEE PROGRAMS

Committee on Condominiums and Cooperatives of the Real Property Law Section

Program 2:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Committee on Disability Rights

Program 9:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Justice for All Luncheon

12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

"LPM Day": Hot Topics in Law Practice Management co-sponsored by Committee on Law Practice Management, the Committees on Attorney Professionalism, CLE and Lawyer Assistance

Program 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Lunch will be included.

FRIDAY

JANUARY 26, 2018

SECTION MEETINGS

Environmental and Energy Law Section NEW TIME & LUNCH LOCATION

Meeting 8:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.
Reception/Luncheon 1:15 – 3:00 p.m.
off site: Mastro's Restaurant, 1285 6th Avenue

Judicial Section/Council of Judicial Associations

Reception/Luncheon 12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Labor and Employment Law Section

Meeting 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Luncheon 12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Young Lawyers Section Leadership Academy

Meeting 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Lunch on your own.

COMMITTEE PROGRAMS

Committee on Children and the Law

Program 9:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Committee on Not-For-Profit Entities and Concerns of the Real Property Law Section

Program 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.