Diane Cornell Selected to Receive 2017 FCBA Excellence in Government Service Award

Diane Cornell has been selected to receive the FCBA’s 10th annual award for outstanding government service, which will be presented at the FCBA Spring Reception on June 29. The award was first given in 2008 to recognize individuals with long-term careers in federal government in the communications field who are dedicated to the pursuit of excellence in public service.

Two of the nominating members of the FCBA, Jennifer Warren and Bryan Tramont, said “Diane has been an extraordinary public servant in every sense of the word -- as a policy leader in IB, WTB and the Chairman’s Office, in the private sector at CTIA and Inmarsat, and in the Bar as an FCBA President and chair of virtually everything. In each role, she has made remarkable contributions as a creative problem solver and been a generous and thoughtful mentor. Her commitment to creating sound public policy and a positive workplace, coupled with her can-do spirit, integrity, humor, ready smile and loyal friendship make her an ideal recipient of this year’s Excellence in Government Service Award.”

Diane served two tours at the FCC over a range of positions, both in bureaus and on the 8th floor. She served four – yes four – different Commissioners, including most recently as Special Counsel to Chairman Tom

FCBA Spring Reception to be held on June 29

The FCBA is pleased to announce that it will hold its Spring Reception on Thursday, June 29 from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. at the Microsoft Innovation & Policy Center, 901 K Street, NW, Washington, DC.

Diane Cornell will receive the FCBA’s 10th Excellence in Government Service Award during the reception.

Many thanks to Microsoft Corporation for being the Platinum Sponsor for the reception! Gold and Silver sponsorships of the Spring Reception are also available for $650 and $350 and include registrations to the reception. In addition, sponsors will receive recognition for their support, including being

21st Annual FCBA Foundation Golf Tournament to be held Tuesday, June 6

On Tuesday, June 6, we will return to Westfields Golf Club – a course that has become a fast favorite of participants, with remarkably beautiful and pristine track

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listed in the FCBA newsletter, on the website and other social media outlets, and in emails. Individual tickets to the reception also may be purchased.

To register an individual, click here or go to the FCBA Website – Calendar of Events or use the form on page 13. See page 13 for sponsor information.

especially for a course so close to downtown DC. Westfields Golf Club, just off Route 66 in Centerville, VA, is a Fred Couples designed course and one of best in the area -- while still being fun and accessible for the high-handicappers among us. Westfields is also considered one of the best places in the area to hold a golf outing, combining a great course with terrific hospitality.

Additionally, we’ve decided to stick with scheduling the Tourney in the afternoon this year so that our workaholic friends can get in a few hours at the office (or plenty of time to warm up on the range). Shotgun start will be at 1:00 p.m. followed by a delicious post-round Buffet BBQ Dinner.

As always, all of the proceeds from the Tournament go straight to the FCBA Foundation to support its wonderful programs, including the Scholarship programs and the Summer Legal Internship program. Over the years, the Tournament has raised over $400,000 for the FCBA Foundation charities, all under the auspices of getting together with your colleagues for an enjoyable day of golf! Our goal and motto: “What a great concept: Do good and have fun at the same time!” We hope you can join us this year!

See registration details on page 12 of this newsletter and sign up today! The Golf Committee always welcomes prize donations or those interested in helping out! Contact Lee G. Petro at Lee.Petro@dbr.com if you want to help!

The FCLJ is Looking for Articles

The Federal Communications Law Journal (FCLJ) editorial board at The George Washington University Law School is seeking article submissions for potential publication in the upcoming issues of the FCLJ. Interested members may submit articles to the Senior Articles Editor, Cassandra Horton (fcljarticles@law.gwu.edu). Articles may also be submitted through ExpressO. For general inquiries about the FCLJ, please contact the Editor-in-Chief, Jane Lee (fclj@law.gwu.edu).
CLE Seminars

Thursday, May 18, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m.
FirstNet: Developments, Challenges, and Opportunities in the Nationwide Public Safety Broadband Network

The FCBA Engineering and Technical and Homeland Security and Emergency Communications Committees will host a CLE on Thursday, May 18 from 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. entitled “FirstNet: Developments, Challenges, and Opportunities in the Nationwide Public Safety Broadband Network.” This program will be held at Wiley Rein LLP, 1776 K Street, NW.

On March 30, 2017, the Department of Commerce and First Responder Network Authority (FirstNet) announced the selection of AT&T to build the first nationwide wireless broadband network dedicated to America’s first responders. This new public-private partnership represents a major step in the development of a robust public safety communications infrastructure, using 20 MHz of prime broadband spectrum to help millions of first responders operate faster, safer and more effectively, while also making excess capacity available to supplement commercial broadband systems. The Department of Commerce has also stated that it expects this effort to create 10,000 jobs in the first two years of the contract alone. The FirstNet system is expected to achieve unprecedented coverage, reliability, and interoperability while also coexisting with state-deployed public safety communications systems. As the rubber meets the road, what technical, legal, and policy challenges must be addressed?

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6:00 – 6:05 p.m.
WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

6:05 – 7:05 p.m.
PANEL 1: TECHNICAL CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES FACING THE PUBLIC SAFETY BROADBAND NETWORK

Moderator:
Avonne Bell, Associate, Kelly Drye & Warren LLP

Speakers:
Jeff Bratcher, CTO, FirstNet
Mike Lewis, Regulatory Engineer, DLA Piper
Morgan Reed, President, ACT | The App Association
Trey Forgety, Director of Government Affairs, NENA

7:05 – 7:15 p.m.
BREAK

7:15 – 8:15 p.m.
PANEL 2: LEGAL AND POLICY ISSUES FOR PUBLIC SAFETY BROADBAND NETWORK

Moderator:
Anna Gomez, Partner, Wiley Rein LLP

Speakers:
Jason Karp, Chief Counsel, FirstNet
Stephanie Baldanzi, Senior Legal Counsel, AT&T
Jeff Cohen, Chief Counsel for Law and Policy, APCO

Thursday, May 23, 3:00 – 5:15 p.m.
From Pirates and Jammers to Wi-Fi and Signal Blocking: Issues in Modern Interference Enforcement

The FCBA Enforcement Committee will host a CLE on Tuesday, May 23 from 3:00 – 5:15 p.m. entitled “From Pirates and Jammers to Wi-Fi and Signal Blocking: Issues in Modern Interference Enforcement.” This program will be held at Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP, 1500 K Street, NW, Suite 1100.

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Agenda

3:00 – 3:05 p.m.
WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

Steve Augustino, Partner, Kelley Drye & Warren LLP

3:05 – 3:15 p.m.
FIELD MODERNIZATION PLAN OVERVIEW

The session will begin with a brief overview of the Field Modernization Plan.

Speaker:
J. Bradford Currier, Associate, Kelley Drye & Warren LLP

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To Update Your Membership Contact Information

We’d like to remind everyone that if they have any changes to their contact information that they notify the FCBA, megan@fcba.org. In order to keep a cohesive look to both our online and hard copy directories, we do not allow members to make any changes to their contact information themselves. Also note that we do not include prefixes or titles in any of our member listings. We appreciate your cooperation in this matter. Thank you.
The Global Search For 5G: Spectrum, Technology, Services and Standards

The FCBA International Telecommunications Committee will sponsor a CLE on Monday, June 19 from 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. entitled “The Global Search For 5G: Spectrum, Technology, Services and Standards.” This program will be held at Sheppard, Mullin, Richter & Hampton LLP, 2099 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW.

The CLE will cover the global plans for deployment of 5G technologies including spectrum requirements, the development of standards, the technologies that 5G will encompass and the services that users will have access to around the globe.

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Agenda

6:00 – 6:05 p.m.  WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

6:05 – 7:05 p.m.  PANEL 1:  5G: GLOBAL SERVICES AND TECHNOLOGY

Moderator:  Steve Goodman, Butzel, Long

Panelists:  TBD

7:05 – 7:15 p.m.  BREAK

7:15 – 8:15 p.m.  PANEL 2:  5G: THE INTERNATIONAL SEARCH FOR SPECTRUM AND STANDARDS

Moderator:  Chris Bjornson, Of Counsel, Steptoe & Johnson LLP

Panelists:  Jennifer Manner, Senior Vice President, Regulatory Affairs, EchoStar

Other Panelists TBD

In MEMORIAM

Roy J. Stewart  
(1938 - 2017)

Roy Stewart, former FCC Mass Media Bureau Chief and head of the Media Bureau Office of Broadcast License Policy, died April 10, 2017 at Fairfax Hospital, Fairfax, Virginia, after a brief illness. He was 78.

Born in Brooklyn, New York, Roy earned a B.A. degree from University of Virginia and a J.D. from Cornell Law School. In 1965, following military service, he joined the TV Applications Branch of the FCC Broadcast Bureau, beginning a career that would span over four decades. In 1989, he became Chief of the FCC Mass Media Bureau. He served in that capacity for 13 years and then headed the Office of Broadcast License Policy until his retirement in 2009.

As a native New Yorker, Roy was an avid fan of the Rangers and the Knicks. In addition, he and his wife, Patricia, enjoyed traveling abroad, with France, and especially Paris, as favorite destinations.

Jonathan Blake, a former FCBA President and head of Covington & Burling’s communications and media practice, remembers Stewart as “the epitome of a public servant – always straightforward, fair, and focused on trying to do the right thing, as well as someone who had fun and loved his work.”

As former FCC Chairman Dick Wiley observes, “Over the years I have had an opportunity to work with many highly competent FCC staff officials, both during my own Commission tenure and as a lawyer practicing before the FCC. Roy will always stand out among them as one of the most able, knowledgeable, and dedicated public servants I have ever known. It is also true that Roy did not suffer fools gladly, and if he didn’t agree with you, he would make it quite clear. However, beneath that occasionally gruff demeanor, he was someone who always tried to find viable solutions for problems presented to him. In my view, Roy Stewart was one-of-a-kind, and his passing brings back many wonderful memories but also a lot of personal sadness.”

Roy is survived by his wife, Patricia Zimmer Stewart, daughters Teresa and Cristina, and a granddaughter, Presley Julio.
Engineering and Technical Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch  
Date/Time: Wednesday, June 7, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.  
Location: ACT – The App Association, 1401 K Street, NW, Suite 501  
Topic: The FCC’s Experimental Licensing Program. Several years ago, the FCC revised and consolidated its rules for experimental licensing, and recently the Office of Engineering and Technology announced that the new program license notification system is now up and running. Key OET staff will provide an overview of the experimental licensing rules and the new notification system; discuss the process of license processing and NTIA review; and will give helpful hints to practitioners navigating the experimental licensing system.  
Speakers: Ben Ghaffari, John Kennedy, and other members of the OET staff  
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Homeland Security and Emergency Communications Committee

Event: CLE Seminar co-hosted by the Engineering and Technical Committee  
Date/Time: Thursday, May 18, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m.  
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International Telecommunications Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch  
Date/Time: Thursday, June 1, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.  
Location: Sheppard, Mullin, Richter & Hampton LLP, 2099 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Topic: Prominent International Practitioners Panel (a career discussion by prominent international communications practitioners)  
Speakers: Ambassador Vonya McGann, Senior Vice President, Sprint; Ambassador Janice Obuchowski, President, Freedom Technologies (other speakers TBD); moderated by Steve Goodman, Butzel Long  
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FCC Enforcement Committee

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Mass Media Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch  
Date/Time: Monday, May 22, 12:15 – 2:15 p.m.  
Location: TBD  
Topic: Navigating the Broadcast Repack Process  
Speakers: Jean Kiddoo, Chief of the Incentive Auction Task Force, will be joined by Hillary DiNigro, Deputy Chief, Incentive Auction Task Force; Barbara Kreisman, Chief, Video Division, Media Bureau; Jeffrey Neumann, Chief Engineer, Media Bureau; Pamela Gallant, Associate Division Chief, Video Division, Media Bureau; and Shaun Maher, Attorney, Video Division, Media Bureau  
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Wireline Committee

Event: CLE Seminar  
Date/Time: Wednesday, May 31, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m.  
Location: Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP, 1800 M Street, NW, Suite 800N  
Topic: The FCC’s Business Data Services Order: What Does It Mean and What’s Next?  
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Young Lawyers Committee

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Location: Hogan Lovells US LLP, 555 13th Street, NW  
Topic: The Young Lawyers Committee is now seeking nominations for the upcoming co-chair election. One YLC co-chair is elected annually to serve a two-year term. All other volunteer roles with the YLC are appointed. Nominations should be emailed to Sean Spivey (sean.spivey@hoganlovells.com) and Kristine Fargotstein (KFargotstein@gmail.com) no later than Friday, May 12. Self-nomination is welcome. No proxy votes are allowed, so be sure to attend. All are welcome to attend the planning meeting, but voting is limited to current YLC members.  
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Florida Chapter

Event: Networking Lunch/CLE  
Date/Time: Friday, May 19, 12:00 – 3:30 p.m.  
Location: SunTrust Center Conference Center, 250 South Orange Avenue, Orlando, FL 32801  
Topic: The New Administration’s FCC and the Evolving World of Telecommunications  
Speakers: Commissioner Ronald Brise of the Florida Public Service Commission and Dr. Mark Jamison of the Public Utility Research Center at the University of Florida  
Cost: $50.00 per person – includes lunch and 3.0 FL CLE credit hours  
For more information: Contact program co-chairs Beth Keating at (850) 521-1706, Cindy Miller at (850) 556-1629, or Will Cox at (561) 281-9542.  
To register: Click here.  

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2017 FCBA Membership Directories

The FCBA 2017 Membership Directories were recently mailed to members. Please use the form on page 14 to order additional copies for your office.
In the 1990s, she served as Chief of the various spectrum-related rulemakings communications issues, including was involved in a wide range of wireless Telecommunications Bureau, where she Staff/Associate Chief of the Wireless Diane's Bureau roles included Chief of Marshall and Patricia Diaz Dennis. advisor to Commissioners Sherrie Hundt, and telecommunications legal Legal Advisor to FCC Chairman Reed in her career, Diane was Acting Senior matters for the Chairman's office. Earlier international and consumer protection Wheeler, where she headed the Process Reform initiative, and handled satellite, international and consumer protection matters for the Chairman's office. Earlier in her career, Diane was Acting Senior Legal Advisor to FCC Chairman Reed Hundt, and telecommunications legal advisor to Commissioners Sherrie Marshall and Patricia Diaz Dennis.

Diane's Bureau roles included Chief of Staff/Associate Chief of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, where she was involved in a wide range of wireless communications issues, including various spectrum-related rulemakings and issues involving 3G mobile systems. In the 1990s, she served as Chief of the Telecommunications Division of the International Bureau and as Chief of the International Policy Division of the Common Carrier Bureau; in these roles she was responsible for international policy rulemakings, authorizations, and international conferences, and played a significant role in the 1997 WTO Basic Telecommunications Agreement and the related rulemakings. Her FCC career started in the Policy and Program Planning Division of the FCC's Common Carrier Bureau in 1987. Her awards at the FCC included the Gold Medal for Distinguished Service and the FCC Chairman's Outstanding Service Award & Special Achievement Award.

Before and between her FCC stints, Diane held several private sector positions. She started her law career as an associate at Squire Sanders & Dempsey, and after her first FCC tour she served as Vice President, Regulatory Policy at the CTIA - The Wireless Association, where she worked on a wide variety of regulatory issues affecting wireless carriers and manufacturers. Immediately before returning to the FCC, Diane was Vice President, Government Affairs at Inmarsat, a mobile satellite communications provider, where she was responsible for overseeing regulatory matters worldwide.

Diane has been active in the FCBA throughout her career; she served as President in 2007-2008, held several other FCBA offices, and chaired many committees. Diane is also a former President of USA Badminton, and continues to participate in her lifelong sports passion. She received her B.A from Wesleyan University and her J.D. from the University of Pennsylvania.

**Interested in Hosting an FCBA event?**

The FCBA greatly appreciates the support of our members’ firms and companies who provide space for our brown bag lunches, committee meetings, and CLE Seminars throughout the year. We are, however, always looking for new locations that can host FCBA events. In general, we need conference rooms that can seat at least 30 people at tables for brown bag lunches and committee meetings and conference rooms that can seat at least 60 people theatre style for CLE seminars. Firms and companies hosting brown bag lunches provide beverages and desserts; firms and companies hosting CLE seminars provide beverages and snacks. Brown bag lunches are generally held from 12:00 – 1:30 p.m. and CLE seminars are generally held from 12:00 – 2:15 p.m., 3:00 – 5:15 p.m., or 6:00 – 8:30 p.m. Additionally, for CLE seminars we need facilities that can provide technology support for microphones for as many as six speakers on a panel, the ability to tie the house sound system into a teleconference bridge, and video projection capabilities for PowerPoint presentations. If your firm or company has the needed conference room facilities and capabilities and would be willing to host future FCBA activities, please email kerry@fcba.org.
Young Lawyers Committee Co-Chair Election – Nominations Open

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The election will be held at the YLC’s annual planning meeting on Tuesday, May 30, 2017. No proxy votes are allowed, so be sure to attend. All are welcome, but voting is limited to current YLC members. Guidelines for YLC membership are set forth in Article V, Section 30 of the FCBA’s bylaws.

Young Lawyers and Social Media Committees Host Inaugural Facebook Live Brown Bag Lunch to an Audience of Hundreds

The Young Lawyers and Social Media Committees hosted the FCBA’s first-ever Facebook Live event on Tuesday, April 18, a brown bag panel on “Leveraging Social Media for Digital Advocacy and Client Engagement.” Kristine Fargotstein (FCC) moderated a discussion with Maura Corbett (Glen Echo Group) and Jameson Dempsey (Kelley Drye) on how to make the most of social media profiles and the role of social media in advocacy today. Maura and Jameson shared their thoughts on how new media and traditional media complement one another in furthering a client’s or company’s advocacy strategy.

The Facebook Live event was a major success, reaching 1,699 people total as of press time, with 682 unique video views by 604 unique viewers. The YLC very much appreciates FCBA members’ interest in the event. If you don’t already, be sure to like and follow the FCBA on Facebook so future programming will appear in your Facebook news feed! An archive video of the brown bag event is also available on the Facebook page.

The YLC would like to thank Maura, Jameson, and Kristine for a great discussion and for beta testing the Facebook Live format, as well as Kelley Drye for hosting the event and videoconference facilities. In addition, the YLC would like to thank the Social Media Committee Co-Chairs Mark Brennan, Joy Ragsdale, and Jeremy Berkowitz for their efforts to help organize the Facebook Live portion of the event.

A Successful Year for the YLC’s Law School Outreach Program

This spring, the FCBA’s Young Lawyers Committee continued its annual tradition of holding law student outreach events to introduce students to Communications Law. Tim Doughty, Bill Durdach, Lauren McCarty, and Calisha Myers oversaw the law student outreach program on behalf of the Young Lawyers Committee.

In the lead-up to the 2017 Silicon Flatirons Conference, The Colorado Technology and Law Journal, led by Editor-in-Chief Karyn Kesselring, held a “primer” series happy hour at the school to provide students with an up-close and personal introduction to the subject matter to be covered at the Conference. Professor Blake Reid moderated a fireside chat with guests Jon Sallet (Brookings Institute), Amina Fazhullah (Benton Foundation), Mark Walker (Cable Labs), and Andrew Schwartzman (Georgetown University Law).

Howard University School of Law students attended a panel discussion on March 8, where they heard from Markham Erickson (Steptoe & Johnson), Alyssia Bryant (Mintz Levin), Kara Romagnino (CTIA), and Joy Ragsdale (FCC). The panelists discussed the growing nature and breadth of careers in communications law as well as specific growth areas like privacy and IoT.

On March 14, The George Washington University Law School hosted a variety of communications professionals to speak with current law students about the diverse career options available in the field. Panelists included Jessica Almond (FCC), Jennifer Holtz (Kelley Drye & Warren), Hadass Kogan (DISH Network), and Tom Power (CTIA). Panelists provided insight on helpful courses to take during law school, transitioning from law school to full time employment, and the positives and negatives of different career paths. Special thanks to Jane Lee of GW Law for her help in organizing and moderating this event.

On March 29, Sade Oshinubi (Wireless Infrastructure Association) moderated a panel discussion on careers in communications law at UDC Law. Arturo Chang (NTIA), Matthew Conaty (FCC), Emilie de Lozier (Wilkinson Barker Knauer), and Megan Stull (Google) shared their experiences working in different sectors of the industry and offered advice on navigating the job market. Thanks to UDC Law student David O’Brien for his help in organizing this event.

On March 30, the Institute for Public Representation at Georgetown Law School hosted a panel of former IPR students...
including Charon Phillips (Verizon), Erin Dozier (National Association of Broadcasters), Daniel Alvarez (Willkie Farr & Gallagher), Lauren Wilson (FCC), and Kristine DeBry (Public Knowledge). IPR Staff Attorney and Teaching Fellow Chris Laughlin moderated the panel which introduced students to the wide array of opportunities in telecommunications law.

On April 4, American University WCL’s Communications & Media Law Society hosted a panel with several communications professionals to speak with current law students about various career opportunities in the field. Panelists included WCL alumnae Angela Kung (FCC), Meredith Singer (Wiley Rein), Brendan Haggerty (ATT), and Kevin Rupy (USTA). Panelists answered questions about law school, the bar exam, and career opportunities in the communications law field. Special thanks to Carolyn Mahoney for her help in organizing and moderating this event.

Penn Law hosted a panel on April 5, featuring Andrew Fisher (Comcast), Sam Cullari (Reed Smith), Kevin Werbach (The Wharton School), and Ross Slutsky (Kelley Drye). The panelists discussed the importance of networking and maintaining relationships within the communications field and gave students insights into recent policy changes at the FCC. Special thanks to UPenn 2L Shelby Rokito for organizing the event.

Thank you to all the FCBA members who participated and to Tim, Bill, Lauren, and Calisha for coordinating the events! If you see that your law school is not listed and you would like to change that, please contact Sean Spivey (sean.spivey@hoganlovells.com).
Lewis, an international law firm with some 2,000 attorneys, seeks a qualified junior level associate. The ideal candidate would have 1-3 years relevant experience, be highly motivated, and interested in joining a dynamic and innovative practice. Law firm, industry, FCC or other agency experience or engineering degree or technical background would be a plus. A successful candidate would be a self-starter with excellent writing and analytical, able to work cooperatively with colleagues and interact effectively with clients.

The position involves working closely with partners and other senior attorneys in counseling and advocating for clients in a diverse practice representing wireline, wireless, Internet/broadband, international, media and investor interests. Our associates work in a collegial environment on leading-edge regulatory, transactional, litigation, policy and technology issues. Significant opportunity for interaction with clients and regulators.

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5.17.3 Partner-Level Attorneys – Telecommunications Law Professionals PLLC (TLP) is a successful and growing boutique telecommunications law firm with a client-centric philosophy and a collegial atmosphere. Our attorneys find practicing telecommunications law to be both enjoyable and rewarding. We are planning for steady, managed growth by adding experienced attorneys with excellent credentials and a demonstrated ability to attract clients. We are building a platform that allows attorneys to flourish without having to obsess over billable hour targets and ever-increasing hourly rates. TLP offers attorneys control over their billing rates, and the flexibility to formulate creative, alternative fee arrangements that are attractive to sophisticated clients in today’s competitive legal market. And, low overhead and efficient management will enable you to keep a higher percentage of the fruits of your labor. Interested parties should send a resume and cover letter to Erin Fitzgerald at E Fitzgerald@bennetlaw.com.

5.17.4 Summer Intern (Legal) – Bennet & Bennet PLLC is an eight-attorney, full service communications and technology law firm representing companies providing services across all sectors of the communications and cybersecurity industry. We are seeking a motivated legal intern to join our practice in Bethesda, Maryland (just outside of Washington, DC) for Summer 2017. The successful candidate will contribute to the legal, regulatory, and advocacy aspects of the firm’s communications and technology law practice under the direct supervision of individual attorneys within the firm. The candidate will conduct legal research, writing, and analysis on a variety of substantive issues, and will have the opportunity to attend congressional hearings and meetings at the FCC on a wide variety of policy issues. Candidates should be entering their second or third year of law school and have a demonstrated interest in communications and technology law. Salary negotiable.

Interested applicants should send a cover letter, resume, and a brief writing sample to Erin Fitzgerald at E Fitzgerald@bennetlaw.com.

LAW FIRM/CORPORATE

5.17.1 Law Firm Assistant – Telecommunications Law Professionals PLLC (TLP) is a collaborative seven-attorney law firm with a diversified communications practice. We are seeking a motivated, multi-talented assistant for an immediate part-time position (20 to 30 hours per week). College degree preferred. Responsibilities will include administrative support to the attorneys and managing partner, billing support, computer research, social media management (blog posts, twitter posts and other online media), and word processing duties (Word, Excel, Outlook, PowerPoint). Experience with FCC and legal research using electronic resources such as ECFS, CDBS, EDGAR, ETFS, Westlaw, and PACER a plus, but we will train the right person to handle periodic quasi-paralegal functions (e.g., researching legal resources and FCC databases; use of FCC electronic filing systems; preparation of agency filings, etc.). The ideal candidate will have solid organizational and time-management skills, keen attention to detail, an excellent attendance record, good language and technical skills, and a positive attitude that will maintain the collegial atmosphere. Salary negotiable, commensurate with experience. Please provide a cover letter and resume to Michael Lazarus at mazarus@telecomlawpros.com. Principals only.

5.17.2 Junior Level Associate – The Telecommunications, Media & Technology Group in the Washington, DC office of Morgan Lewis, an international law firm with some 2,000 attorneys, seeks a qualified junior level associate. The ideal candidate would have 1-3 years relevant experience, be highly motivated, and interested in joining a dynamic and innovative practice. Law firm, industry, FCC or other agency experience or engineering degree or technical background would be a plus. A successful candidate would be a self-starter with excellent writing and analytical, able to work cooperatively with colleagues and interact effectively with clients.

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Qualified applicants are invited to apply online only by visiting our website www.bbklaw.com. Careers at BB&K.

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Thursday, May 18, 2017, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. – FirstNet: Developments, Challenges, and Opportunities in the Nationwide Public Safety Broadband Network. Location: Wiley Rein LLP, 1776 K Street, NW. Cost: $135.00 for Private Sector Members; $50.00 for Government/Academic/Transitional Members; No charge for Law Student Members; $205.00 for Non-Members. Registrations and cancellations due by 12:00 Noon, Wednesday, May 17, 2017.

Tuesday, May 23, 2017, 3:00 – 5:15 p.m. – CLE Seminar – From Pirates and Jammers to Wi-Fi and Signal Blocking: Issues in Modern Interference Enforcement. Location: Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP, 1500 K Street, NW, Suite 1100. Cost: $135.00 for Private Sector Members; $50.00 for Government/Academic/Transitional Members; No charge for Law Student Members; $205.00 for Non-Members. Registrations and cancellations due by 12:00 Noon, Wednesday, May 22, 2017.

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Monday, June 19, 2017, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. – CLE Seminar – The Global Search For 5G: Spectrum, Technology, Services and Standards. Location: Sheppard, Mullin, Richter & Hampton LLP, 2099 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW. Cost: $135.00 for Private Sector Members; $50.00 for Government/Academic/Transitional Members; No charge for Law Student Members; $205.00 for Non-Members. Registrations and cancellations due by 12:00 Noon, Friday, June 16, 2017.

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21st Annual ROBERT E. LEE MEMORIAL FCBA FOUNDATION CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

Tuesday, June 6, 2017 — 1:00 p.m. Shotgun Start

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# Federal Communications Bar Association
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