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Newsletter of the Federal Communications Bar Association

## 2017 FCBA Annual Seminar to be held at Nemacolin Woodlands Resort May 5 – 7



Nemacolin Woodlands Resort

Mark your calendar now and make plans to join your colleagues at Nemacolin for the 2017 FCBA Annual Seminar on May 5-7. The Annual Seminar Committee is planning what promises to be an outstanding program filled with the latest information on telecom issues and great networking opportunities.

**Important Room Reservation Information:** The FCBA special group rates will only be guaranteed through Thursday, April 13. After this date, the group rate will no longer be available and it is likely that the room rate will increase. Rooms will be assigned on a first come, first serve basis.

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## FCBA Congressional Reception to be held on March 29

The FCBA is pleased to announce that it will be holding its 2017 Congressional Reception on **Wednesday, March 29** from **6:00 – 8:00 p.m.** at the NCTA Offices, 25 Massachusetts Avenue, NW. Once again this year, Members of the House and Senate Commerce, Homeland Security, and Judiciary Committees are being invited to attend, as well as their staff and telecom advisors.

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## Nominations for the “Excellence in Government Service” Award Due March 10

In 2008, the Federal Communications Bar Association established an award, to be provided annually, to recognize the contributions of federal government employees to the field of communications. Recipients of the award include Daniel “Mack” Armstrong, Evan Kwerel, Julius Knapp, Mary Beth Richards, Patrick Carney,

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## Upcoming Key Events

### International Telecommunications Committee Brown Bag Lunch

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**Location:** Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP, 1800 M Street, NW, Suite 800N

**Topic:** Hard to Ask (and Hard to Answer) Questions Part II

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### Have a Comment, Idea, or Question for the FCBA?

Email [fcba@fcba.org](mailto:fcba@fcba.org). We're always here to assist and are interested in your thoughts on programming, services, or anything else you'd like to share!

## EXCELLENCE IN GOVERNMENT SERVICE

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Karl Nebbia, Bobby Baker, Barbara Kreisman, and Carol Matthey. The tenth recipient will be announced in spring 2017.

All current federal government employees in communications-related positions (not limited to attorneys or FCBA members) are eligible nominees. The FCBA will consider an individual's dedication to excellence and long-term commitment to federal government public service in selecting the individual to be honored. In addition, the FCBA will view favorably nominees who have demonstrated service, dedication, and generosity of spirit in their careers. Nominations (1,000 words or less) should include the following information: (1) full name, title, work address and contact information of the nominee; (2) summary of the nominee's outstanding service and/or achievements; (3) a narrative explanation of the nominee's service including the following information: how the nominee's dedication to excellence and public service is outstanding, significant, and "above and beyond the call of duty," the length of the government service; and any other relevant information, such as a history of mentoring, that would assist the award committee in evaluating the nomination.

Please submit nominations by email to [kerry@fcba.org](mailto:kerry@fcba.org). Nominations are due no later than **Friday, March 10, 2017**.

## Volunteers Needed for Young Lawyers Committee Law School Outreach Program

It is time once again for the FCBA Young Lawyers Committee's annual law school outreach initiative. The goal of the initiative is to reach out to law students and introduce them to the FCBA and careers in communications law through sponsoring career panels at various law schools. We are currently looking for volunteers to speak on panels and help organize the events.

Please contact **Bill Durdach** ([williamdurdach@gmail.com](mailto:williamdurdach@gmail.com)), **Tim Doughty** ([timothy.doughty@gmail.com](mailto:timothy.doughty@gmail.com)), **Lauren McCarty** ([laurenmcct@gmail.com](mailto:laurenmcct@gmail.com)), and **Calisha Myers** ([calisha.myers@gmail.com](mailto:calisha.myers@gmail.com)) if you would like to help with this outreach effort and make 2017 another successful year for the program!



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# Nominations Committee Presents FY2018 Slate of Candidates

Pursuant to Article V, Section 21 of the Association's By-Laws, the FCBA Nominations Committee has nominated the persons set forth below as candidates for the positions shown for terms beginning July 1, 2017. Pursuant to Article IV, Section 2 of the By-Laws, this year the membership will elect a President-Elect, a Secretary, an Assistant Secretary, an Assistant Treasurer, a Chapter Representative for a two-year term, a Delegate to the American Bar Association for a two-year term, three (3) individuals to the Executive Committee for three-year terms, three (3) individuals to the Nominations Committee for two-year terms, and four (4) individuals as Trustees of the FCBA Foundation for three-year terms.

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(Three to be elected for two-year terms)

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National Telecommunications and  
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Federal Communications Commission

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AT&T Services, Inc.

**Stephanie Weiner**  
Formerly Federal Communications  
Commission

**Amy R. Wolverson**  
Advanced Micro Devices

## FCBA FOUNDATION BOARD OF TRUSTEES

(Four to be elected for three-year terms)

**Chad Breckinridge**  
Cisco Systems, Inc.

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Wireless Infrastructure Association

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Competitive Carriers Association (CCA)

**Lawrence J. Spiwak**  
Phoenix Center for Advanced Legal &  
Economic Public Policy Studies

**Johanna Rose Thomas**  
Federal Communications Commission

Pursuant to the FCBA By-Laws, current President-Elect, **Julie M. Kearney**, Consumer Technology Association, will become President on July 1, 2017 and current Assistant Treasurer, **Megan Anne Stull**, Google Inc., will become Treasurer on July 1, 2017. In addition, **Joiava T. Philpott**, Cox Communications, Inc., will serve a second year as a Chapter Representative.

Pursuant to Article V, Section 21(c) of the FCBA By-Laws, additional nominations of candidates for the positions listed above may be made by Petition. The signatures of at least twenty-five (25) members of the FCBA must support each candidate nominated by Petition. Nominating Petitions must be submitted no later than Monday, April 3, 2017 to Kerry Loughney, FCBA Executive Director, 1020 19th Street, NW, Suite 325, Washington, DC 20036.

Election materials and instructions for electronic voting will be sent to all members eligible to vote around May 1, 2017. The election results will be announced during the FCBA Annual Meeting at the June Luncheon.

Special thanks to members of this year's Nominations Committee: **Christopher J. Wright (Chair)**; **Ann West Bobeck**; **Mark W. Brennan**; **Neil A. Chilson**; **Scott D. Delacourt**; **Matthew S. DelNero**; **Kyle D. Dixon**; **Angela E. Giancarlo**; **Julie M. Kearney**; **Melissa E. Newman**; **Joy M. Ragsdale**; **Edward "Smitty" Smith**; and **Brita D. Strandberg**.

### Tuesday, March 21, 2:00 – 6:00 p.m. 12th Annual ABA/ FCBA Privacy and Data Security Symposium The Future of Privacy & Data Security Under the Trump Administration

The FCBA Privacy and Data Security Committee and the ABA Forum on Communications Law will hold the 12th Annual Privacy & Data Security Symposium on **Tuesday, March 21** from **2:00 – 6:00 p.m.** This program will be held at Arnold & Porter Kaye Scholer LLP, 601 Massachusetts Avenue, NW.

The tumultuous and widely unexpected outcome of the 2016 election creates a good deal of uncertainty about what is in store for privacy and security under a Trump administration. After one of the most contentious periods at the Federal Communications Commission in recent-memory, with a high number of party-line votes, broadband privacy is among many items likely to be reconsidered with Republican commissioners in the majority at the Commission. While the Federal Trade Commission has appeared to conduct its business with a priority on bipartisan consensus, the direction of this agency also could shift under Republican leadership. Actions of both agencies and the courts could solidify jurisdictional gaps while levelling regulatory frameworks (or eliminating one altogether). With both houses of Congress and the White House in control of the same party for the first time in six years, the potential for legislation on a wide array of privacy and security issues is newly elevated.

This year's Symposium will explore what we can expect from the FCC, the FTC, the courts, the States and Congress in the year ahead.

To register, [click here](#) or go to the [FCBA Website – Calendar of Events](#) or use the form on [page 19](#).

\*Note that ABA Forum on Communications Law members attending in person may not register online. Please download the form and fax, mail, or email it.

#### Agenda

**2:00 – 2:15 p.m.**

##### **OPENING REMARKS AND INTRODUCTION OF OPENING ADDRESS SPEAKER**

**S. Jenell Trigg**, Co-Chair, Annual Symposium; Founding Co-Chair Emeritus, FCBA Privacy & Data Security Committee; and Member and Chair, IP and New Media & Technology Practice Group, Lerman Senter

**2:15 – 2:40 p.m.**

##### **AN OPENING ADDRESS: POLICY PRIORITIES FOR THE TRUMP ADMINISTRATION**

A change in administration between parties always brings with it a change in policies and priorities. Two months into the Trump administration, Acting Chief of the Bureau of Consumer Protection will provide an overview of what the FTC's priorities are with respect to privacy and security matters.

*Speaker:*

**Tom Pahl**, Acting Chief, Bureau of Consumer Protection, Federal Trade Commission  
(**Acting Chairman Maureen K. Ohlhausen** is scheduled to testify at a Senate Hearing on 3/21 and Bureau

Chief Pahl will provide the keynote in the event the Senate Hearing is not rescheduled.)

**2:40 – 4:15 p.m.**

##### **SESSION 1: THE FCC'S BROADBAND PRIVACY RULES, THE FTC'S COMMON CARRIER EXEMPTION AND OTHER HOT TOPICS IN 2017**

With a Republican controlled FCC, the odds are high that petitions to reconsider the agency's Broadband Privacy Order will get careful consideration alongside a potential undoing of the classification of broadband as a telecommunications service. Looming in the background however is the Ninth Circuit decision in *FTC v. AT&T Mobility LLC*, which found the FTC does not have jurisdiction over an entity with common carrier status. The FCC is also very involved in cybersecurity matters. In light of the Trump Administration's doubts regarding claims of foreign actors' unauthorized access to the nation's computer infrastructure, will cybersecurity continue to be a top priority at the FCC and other agencies? Our panel of experts will explore how these developments are likely to unfold in the early days of the Trump administration and the impact such events are likely to have on businesses and consumers for broadband, the Internet of Things, and new technology.

*Moderator:*

**Sherrese Smith**, Member, Telecommunications, Media, and Technology and Privacy and Cybersecurity practices, Paul Hastings LLP

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### Charity Auction Beneficiary Application Now Available

The Auction Committee is now accepting applications from local charities to be considered as beneficiary of the 28th Annual FCBA Charity Auction. The application is available at <http://www.fcba.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/02/Auction-Beneficiary-Application-2017.pdf> and should be received by the FCBA by U.S. Mail, fax, or email no later than Friday, April 7, 2017.

## MARCH 21 CLE

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### Speakers:

**Kathleen Benway**, Chief of Staff,  
Bureau of Consumer Protection,  
Federal Trade Commission

**Gaurav Laroia**, Policy Counsel, Free  
Press

**Douglas Gansler**, former Attorney  
General of Maryland and President of  
the National Association of Attorneys  
General, Partner, Buckley Sandler LLP  
(invited)

FCC Representative (invited)  
NTIA/U.S. Dept. of Commerce  
Representative (invited)

**4:15 – 4:25 p.m.**

### BREAK

**4:25 – 6:00 p.m.**

## SESSION II: CONGRESS'S PRIVACY AND DATA SECURITY PRIORITIES FOR 2017

With both the legislative branch and the executive branch under a single party's control again after six years, the table is set for consideration of a broad Communications Act re-write and for consideration of a wide array of legislation that could impact the Internet, broadband, the Internet of Things and related privacy and data security issues domestically and internationally. Court cases and broader issues such as the battle over Net Neutrality and cross-border data transfers with the European Union, and the increasing involvement of the States in privacy and data security matters, are likely to color the debate. This panel of experts will explore Congress's expected priorities and aspirations with respect to legislation and oversight of privacy and data security issues.

### Moderator:

**John Heitmann**, Co-Chair, Annual Symposium; Chair, FCBA Privacy & Data Security Committee; and Partner and Chair, Communications Group, Kelley Drye & Warren LLP

### Speakers:

**Cort Bush**, Senior Policy Advisor,  
Senator Jerry Moran (R-KS)

**David Goldman**, Counsel, House  
Committee on Energy and Commerce,  
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**Tuesday, April 4, 6:00  
– 8:15 p.m.**

## The Ethics of Lawyers and Lobbying

The FCBA **Professional Responsibility and Legislative Committees** will host a CLE on **Tuesday, April 4** from **6:00 – 8:15 p.m.** entitled "The Ethics of Lawyers and Lobbying." This program will be held at Cooley LLP, 1299 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW.

To register, [click here](#) or go to the **FCBA Website – Calendar of Events** or use the form on [page 19](#).

## Agenda

**6:00 – 6:05 p.m.**

### WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

### Moderator:

**Patricia J. Paoletta**, Partner, Harris,  
Wiltshire & Grannis LLP, (Former  
Senior Advisor, International Bureau,  
Federal Communications Commission;  
Former Director, Telecommunications  
Trade Policy, United States Trade

Representative; Former Majority  
Counsel, U.S. House of Representatives,  
Committee on Energy and Commerce)

### Confirmed Speakers:

**Shawn H. Chang**, Partner, Wiley Rein  
LLP (Former Senior Counsel and Chief  
Counsel, U.S. House of Representatives,  
Committee on Energy and Commerce)

**Thomas B. Mason**, Partner, Harris,  
Wiltshire & Grannis LLP (Chair, Legal  
Ethics and Malpractice Group; Co-  
Chair FCBA Professional Responsibility  
Committee)

**Andrew Siff**, Siff and Associates, PLLC  
(Member, DC Bar Continuing Legal  
Education Committee; Former Chief  
of Staff, Counselor, U.S. Secretary of  
Labor; Former Counsel and Chief  
Counsel, U.S. Senate Committee on  
Rules and Administration)

**6:05 – 7:05 p.m.**

## OVERVIEW AND DISCUSSION OF THE VARIOUS PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY RULES APPLICABLE TO LOBBYING MATTERS

A panel of experts will discuss and distinguish the types of professional responsibility requirements that apply to a lawyer when lobbying. These include the D.C. rules regarding the unauthorized practice of law ("UPL") and the Rules of Professional Conduct ("the D.C. Rules") as applied to lobbying, as well as the Lobbying Disclosure Act ("LDA").

- What does "lobbying" mean for purposes of UPL and the D.C. Rules? What conduct is permitted? What obligations imposed? Who can lobby consistent with the UPL rules and the D.C. Rules? How do these rules impact lawyers who lobby?
- How do the District of Columbia, Maryland and Virginia UPL and Rules of Professional Conduct differ with respect to lobbying?
- How does the LDA differ from the UPL? Who are "covered" officials?

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## APRIL 4 CLE

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### 7:05-7:15 p.m. BREAK

### 7:15-8:15 p.m. PRACTICAL APPLICATION OF THE RULES TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS PRACTICE

The panel will discuss a series of hypotheticals to analyze the impact of the rules on the telecommunications lawyer-lobbyist.

- When and how do the legal ethics rules apply to lobbying engagements, including the conflicts rules and the rules governing fees? What rules govern lobbying and lawyers not admitted in the District of Columbia? What if a lawyer is working at or collaborating with a lobbying or consulting firm?
- What if a lobbying engagement is intertwined with the provision of legal services? How can an attorney disclaim the provision of legal services? What if a lawyer in a law firm is only lobbying and not providing legal services for a client? What if a lawyer in a D.C. law firm who is not admitted in D.C. represents a client in a lobbying matter?

These and many more questions will be explored in this fascinating CLE.

*The FCBA will apply for 2.0 Ethics Credits from the Virginia Bar.*

## Thursday, April 27, 3:00 – 5:15 p.m. Wireless Accessibility for People with Disabilities: 2017 Priorities

The FCBA **Wireless Telecommunications Committee** will sponsor a CLE on **Thursday, April 27** from **3:00 – 5:15 p.m.** entitled “Wireless Accessibility for People with Disabilities: 2017 Priorities.” This program will be held at CTIA, 1400 16th Street, NW.

As the wireless industry rapidly evolves, manufacturers and service providers have worked to ensure their innovative products and services are accessible to all consumers, including people with disabilities. This program will highlight recent accessibility actions by the Federal Communications Commission and discuss the cooperative efforts of various industry and consumer groups to facilitate access to wireless products and services for people of all different abilities.

To register, [click here](#) or go to the **FCBA Website – Calendar of Events** or use the form on [page 19](#).

### Agenda

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

#### 3:05 – 3:15 p.m. AN OPENING DISCUSSION WITH KAREN PELTZ STRAUSS, DEPUTY BUREAU CHIEF, CONSUMER & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS BUREAU, FCC

#### 3:15 – 4:10 p.m. A NEW ERA OF HEARING AID COMPATIBILITY

Panelists will discuss the impact of and next steps relating to the FCC’s 2016 Hearing Aid Compatibility Consensus Order, which encourages a task force of wireless industry, consumer, and hearing aid representatives (among others) to evaluate the future of HAC for wireless handsets. Panelists will also learn about corresponding and related efforts to regulate hearing aid devices at the Federal Drug Administration and Federal Trade Commission.

*Moderator & Speakers:*  
TBA

#### 4:10 – 4:20 p.m. BREAK

#### 4:20 – 5:15 p.m. TRANSITIONING FROM WIRELESS TTY TO REAL-TIME TEXT

Panelists will discuss the FCC’s recent Order permitting wireless service providers and manufacturers to satisfy their TTY obligations through deployment of innovative Real-Time Text technologies, along with issues relating to implementation, functionality, and the interplay between RTT and public safety services.

*Moderator & Speakers:*  
TBA

## The FCLJ is Looking for Articles

The *Federal Communications Law Journal* (FCLJ) editorial team at The George Washington University Law School is now seeking and accepting article submissions for possible publication in the upcoming volume of the FCLJ. Members interested in submitting articles may contact Senior Articles Editor, Melissa Morgans ([fcljarticles@law.gwu.edu](mailto:fcljarticles@law.gwu.edu)). Articles may also be submitted through ExpressO. For general inquiries or questions about the FCLJ please contact Editor-in-Chief, Warren Kessler ([fclj@law.gwu.edu](mailto:fclj@law.gwu.edu)).

# COMMITTEE AND CHAPTER *Events*

## FCC Enforcement Committee

**Event:** Brown Bag Lunch

**Date/Time:** Monday, March 13, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

**Location:** Kelley Drye & Warren LLP, 3050 K Street, NW, Suite 400

**Topic:** Enforcement Committee Discussion Group: FCC Process Reform. This meeting in the Committee's Discussion Group series will focus on process reform proposals and process changes implemented by Chairman Pai, with a particular emphasis on the impact that reform has on the role and functioning of the Enforcement Bureau. Topics will include Commissioner O'Rielly's 24 reform proposals, changes to EB settlement authority, and proposals to reform or reorganize the Enforcement Bureau.

**Speakers:** No speakers. FCBA Enforcement Committee Co-Chairs will lead an open discussion of the topic.

**To RSVP:** [Click here](#) or go to the [FCBA Website – Calendar of Events](#).

## International Telecommunications Committee

**Event:** Brown Bag Lunch

**Date/Time:** Tuesday, March 7, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

**Location:** Sheppard, Mullin, Richter & Hampton LLP, 2099 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW

**Topic:** Global Developments in Communications Focus on Mexico since the Constitutional Reform and the UK Post-Brexit

**Speakers:** Carlos Bello, Partner, BGBG Abogados Mexico City, Mexico and Joanne Wheeler, Partner, Bird & Bird, London, UK. Moderated by Jennifer A. Manner, SVP Regulatory Affairs, EchoStar

**To RSVP:** [Click here](#) or go to the [FCBA Website – Calendar of Events](#).

## Legislative Committee

**Event:** CLE Seminar co-hosted by the Professional Responsibility Committee

**Date/Time:** Tuesday, April 4, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m.

**Location:** Cooley LLP, 1299 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW

**Topic:** The Ethics of Lawyers and Lobbying

**More information:** See [page 5](#).

**To register:** [Click here](#) or go to the [FCBA Website – Calendar of Events](#) or use the form on [page 19](#).

## Privacy and Data Security Committee

**Event:** CLE Seminar presented in association with the ABA Forum on Communications Law

**Date/Time:** Tuesday, March 21, 2:00 – 6:00 p.m.

**Location:** Arnold & Porter Kaye Scholer LLP, 601 Massachusetts Avenue, NW

**Topic:** 12th Annual ABA/FCBA Privacy & Data Security Symposium: "The Future of Privacy & Data Security Under the Trump Administration"

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**Date/Time:** Tuesday, April 4, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m.

**Location:** Cooley LLP, 1299 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW

**Topic:** The Ethics of Lawyers and Lobbying

**More information:** See [page 5](#).

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## Wireless Telecommunications Committee

**Event:** Brown Bag Lunch

**Date/Time:** Wednesday, March 15, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

**Location:** Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP, 1111 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, (Corner of 12th and Pennsylvania)

**Topic:** FCC's 8th Floor Wireless Advisors

**Speakers:** Rachael Bender (Office of Chairman Pai), Daudeline Meme (Office of Commissioner Clyburn), and Erin McGrath (Office of Commissioner O'Rielly)

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**Location:** CTIA, 1400 16th Street, NW

**Topic:** Wireless Accessibility for People with Disabilities: 2017 Priorities

**More information:** See [page 6](#).

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## Young Lawyers Committee

**Event:** Happy Hour

**Date/Time:** Thursday, March 16, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

**Location:** TBD

**Event:** March Madness Happy Hour! Bring your bracket and come out to watch some of the first round games with fellow FCBA young lawyers. All are welcome!

**For more information:** Contact Kristine Fargotstein ([kfargotstein@gmail.com](mailto:kfargotstein@gmail.com)) or Sean Spivey ([sean.spivey@hoganlovells.com](mailto:sean.spivey@hoganlovells.com)).

**To RSVP:** [Click here](#) or go to the [FCBA Website – Calendar of Events](#).

**Event:** Discussion and Networking Event

**Date/Time:** Thursday, March 30, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

**Location:** Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP, 1800 M Street, NW, Suite 800N

**Topic:** Hard to Ask (and Hard to Answer) Questions Part II – Another Frank Discussion and Networking Event: Join the Young Lawyers Committees for a candid conversation around attorney work/life balance, diversity in the workplace and other issues facing the communications bar today. Panelists will discuss issues such as increasing opportunities and promoting attorneys of color, female attorneys and LGBT attorneys, getting your wants and needs recognized in a way that makes you and your relationship with work more healthy, and transitioning to a new job opportunity in the least disruptive way possible. After the discussion panelists and attendees are invited to network over beverages.

**Speakers:** TBA. Moderated by Danielle Thumann (Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP) and Sarah Leggin (Hogan Lovells US LLP).

**For more information:** Contact Rachel Wolkowitz ([rwolkowitz@wbklaw.com](mailto:rwolkowitz@wbklaw.com)) or Sean Spivey ([sean.spivey@hoganlovells.com](mailto:sean.spivey@hoganlovells.com)).

**To RSVP:** [Click here](#) or go to the [FCBA Website – Calendar of Events](#).

### Young Lawyers Committee Held Successful Brown Bag Lunch to Discuss Legislative Priorities for the 115th Congress

On Tuesday, February 21, the Young Lawyers Committee hosted a brown bag lunch in the Dirksen Senate Office Building to discuss legislative priorities for the 115th Congress. Lauren McCarty (Senator Steve Daines' Office) moderated a blockbuster conversation on Congress's agenda for the communications industry in the coming year. Narda Jones

(Senator Maria Cantwell's Office), Jerry Leverich (House Energy & Commerce Committee), David Quinalty (Senate Commerce Committee), and Rachel Schwegman (Rep. Robert Latta's Office) discussed not only the substantive issues facing this new Congress, but also the panelists' personal paths to their current careers and what the panelists' day-to-day jobs entail. Approximately 20 people participated in the brown bag discussion, and the YLC would like to thank Narda, Jerry, Q, Rachel, and Lauren for volunteering their time and providing their insights to the attendees. If you are interested in organizing or hosting a YLC brown bag or social event in the future or have questions about YLC programming, please contact Kristine Fargotstein ([kfargotstein@gmail.com](mailto:kfargotstein@gmail.com)) or Sean Spivey ([sean.spivey@hoganlovells.com](mailto:sean.spivey@hoganlovells.com)).

### Sunday, April 23, 2017 – Save The Date! FCBA/ABA 36th Annual "Representing Your Local Broadcaster"

The 36th Annual Representing Your Local Broadcaster Annual Seminar will be held on **Sunday, April 23, 2017** at the Encore Wynn Hotel in Las Vegas, Nevada. Program details will be coming soon.

#### CONGRESSIONAL RECEPTION

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This reception is being hosted by the FCBA and co-hosted by a variety of telecom trade associations, including **Consumer Technology Association (CTA)™**, **CTIA**, **INCOMPAS**, **National Association of Broadcasters**, **NCTA – The Internet and**

**Television Association**, **NTCA – The Rural Broadband Association**, and **Satellite Industry Association**. Over 100 Members and staff attended the last Congressional Reception.

This reception provides the opportunity for you to join with the FCBA to meet and greet Members of Congress and their staff outside of the usual business setting.

Sponsorships of the event are available for \$650 and \$350, and include registrations to the reception. Sponsors will receive recognition at the event, in addition to being listed in the FCBA newsletter, in promotional emails, on the website, and on other social media outlets. **\*NOTE: If you wish to sponsor, you must download the registration form. Sponsors are not able to register online.**

To register an individual, [click here](#) or go to the [FCBA Website – Calendar of Events](#) or use the form on [page 20](#). See [page 20](#) for sponsor registration.

### Thanks to the Congressional Reception Sponsors! *\*as of 3/1/17*

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Did you know that FCBA has a Facebook page? The FCBA Social Media Committee invites you to "Like" our page today to be in the loop for upcoming events, share fun pictures of your FCBA friends and colleagues, and grow your social media network! Come join the conversation! <https://www.facebook.com/CommunicationsBar/>

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**Room reservations may be made by downloading this room reservation form and faxing or emailing it to Nemacolin.** You may also make reservations over the phone by calling 1-800-422-2736. Mention the Federal Communications Bar Association. Rooms for government employees are available at per diem rates. Contact Kerry Loughney ([kerry@fcba.org](mailto:kerry@fcba.org)) for more information. Please reserve your rooms now!

**To register for the seminar and activities, use the form on page 21.**

**For sponsorship opportunities, see page 23 or contact Scott Blake Harris, [sbharris@hwglaw.com](mailto:sbharris@hwglaw.com).**

The social side of the seminar will begin with a reception Friday evening followed by our traditional family BBQ dinner. Following dinner, attendees will once again have an opportunity to compete for unique prizes at the always popular Bingo Party. Later in the evening the FCBA's Club Karaoke will provide the opportunity for one and all to showcase their singing talents for their colleagues, families, and friends. Saturday activities will open with our breakfast buffet. Saturday afternoon will feature the annual FCBA golf and tennis tournaments, in addition to a tour of Fallingwater. Saturday evening will begin with a reception followed by a dinner buffet. Sunday morning the seminar closes with a breakfast buffet.

## SATURDAY AFTERNOON ACTIVITIES

**Golf and Tennis.** Participate in the FCBA Golf Tournament and enjoy an afternoon on the Mystic Rock Golf Course. An integral part of the Nemacolin Woodlands Resort experience is the game of golf. Against the backdrop of the Laurel Highlands and with some of the most breathtaking scenery Pennsylvania has to offer, the PGA Tour-tested Mystic Rock provides striking contrasts in design and promise to challenge every aspect of your golf game. Enjoy refreshments from the beverage care courtesy of Verizon while

on the course! Or you can sign up for the FCBA Tennis Tournament and join your fellow FCBA friends in a round robin tournament on the newly updated DecoTurf® cushioned tennis courts!

**A Guided Tour of Fallingwater.** Don't miss your chance to visit what is reputed to be the greatest example of American architectural design. Fallingwater personifies Frank Lloyd Wright's pioneering concept of "organic" architecture – based on a reverence for the natural world. This Wright masterpiece, nestled within the lush, wooded Bear Run Nature Reserve, was designed over a 30-foot waterfall. From afar, the residence does not appear to rest on solid ground. It instantly became famous in 1938 with a cover on Time magazine. Fallingwater is the only major Wright work to come into the public domain with its setting, original furnishings, and artwork intact.

After carpooling from the resort, our group will lunch "on your own" in the café. Then, our group will be divided



Fallingwater

so that one knowledgeable guide can conduct about a dozen people on a tour of all of the major rooms of the house for about an hour. In this National Historic Landmark, there is a rhythmic interplay between interior and exterior space due to the numerous terraces, open-air walkways, and unexpected views of the trees and water as you move through the house. Time is provided after the tour to allow for a leisurely walk through the grounds, to admire the house dramatically

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## Special Thanks to our Annual Seminar Sponsors! *\*(as of 3/01/17)*

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cantilevered over the stream, to walk to the waterfall, and to visit the gift shop. The special group ticket price for the tour is \$23.00 per adult and \$16.00 per child ages 6-12. Children under 6 are not permitted on the tour. **You must register by April 21 to guarantee the group rate. To register, use the form on page 21.**

## ABOUT NEMACOLIN

Located in the Laurel Highlands of Southwestern Pennsylvania, Nemaquin is situated on 2,000 acres in Farmington, PA, 187 miles from downtown Washington, DC. The resort offers many unique experiences, including:

- **The Woodlands Spa** featuring an extensive array of treatment and services
- **The Adventure Center** featuring a ropes course, bowling/arcade, climbing wall, off-road driving academy, mini golf, zip lines, paintball, disc golf, and mountain biking
- **The Field Club** featuring the Shooting Academy and the ORVIS® Fly Fishing Center
- **The Wildlife Academy** featuring Jamaican Dog Sledding, the Animal Express Train, pony rides, a safari tour, and walking horseback trail rides
- **The Mystic Rock Championship Golf Course**, the Pete Dye designed, PGA Tour-tested course

## 2017 FCBA Membership Directories

The FCBA 2017 Membership Directories will be mailed to members in the next couple of weeks. Please use the order form on **page 24** to order additional copies for your office.

If you plan to book a spa treatment, call 866-344-6957 as soon as possible. Appointments are certain to book up quickly. When contacting the resort for any service, be sure to mention that you will be attending the FCBA Seminar. Visit <http://www.nemacolin.com/spa/woodlands-spa> for information about the services offered.

To learn more about Nemaquin and its many amenities and activities, go to: <http://www.nemacolin.com>.

We hope you join us at Nemaquin Woodlands Resort in May 2017!



The Mystic Rock Championship Golf Course

## Annual Seminar Scholarships Available for Government Employees and Academics

To promote the goal of broad attendance and boost participation from public sector employees and academics, the FCBA is offering up to 10 Annual Seminar scholarships. Last year, the scholarship program was fully subscribed. An increase in attendance by the public sector and academics provides a unique networking opportunity and benefits all Annual Seminar attendees. The scholarship covers the registration fee (approximately \$200), which includes meals, entertainment, and attendance at the seminar. Scholarship recipients will be responsible for all other costs of attending the Seminar, including travel and lodging expenses. Up to 10 scholarships will be available on a first-come, first-served basis. Applicants are urged to apply early.

### FCBA ANNUAL SEMINAR SCHOLARSHIPS

Information and Application Instructions:

- (1) Scholarships are available to full-time government members and to full-time academic professor members.
- (2) To apply, please fax or email a completed application form along with a copy of your ID card from your government agency or academic institution.
- (3) Applications will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis. The cut-off date for applications is **Friday, March 24, 2017**.
- (4) Scholarships may be applied only toward the registration fee for the 2017 FCBA Annual Seminar. (Individuals receiving scholarships are responsible for all other costs of attending the seminar, including travel and lodging expenses).

**Please fax or email the application found on page 22 to:**

FCBA Annual Seminar Scholarship Committee  
Fax: 202-293-4317  
Email: [starsha@fcba.org](mailto:starsha@fcba.org)

## A Message on behalf of the FCBA Foundation

### DEAR FCBA MEMBERS,

In these early weeks of 2017, your FCBA Foundation Board of Trustees has been hard at work implementing three programs core to our mission: scholarships for local high school students expressing an interest in communications-related fields of education, including science, engineering, technology, law, economics, math and journalism; stipends for law students who choose to serve as interns in communications-related public service jobs for the summer; and scholarships for students in communications-related graduate legal studies. Our application process is in full swing, and by May we will have completed our extensive review and interview process—last year, we awarded four-year college scholarships to 20 deserving Washington, DC high school graduates; stipends to 23 law school students who interned in public service positions this past summer; and scholarships to 11 law school students for the 2015-16 school year.

I am pleased to announce that our outreach this year has resulted in an unprecedented number of applications for all three programs – **of particular note, we have had a threefold increase in the number of college scholarship applications over last year's record.** This demand is testament to the fact that the FCBA Foundation truly can make a difference in a student's college prospects, and we remain committed to supporting deserving public high school students from diverse circumstances across DC.

Of course, we cannot sustain our vibrant scholarship and stipend programs without financial help from our members. The amount of money we raise by March 31 largely will determine how many students



Kathy Kirby

we can assist this 2016-2017 Fiscal Year. If you have not done so already, the members of Board of Trustees invite you and your organization to support the FCBA Foundation. Recognizing the social value and importance of our programs, many of our Named Scholarship donors are there for the Foundation year after year, as are so many of you. Given the increasing interest in our scholarship programs, we would welcome broader participation across the FCBA's membership. Making a donation is simple: please [click here to donate online](#) or [click here to download the donation form](#).

As in the past, the Foundation will recognize donors throughout the year, and each of our donors will be listed in our Annual Report. To encourage members within organizations to work together to support our programs, the FCBA Foundation will recognize gifts by individuals or groups that choose to combine their contributions (for example, partners and associates in the same firm, employees of the same company, or old friends remembering a colleague) while also crediting the individual donors for their contributions.

**Named Scholarships.** Each year, we specially recognize those organizations that have funded Foundation scholarships in amounts of \$10,000 or more through our Named Scholarships program. Named Scholarship donors are acknowledged at our Annual Meeting luncheon in June and at the Chairman's dinner in December, as well as in our Annual Report and newsletter. For FY2016, our Named Scholarship donors included 21st Century Fox; AT&T Services, Inc.; Comcast Corporation; Consumer Technology Association; Cox Enterprises, Inc.; CTIA – The Wireless Association; Google Inc.; Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP; National Association of Broadcasters; National Cable & Telecommunications Association; Sidley Austin LLP and the Sidley Austin Foundation; Sinclair Broadcast Group; T-Mobile US, Inc.;

The Karen A. Kincaid Scholarship Fund sponsored by Wiley Rein and Karen's Friends; The Young Lawyers and Charity Auction; Verizon; and Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP.

**Honorary Degrees.** Organizations donating between \$2,000 and \$9,999 will be recognized with the following "honorary degrees":

Masters of Media	\$5,000 - \$9,999
Bachelors of Broadband	\$2,000 - \$4,999

In FY2016, Latham & Watkins LLP; Mintz, Levin, Cohn, Ferris, Glovsky and Popeo, P.C.; and Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP reached the level of "Masters of Media." CenturyLink; Davis Wright Tremaine LLP; Deutsche Telekom; Hogan Lovells US LLP; Kelley Drye & Warren LLP; and Lerman Senter PLLC became "Bachelors of Broadband."

**Gems (Individuals).** In addition, individual donations will be recognized at the following levels:

Diamond	\$1,000 and above
Emerald	\$500 - \$999
Pearl	\$250 - \$499
Ruby	\$100 - \$249
Sapphire	\$99 and below

Our Annual Report recognized more than 100 individual FCBA members who donated to the Foundation this past fiscal year, including 16 who reached the "Diamond" level.

The FCBA Foundation is extremely grateful for every contribution, no matter its size. We thank you for the time and talent that each of you contributes to the FCBA Foundation. Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions regarding the Foundation and its programs.

**Kathleen A. Kirby**  
Chair, FCBA Foundation Board of Trustees

### FCBA Foundation 2017 Law School Scholarship Program: Application Now Available

The FCBA Foundation is gearing up for its 2017 Law School Scholarship Program, which provides financial assistance to rising second or third year students currently enrolled in accredited law schools in the United States who have a demonstrated interest in pursuing a career in communications law. The scholarships range from \$2,500 – \$5,000 each, and will be payable to the applicable law school in one lump sum to help the student with tuition or other education-related expenses.

The Foundation's updated web-based application lets interested law school students apply for a scholarship online. The application is available at <https://fcbafoundationlaw.awardspring.com>.

**The deadline for submission of applications will be Monday, April 3, 2017.** The Foundation plans to notify successful applicants regarding their scholarship awards by Monday, May 15, 2017.

If you have any questions about the application, please contact the FCBA offices at 202-293-4000 or by email at [starsha@fcba.org](mailto:starsha@fcba.org).

### FCBA Foundation 2017 Law School Summer Stipend Program: Application Now Available

For the 24th consecutive year, the FCBA Foundation will award stipends to law students from its Chairman Robert E. Lee Scholarship and Internship Fund. Chairman Lee served as a Commissioner of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) for 28 years and was instrumental in the early development of color television, among other contributions to federal communications policy.

The program provides stipends of up to \$5,000 to outstanding law students employed as unpaid summer interns in positions with the FCC and other federal, state and local government agencies with a connection to the communications industry (i.e., broadcasting, cable, information technology, television, telephony, satellite, and wireless). **Applications will be accepted online starting January 15th through March 24th, 2017. No exceptions will be made for late filed applications.**

In addition, the Foundation will select one outstanding intern among those chosen to receive an additional stipend for the summer: the Max Paglin Award. Mr. Paglin was the former General Counsel and Executive Director of the FCC and the founder of the Golden Jubilee

Commission on Telecommunications, which compiled a definitive history of the Communications Act.

The Foundation considers funding from other sources in making award decisions and generally will adjust its stipend awards so that a recipient's total funding for the internship will not exceed \$7,000.

#### Requirements

Students must be enrolled in an ABA accredited law school, in good academic standing, and have a pending or accepted application for an unpaid internship with a federal, state or local government entity. Students will be selected on the basis of:

- Essays – 30 points
- Resume and Recommendations – 25 points
- Academic Merit (including relevant coursework, certificate programs, journals and clinics) – 25 points
- Nature of Work – 10 points
- Financial Need – 10 points

Applications for internship funding should be submitted online at <https://fcbafoundationlaw.awardspring.com>. Applicants may be asked to interview with members of the Foundation Board; interviews may be conducted by telephone.

If you have any questions about the Foundation Law School Summer Internship Stipend program or application, please contact the FCBA offices at 202-293-4000 or by email at [starsha@fcba.org](mailto:starsha@fcba.org).

### FCBA Foundation College Scholarship Program – Call for Volunteers!

It's that time of year again! The FCBA Foundation's College Scholarship Committee is seeking volunteers to review students' written application evaluations and interview the student applicants as part of the 2017 College Scholarship

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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](mailto: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.

## SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

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Program selection process. Your help is more important than ever -- ***we have had a threefold increase in the number of college scholarship applications over last year's record.***

Through the College Scholarship Program, the FCBA Foundation provides financial assistance and laptop computers to assist DC high school students in attending college. For over 20 years, the Foundation has helped hundreds of students from District of Columbia public schools and charter schools attend college. In 2016, the Foundation awarded over \$270,000 in total scholarship funding to 20 deserving Washington, DC high school graduates carefully selected from a pool of applicants from across the city. Scholarship amounts typically range from \$10,000 to \$20,000, payable over four years.

Scholarships will be awarded to graduating high school seniors who demonstrate through their applications and personal interviews that their academic achievements, school attendance records, and service to school and community show their potential to succeed in college and make positive contributions to their communities. Additional credit is provided to those applicants that have demonstrated an interest in Science, Technology, Engineering, or Math (STEM), law, or journalism.

Beginning in **mid-March**, we will make available to each volunteer reviewer groups of five applications, plus detailed reviewing and grading instructions. Reviews will be due by **Friday, March 24**.

We then will invite the most promising candidates back for personal interviews to be held at CTIA's offices between **April 18-20**, and we will need additional volunteers for this process. Scholarships will be announced in conjunction with the FCBA June luncheon.

**If you would like to volunteer, please email Kevin Ryan at [kryan@ctia.org](mailto:kryan@ctia.org).**

**Please indicate whether you are interested in reviewing written applications, participating in in-person interviews of the candidates, or both!**

## Save the Date – 21st Annual FCBA Foundation Golf Tournament to be held Tuesday, June 6 Returning to Westfields!

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 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 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!

Registration details will be available in the April newsletter. In the meantime, the Golf Committee always welcomes prize donations or those interested in helping out! Contact Lee G. Petro at [Lee.Petro@dbr.com](mailto:Lee.Petro@dbr.com) if you want to help!

## 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 Loughney, [kerry@fcba.org](mailto:kerry@fcba.org)** or **Starsha Valentine, [starsha@fcba.org](mailto:starsha@fcba.org)**.

### FCBA 2016 Charity Auction Helps Miriam's Kitchen Welcome Home 34 New Residents

The FCBA Charity Auction raised over \$90,000 at last year's charity auction. As a result we were able to donate \$78,572 to Miriam's Kitchen. Your contributions have already helped advance Miriam's Kitchen's mission to end veteran and chronic homelessness in DC.

President and CEO of Miriam's Kitchen, Scott Schenkelberg, shared the following, "Thanks in part to the support of FCBA, Miriam's Kitchen will be able to welcome 34 more guests experiencing homelessness into their first home in years. It is hard to describe what it is like to see someone open the door to their new apartment, after spending many years living on the streets. But the entire team at Miriam's Kitchen wants you to know that



FCBA members volunteering at Miriam's Kitchen

it is because of supporters like the FCBA that these moments are possible. Thank you so much for all that you have done and continue to do to help end veteran and chronic homelessness in our nation's capital."



### 2017-2018 Committee and Chapter Co-Chairs

President-Elect **Julie Kearney** is beginning the process of identifying FCBA Committee and Chapter Co-Chairs for this coming year (July 1, 2017 – June 30, 2018). Please contact her ([JKearney@cta.tech](mailto:JKearney@cta.tech)) and copy Starsha Valentine ([starsha@fcba.org](mailto:starsha@fcba.org)) by **Friday, April 14** if you are interested in serving, or would like to suggest someone else who might be interested.

### Committee and Chapter Sign-Up

If you would like to sign up for or update the committee(s)/chapter(s) you are on, fill out the form on [page 25](#) of this newsletter or download it at <http://www.fcba.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/08/FY16-Committee-Form.pdf> and send it back to the FCBA, 1020 19th Street, NW, Suite 325, Washington, DC 20036, fax: 202-293-4317, or email: [megan@fcba.org](mailto:megan@fcba.org).

## FBCA and WBA's 7th Annual MENTORING SUPPER

On Wednesday, February 15, 2017, the Young Lawyers Committee, in partnership with the Communications Law Forum of the Women's Bar Association of the District of Columbia, held the **Seventh Annual Mentoring Supper**. This year's Mentoring Supper featured many prominent practitioners acting as mentors to a diverse group of young lawyers, lawyers in transition, and law students with an interest in practicing in the field of communications law. The event was very well attended, with almost 120 mentors and mentees.

Following introductions and announcements by Lynne Milne of the Communications Law Forum and Sean Spivey of the Young Lawyers Committee, FCBA President Robert Branson, Assistant General Counsel at Verizon, provided motivational remarks on the benefits of mentoring.

Elizabeth Cuttner next explained that the evening's program was structured as three series of mentoring sessions. The mentors and mentees engaged in intimate and lively discussions of careers, professional development, and advice for success, while enjoying a delicious buffet dinner and dessert of cupcakes and fresh fruit. Mentees were encouraged to ask any questions of the mentors, including those about personal mentor-mentee relationships, career development, and opportunities for professional growth. Mentors moved between three tables through the evening, allowing the mentees to meet and learn from six mentors, and hear different perspectives about the varied career paths available to communications lawyers. Excellent mentoring continued throughout the evening, based on the specific circumstances of the mentees and the varied experiences in solving problems of the mentors.

In addition to the contributions of hard work and creative problem-solving provided by the co-chairs of the FCBA's Young Lawyers Committee – **Kristine Fargotstein** of the FCC and **Sean Spivey** of Hogan Lovells US LLP – and the co-chairs of the WBA's Communications Law Forum – **Kathryne Dickerson** of Wiley



Rein LLP, **Lynne Milne** of the FCC, and **Laura Mow** of The Law Office of Laura C. Mow, the co-chairs appreciate the special assistance in planning, mentoring, and implementation of many other required tasks by **Elizabeth Cuttner** of Cinnamon Mueller LLC and **Rachel Wolkowitz** of Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP. The co-chairs also thank the other mentors who volunteered their time to provide appreciated career advice to the mentees participating in this program, including **Joan Marsh** of AT&T Services, Inc., **Ryan Wallach** of Comcast Corporation, **Julie Kearney** of Consumer Technology Association, **Anne Swanson** of Cooley LLP, **Laura Possessky** of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting, **Matthew DelNero** of Covington & Burling LLP, **Barry Ohlson** of Cox Enterprises, Inc., **Krista Witanowski** of CTIA, **Jennifer Duane** of the Department of Commerce NTIA, **Angela Simpson**, formerly of the Department of Commerce NTIA, **Laura Phillips** of Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP, **Jessica Almond**, **Rachael Bender**, **Micah Caldwell**, **Brendan Carr**, **Justin Faulb**,

**Nese Guendelsberger**, **Michael Janson**, **Jean Kiddoo**, **Olga Madruga-Forti**, **Nirali Patel**, **Matthew Pearl**, and **Johanna Thomas** of the FCC, **Diane Cornell**, formerly of the FCC, **Joseph Di Scipio** of Fox Television Stations, Inc., **Christopher Wright** of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP, **Mark Brennan** of Hogan Lovells US LLP, **Rebekah Goodheart** of Jenner & Block LLP, **Margaret Tobey** of NBCUniversal, **Gigi Sohn** of Open Society Foundations, **Sherrese Smith** of Paul Hastings LLP, **Ruth Milkman** of Quadra Partners LLC, **Luisa Lancetti** and **Cathleen Massey** of T-Mobile US, Inc., **Lawrence Roberts** of Venable LLP, **Robert Branson** of Verizon, **David Gross** and **Kathleen Kirby** of Wiley Rein LLP, **Charles Keller** and **Radhika Raju** of Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP, and **Mia Hayes** of Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP.

The co-chairs of the Young Lawyers Committee and the WBA's Communications Law Forum very much appreciate the law firm of **Hogan Lovells US LLP**, the generous signature sponsor of this event.

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## TO RESPOND TO JOB BANK LISTINGS

If the employer is listed, send the information requested directly to the employer. If you are responding to a **BLIND BOX** listing, email the necessary information to [kerry@fcba.org](mailto:kerry@fcba.org). Clearly indicate the Blind Box number to which you are responding. If you are applying to a Blind Box, you may specify to the FCBA any organization to which you do not wish your application to be forwarded. Responses to Blind Box listings can be accepted only from FCBA members.

## TO LIST A JOB

Complete a Job Bank Form (found by [clicking here](#) or going to the FCBA website under the Products, Publications, and Services link) and email or fax the form and the appropriate payment to Kerry Loughney (202-293-4317, [kerry@fcba.org](mailto:kerry@fcba.org)). In addition, please email the text of the ad to [kerry@fcba.org](mailto:kerry@fcba.org). Listings and payment received by the 20th day of each month will appear in the next month's newsletter. If possible, ads should not exceed 75 words. Please call the FCBA questions. (No headhunters please).

## LAW FIRM/CORPORATE

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**Government Affairs Internship** – T-Mobile is interviewing candidates for a paid summer internship position in its Government Affairs Department in Washington, DC.

#### *Position Duties and Responsibilities:*

Conducting legal research and writing, drafting presentations to be used in meetings with federal agencies, and preparation of correspondence and legal documents.

Attending government hearings, meetings and telecommunications seminars and preparing summaries and analyses.

Working with members in the federal and state regulatory and legislative groups on various telecommunications topics, including: net neutrality, interconnection, universal service, spectrum issues, privacy, IP applications, content regulation, and consumer protection.

#### *Functional and Technical Skills:*

- Excellent research skills.
- Demonstrated verbal and written communication skills.
- Ability to be a team player.
- Ability to work in a fast-paced and innovative work environment.
- Excellent decision making and problem solving skills.

- High attention to detail and ability to meet deadlines.
- Willingness to contribute feedback and make suggestions for improvement.
- Strong working knowledge of PC and Microsoft Office Suite applications (in particular PowerPoint).

#### *Experience and Education:*

- Intern must be currently obtaining a JD law degree (2nd Year JD candidates preferred).
- Law-related work experience is helpful, but not necessary.
- Accounting and Finance classes are a plus.
- Knowledge of the wireless industry is desirable.

Please send resume and a cover letter to Kerry Loughney, [kerry@fcba.org](mailto:kerry@fcba.org).

### 3.17.2

**Summer Intern (Engineering)** – EchoStar is the largest US-satellite operator and fourth largest operator globally, with a fleet of 25 geostationary satellites currently on orbit. We are seeking an engineering intern to join our Regulatory Affairs team in Germantown, Maryland (just outside of Washington, DC) for Summer 2017. This is a full-time, paid position.

The Regulatory Affairs team at EchoStar is responsible for spectrum and orbital resource management; fleet and ground component coordination and licensing; government advocacy; and international treaty negotiations. The Regulatory Affairs team also supports various internal groups including Sales, Trade Compliance, Engineering, and Operations.

#### *The Position:*

The successful candidate will contribute to the technical aspects of EchoStar's regulatory advocacy under the direct supervision of an experienced team of attorneys and engineers. Projects will include:

- Drafting technical analyses and arguments to support domestic and international licensing proceedings
- Performing priority analysis on International Telecommunications Union (ITU) filings
- Performing basic analysis on domestic and international spectrum allocations
- Performing basic interference analysis for satellite and terrestrial systems
- Researching and analyzing ITU technical documentation

This position reports directly to the Senior Principal Engineer, Regulatory Affairs.

#### *The Requirements:*

Candidates should be pursuing a graduate degree in Electrical or Telecommunications Engineering or equivalent. Candidate must possess strong research, writing, analysis, and organization skills, as well as a general

proficiency in MS Office tools, including Word, Excel and MS Access.

Interested applicants should send a cover letter, resume, and brief writing sample to: Jodi Goldberg, Associate Corporate Counsel, Regulatory Affairs ([jodi.goldberg@echostar.com](mailto:jodi.goldberg@echostar.com)).

### 3.17.3

**Summer Intern (Legal)** – EchoStar is the largest US-satellite operator and fourth largest operator globally, with a fleet of 25 geostationary satellites currently on orbit. We are seeking a legal intern to join our Regulatory Affairs team in Germantown, Maryland (just outside of Washington, DC) for Summer 2017. This is a full-time, paid position.

The Regulatory Affairs team at EchoStar is responsible for spectrum and orbital resource management; fleet and ground component coordination and licensing; government advocacy; and international treaty negotiations. The Regulatory Affairs team also supports various internal groups including Sales, Trade Compliance, Engineering, and Operations.

#### *The Position:*

The successful candidate will contribute to the legal, regulatory, and advocacy aspects of EchoStar's regulatory department under the direct supervision of an experienced team of attorneys and engineers. The candidate will have the opportunity to assist on a broad range of legal and policy issues relating to satellite communications and spectrum management, which will include:

- Conducting legal research and providing substantive analysis on a variety of topics
- Assisting in the writing and filing of pleadings before government agencies
- Summarizing comments and legislations
- Assisting the daily management of license and reporting obligations
- Attending industry events and government meetings

This position reports directly to the Associate Corporate Counsel, Regulatory Affairs.

#### *The Requirements:*

Candidates should be entering their 2L or 3L year of Law School or equivalent and have an interest in telecommunications, space or regulatory law. Candidate must possess strong research, writing, analysis, and organization skills.

Interested applicants should send a cover letter, resume, and brief writing sample to: Jodi Goldberg, Associate Corporate Counsel, Regulatory Affairs ([jodi.goldberg@echostar.com](mailto:jodi.goldberg@echostar.com)).

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# COMMITTEE/CHAPTER EVENT *Registration Form*

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Suite/Room/Apt. \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

## CHECK THE EVENT(S) FOR WHICH YOU ARE REGISTERING:

- ☐ **Thursday, March 9, 2017 – FCBA Luncheon with U.S. Congressman Marsha Blackburn.** Location: The JW Marriott, 1331 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW. Registration opens at 11:30 a.m. Luncheon begins at Noon. Cost: \$75.00 for Private Sector Members, \$35.00 for Government/Academic/Law Student/Transitional Members, and \$125.00 for Non-members. Tables of ten available for \$750.00. **Registrations and cancellations due by 12:00 Noon, Thursday, March 2, 2017.**
- ☐ **Tuesday, March 21, 2017, 2:00 – 6:00 p.m. – CLE Seminar/12th Annual ABA/FCBA Privacy & Data Security Symposium.** Location: Arnold & Porter Kaye Scholer LLP, 601 Massachusetts Avenue, NW. Cost: \$225.00 for Private Sector FCBA/ABA Members; \$100.00 for Government/Academic/Transitional FCBA/ABA Members; \$50.00 for FCBA/ABA Student Members; \$400.00 for Non-Members. **Registrations and cancellations due by 12:00 Noon, Friday, March 17, 2017.**
- ☐ **Tuesday, April 4, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. – CLE Seminar – The Ethics of Lawyers and Lobbying.** Location: Cooley LLP, 1299 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, Monday, April 3, 2017.**
- ☐ **Thursday, April 27, 3:00 – 5:15 p.m. – CLE Seminar – Wireless Accessibility for People with Disabilities: 2017 Priorities.** Location: CTIA, 1400 16th 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, April 26, 2017.**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total Enclosed ☐ Visa ☐ MasterCard ☐ American Express ☐ Discover ☐ Check

Credit card no. \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. date \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

## PAYMENT MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN THE DAY OF THE EVENT. PHONE REGISTRATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

**CLE CREDIT:** FCBA will be requesting accreditation from the State Bars of Virginia and California for continuing legal education credit. If approved, forms for Virginia and California will be available at the Seminar Registration Desk. Please note that FCBA does not obtain CLE credit for other states. The FCBA will, however, assist with applications to other states, but attorneys must apply individually for credit courses and submit any forms and payments necessary directly to the state bar.

The number of credits corresponds with the number of hours of course time, i.e., a two-hour seminar equals 2.0 hours of credit.

## PLEASE MAIL THIS FORM AND A CHECK MADE PAYABLE TO THE "FCBA" OR FAX OR EMAIL THE FORM TO:

**Federal Communications Bar Association**  
1020 19th Street, NW • Suite 325 • Washington, DC 20036  
Phone: (202) 293-4000 • Fax: (202) 293-4317  
Email: [megan@fcba.org](mailto:megan@fcba.org)

# 2017 FCBA CONGRESSIONAL RECEPTION

RECOGNIZING MEMBERS AND STAFF OF THE 115TH CONGRESS

**Wednesday, March 29, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.**

**NCTA OFFICES, 25 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE, NW, SUITE 100, WASHINGTON, DC**

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**PLEASE RESERVE THE FOLLOWING:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Gold Sponsorship(s) at \$650.00 per sponsorship (includes two registrations to the event, recognition in the newsletter, and acknowledgement at the event)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Silver Sponsorship(s) at \$350.00 per sponsorship (includes one registration to the event, recognition in the newsletter, and acknowledgement at the event)
- \_\_\_\_\_ FCBA Private Sector Member ticket(s) at \$100.00 per ticket
- \_\_\_\_\_ FCBA Government/Academic/Transitional/Law Student Member ticket(s) at \$60.00 per ticket
- \_\_\_\_\_ Non-Member ticket(s) at \$200.00 per ticket

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Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
Organization \_\_\_\_\_  
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City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE LIST FULL NAMES, NICKNAMES, AND ORGANIZATIONS OF ALL ATTENDEES**

(all guests' names must be received by mail, fax, or e-mail no later than Wednesday, March 22):

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**PAYMENT INFORMATION**

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**PLEASE SUBMIT THIS FORM AND PAYMENT TO THE "FCBA"  
NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22. PHONE  
REGISTRATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

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Washington, DC 20036-6101  
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E-mail: [megan@fcba.org](mailto:megan@fcba.org)

**REGISTRATIONS RECEIVED AFTER TUESDAY, MARCH 28  
WILL INCUR A \$20.00 LATE FEE IN ADDITION TO THE  
REGISTRATION FEE.**

**CANCELLATION POLICY: DUE TO THE NATURE OF THIS EVENT,  
NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN FOR CANCELLATIONS.**

# 2017 FCBA ANNUAL SEMINAR *Registration Form*

**May 5-7, Nemaquin Woodlands Resort, Farmington, PA**

## PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Registrant's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Suite/Room/Apt. \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse/Guest Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

Children's Full Names and Ages \_\_\_\_\_

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Please provide nicknames for name  
badges for all attendees (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

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Your Golf Handicap \_\_\_\_\_

Your Spouse/Guest Handicap \_\_\_\_\_

## REGISTRATION FEES:

FCBA Private Sector Member	\$395.00
FCBA Government/Academic/Law Student Member	\$195.00
Non-Member	\$700.00
Spouse/Guest	\$250.00
Teens (ages 13 to 18)	\$195.00
Children (ages 4 to 12)	\$100.00
Golf Tournament per person	\$125.00
Tennis Tournament per person	\$35.00
Fallingwater Tour (adult)	\$23.00
Fallingwater Tour (ages 6-12)	\$16.00

## MAIL, FAX OR EMAIL REGISTRATION

No registrations will be processed without payment. If paying by check, please mail your registration to: FCBA 2017 Annual Seminar, 1020 19th Street, NW, Suite 325, Washington, DC 20036. If paying by credit card, you may fax your registration to FCBA at 202-293-4317 or email to [megan@fcba.org](mailto:megan@fcba.org). No phone registrations will be accepted.

## CALCULATE AMOUNT DUE

Registrant \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Plus Spouse/Guest \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Plus Teens (ages 13 to 18) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Plus Children (ages 4 to 12) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Plus Golf Tournament \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Plus Tennis Tournament \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Plus Fallingwater Tour (adult) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Plus Fallingwater Tour (ages 6-12) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL REGISTRATION FEES \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## PAYMENT

☐ Check made payable to FCBA

☐ Credit Card

☐ VISA ☐ MasterCard ☐ American Express ☐ Discover

Card Number \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

## CANCELLATION POLICY

All registration fees must be received by April 21, 2017. Cancellations will be accepted and FCBA registration fees refunded (less a \$50.00 cancellation fee per person) if notice is received no later than April 21, 2017. No refunds will be granted after this date. If for any reason FCBA cancels this seminar, it is not responsible for any travel, hotel accommodations, or other costs incurred by the registrant. Registration for the event may be transferred to another person upon written request to the FCBA office.

The Annual Seminar Registration Fee includes attendance at all of the Seminars; Friday evening's family dinner; Saturday evening's reception and dinner; Saturday evening's Kids Banquet and activities; and breakfast buffets on Saturday and Sunday. Meals and activities not included in the Annual Seminar Registration Fee and not sponsored by FCBA (e.g., golf and tennis tournaments, Kids Camp, and lunch on Saturday) are the responsibility of attendees.

*Please note that we print and distribute a roster of all FCBA members who attend the Annual Seminar, and that we use the contact information that we have on file for this purpose and not necessarily the contact info provided on this form.*

# FCBA 2017 ANNUAL SEMINAR *Scholarship Application*

**May 5-7, Nemacolin Woodlands Resort, Farmington, PA**

**APPLICATIONS WILL BE PROCESSED ON A FIRST-COME, FIRST-SERVED BASIS. PLEASE FAX OR EMAIL THE APPLICATION NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, MARCH 24, 2017 TO:**

FCBA Annual Seminar Committee

Fax: (202) 293-4317

Email: [starsha@fcba.org](mailto:starsha@fcba.org)

## **INFORMATION AND APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS:**

- (1) To promote the goal of broad attendance and boost participation from public sector employees and academics, the FCBA is offering up to 10 Annual Seminar scholarships to full-time government members and to full-time academic professor members.
- (2) To apply, please fax or email this completed application form along with a copy of your ID card from your government agency or academic institution.
- (3) Scholarships may be applied only toward the registration fee for the 2017 FCBA Annual Seminar. The scholarship covers the registration fee (approximately \$200), which includes meals, entertainment, and attendance at the seminar. Scholarship recipients will be responsible for all other costs of attending the Seminar, including travel and lodging expenses.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Suite/Room/Apt. \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

## **HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY ATTENDED AN FCBA ANNUAL SEMINAR?**

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

**IMPORTANT:** All applicants must attach a copy of a valid photo I.D. from an academic institution or a government agency.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Time and date received: \_\_\_\_\_

# FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS BAR ASSOCIATION ANNUAL SEMINAR SPONSORSHIP COMMITMENT

## May 5-7, 2017

To confirm your level of sponsorship, please sign below and return a copy of this form with your credit card information or check (made payable to the "FCBA") to FCBA, 1020 19th Street, NW, Suite 325, Washington, DC 20036, (202) 293-4317 or [megan@fcba.org](mailto:megan@fcba.org), no later than Monday, April 24, 2017.

### PLEASE CHECK ONE:

\_\_\_\_\_ GOLD - \$2,000

\_\_\_\_\_ SILVER - \$1,250

\_\_\_\_\_ BRONZE - \$750

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ As a Silver or Gold Sponsor, I will need table-top display space at the Seminar.

**Name of person using the complimentary seminar registration with the GOLD SPONSORSHIP:**

*This person must complete a seminar registration form, which can be found on the website or in the FCBA Newsletter.*

### PAYMENT:

☐ Visa ☐ MasterCard ☐ American Express ☐ Discover ☐ Check

Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration: \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

## 2017 FCBA MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY *Order Form*

Copies of the 2017 FCBA Membership Directory are available for purchase at a cost of \$60.00 for FCBA Members, \$35.00 for Law Student Members, and \$125.00 for Non-Members and in accordance with the terms set forth on this form. There is a 10% discount for orders of 10 or more Directories. **(Please add 5.75% sales tax for orders sent to DC addresses).**

***Please note that the Directory is available solely for the personal and professional use of FCBA members and other purchasers of the Directory. All uses for commercial purposes are prohibited without prior written approval of the FCBA's Executive Director. By purchasing the Directory and signing below, purchaser agrees that they will not, and will not knowingly authorize or permit others to, duplicate, reproduce or copy the information printed in the Directory without the express written consent of the Association.***

Please send me \_\_\_\_\_ copy(ies) of the 2017 FCBA Membership Directory.

Signature (required) \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Suite/Room/Apt. \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total Enclosed ***(Please add 5.75% Sales Tax for orders sent to DC addresses)***

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Cardholder Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Please make check payable to "FCBA"

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*The FCBA membership list also is available at a cost to FCBA members of \$400.00 for the first order and \$700 for each additional order (per calendar year), and \$700.00 for non-members per order. Please call the FCBA office, (202) 293-4000, for further details.*

# FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS BAR ASSOCIATION 2016-2017 COMMITTEE AND CHAPTER *Registration*

NAME (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

ORGANIZATION \_\_\_\_\_

## STANDING COMMITTEES

	Access to Government
	Annual Seminar Planning
	Commendations and Acknowledgements
	Conference Planning
	Constitution and By-laws
	Continuing Legal Education
	Diversity
	Engineering and Technical
	FCC Enforcement
	Homeland Security and Emergency Communications
	Intellectual Property
	International Telecommunications
	Judicial Practice
	Law Journal

	Legislative
	Mass Media
	Membership and Marketing
	National Telecommunications Moot Court Competition
	Privacy and Data Security
	Professional Responsibility
	Relations with Other Bar Associations
	Social Media
	State and Local Practice
	Transactional Practice
	Video Programming and Distribution
	Wireless Telecommunications
	Wireline
	Young Lawyers

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	International Chapters

	Mobile Payments
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	New York
	Northern California
	Pacific Northwest
	Rocky Mountain
	Southern California
	Texas

Descriptions of the focus and work of Standing Committees may be found in the Constitution and By-laws in the FCBA Directory and on the FCBA website.

**Please indicate your committee/chapter choices and return this form to:**

FCBA, 1020 19th Street, NW, Suite 325, Washington, DC 20036

Fax: 202-293-4317; Email: [megan@fcba.org](mailto:megan@fcba.org)

**NOTE: Most announcements of committee and chapter meetings and events will appear in the FCBA Newsletter and/or on the FCBA's website at [www.fcba.org](http://www.fcba.org).**

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### GOVERNMENT/NON-PROFIT/ ACADEMIC

#### 3.17.4

**17-183V - Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Special Counsel Services** – The School Board of Broward County, Florida desires to receive Proposals

for 17-183V - Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Special Counsel Services as described in the RLI from **individual attorneys** (either as a sole practitioner or as an attorney practicing in a firm) specializing in FCC regulations and communication concerns for Information and Technology (IT), Broward Educational Communications Network (BECON) and other departments. These matters include, but are not limited to, compliance with FCC regulations, FCC filings, license renewals, and interference issues.

**SBBC will only retain a specific individual attorney and will not retain a law firm for the desired services.**

To obtain a copy of the Request for Letters of Interest, please go to [http://www.demandstar.com/supplier/bids/agency\\_inc/bid\\_list.asp?f=search&LP=BB&mi=10150](http://www.demandstar.com/supplier/bids/agency_inc/bid_list.asp?f=search&LP=BB&mi=10150).

**Letters of Interest are due not later than April 3, 2017 at 2:00 p.m.**

## Calendar

<b>March 7</b>	International Telecommunications Committee Brown Bag Lunch
<b>March 9</b>	FCBA Luncheon with U.S. Congressman Marsha Blackburn
<b>March 16</b>	Young Lawyers Committee Happy Hour
<b>March 21</b>	CLE Seminar: The 12th Annual ABA/FCBA Privacy & Data Security Symposium presented by the Privacy and Data Security Committee and the ABA Forum on Communications Law
<b>March 29</b>	FCBA Congressional Reception
<b>March 30</b>	Young Lawyers Committee Discussion and Networking Event
<b>April 4</b>	CLE Seminar: The Ethics of Lawyers and Lobbying presented by the Professional Responsibility and Legislative Committees
<b>April 23</b>	FCBA/ABA 36th Annual "Representing Your Local Broadcaster"
<b>April 27</b>	CLE Seminar: Wireless Accessibility for People with Disabilities: 2017 Priorities presented by the Wireless Telecommunications Committee
<b>May 5-7</b>	Annual Seminar, Nemaquin Woodlands Resort, Farmington, PA
<b>June 6</b>	21st Annual FCBA Foundation Golf Tournament at Westfields Golf Club (Centreville, VA)



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