

Newsletter of the Federal Communications Bar Association

FCBA to Host General Counsels Breakfast on March 8

The FCBA will host a diverse group of General Counsels for an interactive breakfast panel discussion on Friday, March 8 at 8:00 a.m. Participating senior executives represent different sectors of the communications, media, and technology industries, including large and smaller companies. They will discuss topics of interest to FCBA members, such as interacting with corporate leadership, what GCs look for when adding to their internal teams or hiring outside counsel, emerging legal trends, the best ways for legal teams to "add value" to an organization, and what keeps GCs up at night. Attorneys in all phases of their careers will learn something new from this august group of corporate leaders. Panelists will include Michelle Bryan, EVP, General Counsel and

Chief Administrative Officer, Intelsat; Lynn Charytan, Executive Vice President & General Counsel, Comcast Cable; Leonard Kennedy, former General Counsel for Sprint, the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, and Neustar; Melissa Newman, General Counsel, Transit Wireless; and Tom Power, Senior Vice President & General Counsel at CTIA.

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Breakfast will take place at the Washington, DC office of Hogan Lovells US LLP, 555 13th Street, NW and will begin at 8:00 a.m. The program will follow at 8:45 a.m.

To register, click here or go to the FCBA Website – Calendar of Events or use the form on page 25.

FCBA Congressional Reception to be held on April 3

The FCBA is pleased to announce that it will be holding its 2019 Congressional Reception on **Wednesday, April 3** from **6:00 – 8:00 p.m.** at the NCTA Offices, 25 Massachusetts Avenue, NW. Once again, 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.

This reception is being hosted by the FCBA and co-hosted by a variety of telecom trade associations, including the American Cable Association, Competitive Carriers Association, Consumer Technology Association (CTA), CTIA, INCOMPAS, National Association of Broadcasters, NCTA – The Internet & Television Association, NTCA – The Rural Broadband Association, USTelecom – The Broadband Association, and Wireless Infrastructure Association.



Omni Homestead Resort

2019 FCBA Annual Seminar to be held at The Omni Homestead Resort May 17 – 19 ~ Register Today!

The 2019 FCBA Annual Seminar will be held at the Omni Homestead Resort on May 17 – 19. The Annual Seminar Committee is planning what promises to be an outstanding CONTINUED ON PAGE 10

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FCBA General Counsels Breakfast

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Ninth Annual Mentoring Supper

Date/Time: Thursday, March 14, 6:30 – 9:00 p.m. Location: Hogan Lovells US LLP, 555 13th Street, NW ▶ SEE PAGE 12

14th Annual FCBA/ ABA Privacy and Data Security Symposium

Date/Time: Thursday, March 21, 2:00 – 6:00 p.m. EST Location: Arnold & Porter LLP, 601 Massachusetts Avenue, NW Topic: 14th Annual ABA/ FCBA Privacy & Data Security Symposium: "Tech Frontiers in Communications Privacy" ▷ SEE PAGE 4

Homeland Security and Emergency Communications Committee CLE Seminar

Date/Time: Monday, April 22, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. Location: Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP, 1800 M Street, NW, 800N Topic: Drones, Safety and Security: How Federal, State and Local Agencies are Dealing with Current Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) Challenges ► SEE PAGE 5

Consumer Protection / Privacy and Data Security Committees CLE Seminar

Date/Time: Wednesday, April 24, 4:00 – 6:15 p.m. Location: Hogan Lovells US LLP, 555 13th Street, NW Topic: The TCPA and Robocalls: Recent Developments and the Road Ahead ► SEE PAGE 6

PRESIDENT'S Message

DEAR FELLOW MEMBERS:

Growing up "North of the Wall" in Michigan, the months of January and February were spent hard at work preparing for the spring. Seeds and bulbs were started inside, and aspiring beach boys and girls hit the gym to get ready for Spring Break. Inside at the FCBA house, we've spent the cold months prepping for the spring by



planting the seeds of the following innovative programming and events that would put any set of six-pack abs to shame.

We start March with a new program brought to us by Michele Farquhar at Hogan Lovells – the General Counsel Breakfast on March 8th. Michele has arranged for several current and former general counsels - **Michelle Bryan**, EVP, General Counsel and Chief Administrative Officer, Intelsat; **Lynn Charytan**, Executive Vice President & General Counsel, Comcast Cable; **Leonard Kennedy**, former General Counsel for Sprint, the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, and Neustar; **Melissa Newman**, General Counsel, Transit Wireless; and **Tom Power**, Senior Vice President & General Counsel at CTIA – to discuss emerging legal trends, how to "add value" to their team, and how best to identify the need for, and work with, outside counsel.

Next, under the leadership of the Diversity Committee and the Young Lawyers Committee, the FCBA will be hosting the **Annual Mentoring Supper** on March 14th at Hogan Lovells. More than fifty prospective mentees have signed up to bask in the glow of more experienced FCBA attorneys, and there is always room for more!

The **FCBA Foundation** will be tending to their own multi-tiered garden in March, as they till the soil of prospective college and law students searching for a bumper crop of scholarship and stipend recipients. If you are interested in reviewing applications or interviewing applicants, please contact Aspa Paroutsas. According to the Old Farmer's Almanac, the last spring frost will be on April 2nd, so it makes sense that we gather with our friends from Capitol Hill on April 3rd at NCTA for our **Congressional Reception**.

Finally, the fruit of our efforts will be in full bloom at the **FCBA Annual Seminar** from May 17-19th at the Omni Homestead Resort. The Annual Seminar Committee is working hard to prune the program, which will be released soon.

Also, please remember to send in your nominations for the **Excellence in Government Service Award** by March 8th. Nominations should be sent to Kerry Loughney at **Kerry@FCBA.org**.

Lee G. Petro FCBA President



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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, 2019. 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 twoyear 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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Pursuant to the FCBA By-Laws, current President-Elect, **Joshua S. Turner**, Wiley Rein LLP, will become President on July 1, 2019 and current Assistant Treasurer **Barry J. Ohlson**, Cox Enterprises, Inc., will become Treasurer on July 1, 2019. In addition, Timothy G. Nelson, Brooks, Pierce, McLendon, Humphrey & Leonard, LLP, 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 Thursday, April 4, 2019 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, 2019. 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: Robert Branson (Chair), Scott Bergmann, Cristina Chou, Adam Krinsky, Jennifer Manner, Thomas Parisi, Deborah Salons, Davina Sashkin, Holly Saurer, M. Anne Swanson, Joshua Turner, Caroline Van Wie, and Stephanie Weiner.

CLE Seminars

Thursday, March 21, 2:00 – 6:00 p.m. EST 14th Annual ABA/ FCBA Privacy and Data Security Symposium Tech Frontiers in Communications Privacy

The FCBA **Privacy and Data Security Committee** and the **ABA Forum on Communications Law** will hold the 14th Annual Privacy & Data Security Symposium on **Thursday, March 21** from **2:00 – 6:00 p.m.** This program will be held at Arnold & Porter LLP, 601 Massachusetts Avenue, NW.

New technologies are rapidly changing the way consumers, corporations, and governments approach personal data and privacy. Myriad headlines about massive data breaches, resulting in the theft of sensitive personal and corporate information, pockmarked 2018. In the age of cyber-espionage and terrorism, governments' abilities to monitor networks for security threats run up against the proliferation of encryption. As more aspects of our lives and our nation's economy become more interconnected by networks, dominated by massive platforms, and influenced by machine learning and automated decision-making, the stakes in getting data collection, security, and use right have never been higher. This event will examine the intersection of three areas of technical innovation—networks, platforms, and AI—with privacy and data security, bringing in a range of views from expert panelists to inform and debate while provoking thought on evolving use cases, threats, and solutions.

If you are an FCBA member who will be attending in person in Washington, DC, click here to register online or use the form on page 25. *Note that ABA Forum on Communications Law members may not register online. Please use the form on page 25.

If you are interested in attending via teleconference and are located outside of the Washington, DC metropolitan area, please contact **elizabeth@fcba.org**.

Agenda

2:00 – 2:05 p.m. OPENING REMARKS AND INTRODUCTION

2:05 – 3:10 p.m. SESSION I: DATA PROTECTION ACROSS COMMUNICATIONS NETWORKS

Voice communication, text messaging, and broadband travel over networks subject to a storm of cyber threats. But differences exist in the way that our various forms of communication are regulated, such as between voice and broadband. Regulatory regimes affect the privacy and security of networks, but how might those regulations change to adapt to new technologies? This panel will examine the emerging

Charity Auction Beneficiary Application Now Available

The Auction Committee is now accepting applications from local charities to be considered as beneficiary of the 30th Annual FCBA Charity Auction. The application is available at http://www.fcba.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/02/Auction-Beneficiary-Application-2019-FILLABLE.pdf and should be received by the FCBA by U.S. Mail, fax, or email no later than Friday, April 12, 2019.

trends in networks, such as deep packet inspection and end-to-end encryption, and discuss the successes and failures of the laws that govern them.

Moderator:

Adrienne Fowler, Symposium Chair for the ABA Forum on Communications Law; and Partner, Data Privacy, Security & Use Practice, Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP

Speakers:

Beth Williams, Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legal Policy, U.S. Department of Justice; Member, U.S. Department of Justice Cyber-Digital Task Force

Alan Butler, Senior Counsel, Electronic Privacy Information Center Umair Javed, Legal Advisor to FCC Commissioner Jessica Rosenworcel

3:10 – 3:20 p.m. BREAK

3:20-4:30 p.m. SESSION II: PLATFORMS AND DATA PROTECTION

Perhaps most concerning to the average citizen (and politicians) are the losses of privacy and data facilitated by the big platforms many use, including social media websites, online shopping platforms, and video streaming services. Most notably, Facebook was roiled this past year by controversy over its practices of sharing user data with third parties, which led to congressional hearings and much public consternation. This panel will explore how the use of personal data by platforms is regulated, and how it could be improved in a way that protects consumers while allowing companies to provide innovative services that improve people's lives and drive our nation's economy.

Moderator:

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

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Speakers:

Yael Weinman, Associate General Counsel for Privacy, Verizon Heather West, Assistant Director for Public Policy, Mozilla Melinda Claybaugh, Privacy Legislation Director, Facebook Michelle Richardson, Director of the Data and Privacy Project, Center for Democracy & Technology

4:30 – 4:40 p.m. BREAK

4:40 - 6:00 p.m. SESSION III: AI AND DATA PROTECTION

Artificial intelligence stands to revolutionize the way we live and work in every sector. But many are disquieted by the thought of AI's proliferation, made especially concerning by the notion of handing over the reins of power to a computer, with little-to-no human intervention. AI also learns best by ingesting reams of data, therefore demanding serious consideration of how we harvest and use that information. Will an AI-dominated future be more benevolent, having been freed from the caprice and inefficiency of humans? Or will it simply harness those biases and exacerbate them? The AI and Privacy panel will delve into these questions and more.

Moderator:

Jameson Dempsey, Fellow, Stanford Center for Legal Informatics – CodeX

Speakers:

Roy Austin, Partner, Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP; former Deputy Assistant to President Obama for Urban Affairs, Justice, and Opportunity Naomi Lefkovitz, Senior Policy Advisor and Lead for the Privacy Framework, Information Technology Lab, National Institute of Standards and Technology Rumman Chowdhury, Senior Principal for Artificial Intelligence, Accenture Laura Riposo VanDruff, Assistant Director, Division of Privacy and Identity Protection, Federal Trade Commission

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- \$50 for FCBA/ABA Forum Student Members
- \$400 for Non-Members

2019-2020 Committee and Chapter Co-Chairs

President-Elect **Josh Turner** is beginning the process of identifying FCBA Committee and Chapter Co-Chairs for this coming year (July 1, 2019 – June 30, 2020). Please contact him (**jturner@wileyrein.com**) and copy Janeen Wynn (**janeen@fcba.org**) by **Friday**, **April 12** if you are interested in serving, or would like to suggest someone else who might be interested.

Please contact Adrienne Fowler, Symposium Chair for the ABA Forum on Communications Law, for more information about sponsorships: **afowler@hwglaw.com**. Please contact Janeen Wynn for more information about registration: janeen@fcba.org.

Monday, April 22, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. Drones, Safety and Security: How Federal, State and Local Agencies are Dealing with Current Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) Challenges

The FCBA **Homeland Security and Emergency Communications Committee** will sponsor a CLE on **Monday, April 22** from **6:00 – 8:15 p.m.** entitled "Drones, Safety and Security: How Federal, State and Local Agencies are Dealing with Current Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) Challenges." This program will be held at Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP, 1800 M Street, NW, 800N.

Federal, State and Local use of Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) in emergency response and law enforcement is increasing. State and local governments conduct law enforcement and public safety (LEAPS) using UAS along with the federal government. In some cases, the State and Local officials need additional Federal assets for LEAPS. Plus, private ownership and improper use of UAS devises are increasing. We will explore how agencies are using UAS and countering illegal use of UAS. We will also unpack issues on sovereignty, the Stafford Act, state budgets and Federal support to the States and review drone basics like FAA approvals, FCC frequency allocations and other regulatory issues. We will also address proper approvals,

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storage, access and usage of recorded videos along with a technical discussion on device testing and performance.

Speakers will include Scott Brunner, Director of Counter-UAS, FBI Critical Incident Response Team; Robert Kirk, Partner, Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP (invited); Roy Shrout, CEM Deputy Coordinator, Fairfax Co. Office of Emergency Management; Charles Werner, Chair, National Council on Public Safety UAS; others TBD.

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Wednesday, April 24, 4:00 – 6:15 p.m. The TCPA and Robocalls: Recent Developments and the Road Ahead

The FCBA **Consumer Protection and Privacy and Data Security Committees** will sponsor a CLE on **Wednesday**, **April 24** from **4:00 – 6:15 p.m.** entitled "The TCPA and Robocalls: Recent Developments and the Road Ahead." This program will be held at Hogan Lovells US LLP, 555 13th Street, NW.

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 31** of this newsletter or **click here** and send it back to the FCBA, 1020 19th Street, NW, Suite 325, Washington, DC 20036, fax: 202-293-4317, or email: **elizabeth@fcba.org**.

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Agenda

4:00 – 4:05 p.m. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

4:05 – 5:15 P.M. RECENT DEVELOPMENTS AT THE FCC AND CONGRESS

The first panel will discuss recent FCC and Congressional activities related to robocalls and the TCPA, including an overview of the FCC's efforts to address TCPA issues in the wake of the D.C. Circuit's decision in *ACA International v. FCC* and the 9th Circuit's decision in *Marks v. Crunch San Diego*. In addition, the panelists will discuss the FCC's proceedings addressing telephone number spoofing, call blocking, and new reassigned number database. Finally, the panelists will discuss the likelihood of recent legislative efforts to address robocalls.

Moderator:

Mark W. Brennan, Partner, Hogan Lovells US LLP and Co-Chair, FCBA Consumer Protection Committee

Speakers: TBA

5:15 – 5:25 p.m. BREAK

5:25 – 6:15 p.m. RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN THE COURTS

The second panel will discuss recent court decisions addressing TCPA and robocall issues. Among other topics, the panelists will review recent opinions that discuss what constitutes an automatic telephone dialing system ("ATDS") under the TCPA, First Amendment issues raised by the TCPA, the interpretation of "called party," the regulatory classification of text messages, and the scope of "unsolicited advertisements" under the TCPA. Additionally, the panelists will provide an overview of recent trends in private class-action TCPA litigation, and how government intervention could potentially affect such trends.

Moderator:

Robert J. Gastner, Partner, *Eckert Seamans* Cherin & Mellott LLC and Co-Chair, FCBA Privacy and Data Security Committee

Speakers:

Mark Stone, Deputy Bureau Chief, Consumer & Governmental Affairs Bureau, Federal Communications Commission

Other speakers to be announced

Tuesday, May 7, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. Lawyering Social: Legal Issues on Social and Digital Media

The FCBA Intellectual Property and Mass Media Committees will sponsor a CLE on Tuesday, May 7 from 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. entitled "Lawyering Social: Legal Issues on Social and Digital Media." This program will be held at Wiley Rein LLP, 1776 K Street, NW.

This CLE will cover a range of legal topics related to digital and social media, including use of pictures on digital media sites and music in podcasts; FTC rules on endorsements and testimonials; defamation and libel issues on Twitter; political disclosure issues; and employer liability for employee's online conduct. Further details on the agenda and speakers will be publicized soon.

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Consumer Protection Committee

Event: CLE Seminar co-hosted by the Privacy and Data Security Committee

Date/Time: Wednesday, April 24, 4:00 – 6:15 p.m.

Location: Hogan Lovells US LLP, 555 13th Street, NW

Topic: The TCPA and Robocalls: Recent Developments and the Road Ahead **For more information:** See **page 6**. **To register: Click here** or go to the **FCBA Website – Calendar of Events** or use the form on **page 25**.

Homeland Security and Emergency Communications Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch

Date/Time: Wednesday, March 27, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

Location: The Wireless Infrastructure Association (WIA), 2111 Wilson Blvd., Suite 210, Arlington, VA

Topic: 5G and Public Safety. The race to 5G is on! As wireless communications technologies continue to evolve, data-rich tools and applications will not just affect consumers, but public safety operations and capabilities. Please join our panel for a discussion on what 5G is, its prospective uses, and potential legal considerations.

Speakers: Jared Carlson, Ericsson; Jeff Cohen, APCO International; Miss Brandon Allen, International Association of Fire Chiefs Light refreshments will be provided. **To RSVP: Click here** or go to the **FCBA Website – Calendar of Events**.

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Topic: Drones, Safety and Security: How Federal, State and Local Agencies are Dealing with Current Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) Challenges

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Intellectual Property Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch co-hosted by the Video Programming and Distribution Committee

Date/Time: Monday, March 18, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

Location: Arnold & Porter, 601 Massachusetts Avenue, NW **Topic:** Reauthorization of the Satellite Television Extension and Localism Act (STELA). Last renewed in 2014, several provisions of STELA are set to expire at the end of 2019, including parts of the compulsory copyright license for satellite TV providers and several retransmission consent provisions. The 2014 reauthorization was also a vehicle for several new provisions impacting broadcasters' and MVPDs' carriage rights. Our guests will discuss what to expect in 2019 as STELA is once again considered for reauthorization by Congress.

Speakers: TBA

To RSVP: Click here or go to the **FCBA** Website – Calendar of Events.

Event: CLE Seminar co-hosted with the Mass Media Committee

Date/Time: Tuesday, May 7, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. **Location:** Wiley Rein LLP, 1776 K Street, NW **Topic:** Lawyering Social: Legal Issues on Social and Digital Media. Join the IP and Mass Media Committees for a CLE that will cover a range of legal topics related to digital and social media, including use of pictures on digital media sites and music in podcasts; FTC rules on endorsements and testimonials; defamation and libel issues on Twitter; political disclosure issues; and employer liability for employee's online conduct.

Speakers: TBD

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International Telecommunications Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch **Date/Time:** Thursday, March 21, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

Location: Shepard Mullin, 2099 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Topic: ITU Conference Prepatory Meeting (CPM) Wrap-Up

Speakers: Jennifer A. Manner, EchoStar (Moderator); Jennifer Warren, Lockheed Martin; Brian Patten, NTIA, US Department of Commerce; Tricia Paoletta, Harris Wiltshire; Franz Zichy, The State Department

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Internet of Things Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch co-hosted by the Wireless Telecommunications Committee **Date/Time:** Tuesday, March 26, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

Location: TBD

Topic: The FCBA Internet of Things and Wireless Telecommunications Committees invite you to attend a brown bag lunch and panel discussion about *IoT and Rural America: Advancing the Use of IoT* in *Rural America.* Come join us for an exciting discussion of 5G, IoT, and how innovation

in the wireless industry can help improve and expand broadband access to Rural America. Topics include: next-generation infrastructure and investment needs in Rural America, smart farming, and benefits/ challenges to improve broadband access to Rural America.

Speakers: Claude Aiken, President and CEO of WISPA; Josh Seidemann, Vice President, Policy of NTCA; others TBD To RSVP: Click here or go to the FCBA Website – Calendar of Events.

Mass Media Committee

Event: CLE Seminar co-hosted with the Intellectual Property Committee **Date/Time:** Tuesday, May 7, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. **Location:** Wiley Rein LLP, 1776 K Street, NW **Topic:** Lawyering Social: Legal Issues on Social and Digital Media. Join the IP and Mass Media Committees for a CLE that will cover a range of legal topics related to digital and social media, including use of pictures on digital media sites and music in podcasts; FTC rules on endorsements and testimonials; defamation and libel issues on Twitter; political disclosure issues; and employer liability for employee's online conduct. **Speakers:** TBD

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Privacy and Data Security Committee

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Location: Arnold & Porter LLP, 601 Massachusetts Avenue, NW

Topic: 14th Annual ABA/FCBA Privacy & Data Security Symposium: "Tech Frontiers in Communications Privacy"

For more information: See page 4. To register an FCBA member to attend in-person at the DC location: Click here or use the form on page 25.

To register an ABA Member to attend in person at the DC location:

Use the form on **page 25**. Note that ABA Forum on Communications Law members may not register online.

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State and Local Practice

Event: Brown Bag Lunch co-hosted by the Wireless Telecommunications and Wireline Committees

Date/Time: Wednesday, April 10, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

Location: TBD

Topic: The FCC's first Communications Marketplace Report. On December 26, 2018, the FCC released this report, which provides a comprehensive evaluation of the state of the communications marketplace. As required by Title IV of RAY BAUM'S Act of 2018, this report consolidates separate FCC reports on the state of the mobile, wireless, video, audio, broadband, and satellite marketplaces into a single report so that the state of the broader communications marketplace can be comprehensively assessed. During this Brown Bag session, wireline and mobile wireless market findings and associated data in the report will be discussed by FCC staff that were integrally involved in preparing these aspects of

the report.

Speakers: Adam Copeland, WCB and Catherine Matraves, OEA **To RSVP:** Click here or go to the FCBA Website – Calendar of Events.

Video Programming and Distribution Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch co-hosted by the Intellectual Property Committee **Date/Time:** Monday, March 18, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

Location: Arnold & Porter, 601 Massachusetts Avenue, NW **Topic:** Reauthorization of the Satellite Television Extension and Localism Act (STELA). Last renewed in 2014, several provisions of STELA are set to expire at the end of 2019, including parts of the compulsory copyright license for satellite TV providers and several retransmission consent provisions. The 2014 reauthorization was also a vehicle for several new provisions impacting broadcasters' and MVPDs' carriage rights. Our guests will discuss what to expect in 2019 as STELA is once again considered for reauthorization by Congress.

Speakers: TBA

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Event: Brown Bag Lunch **Date/Time:** Monday, April 15, 12:00 –

1:15 p.m.

Location: Hogan Lovells US LLP, Columbia Square, 555 13th Street, NW

Topic: Recent developments in ATSC 3.0 and other legal and business trends faced by the various distribution platforms (cable, satellite, OVD, broadcast, etc.)



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Wireless Telecommunications Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch co-hosted by the Internet of Things Committee **Date/Time:** Tuesday, March 26, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

Location: TBD

Topic: The FCBA Internet of Things and Wireless Telecommunications Committees invite you to attend a brown bag lunch and panel discussion about IoT and Rural America: Advancing the Use of IoT in Rural America. Come join us for an exciting discussion of 5G, IoT, and how innovation in the wireless industry can help improve and expand broadband access to Rural America. Topics include: next-generation infrastructure and investment needs in Rural America, smart farming, and benefits/challenges to improve broadband access to Rural America. Speakers: Claude Aiken, President and CEO of WISPA; Josh Seidemann, Vice President, Policy of NTCA; others TBD

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Event: Brown Bag Lunch co-hosted by the Wireline and State and Local Practice Committees

Date/Time: Wednesday, April 10, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

Location: TBD

Topic: The FCC's first Communications Marketplace Report. On December 26, 2018, the FCC released this report, which provides a comprehensive evaluation of the state of the communications marketplace. As required by Title IV of RAY BAUM'S Act of 2018, this report consolidates separate FCC reports on the state of the mobile, wireless, video, audio, broadband, and satellite marketplaces into a single report so that the state of the broader communications marketplace can be comprehensively assessed. During this Brown Bag session, wireline and mobile wireless market findings and associated data in the report will be discussed by FCC staff that were integrally involved in preparing these aspects of the report.

Speakers: Adam Copeland, WCB and Catherine Matraves, OEA To RSVP: Click here or go to the FCBA Website – Calendar of Events.

Wireline Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch Date/Time: Wednesday, March 20, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m. Location: Jenner & Block LLP, 1099 New York Avenue, NW, Suite 900

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Topic: USDA's Rural Utilities Service (RUS) recently announced that it is offering up to \$600 million in loans and grants to help build broadband infrastructure in rural America. A wide array of entities including telecommunications companies, rural electric cooperatives and utilities, internet service providers and municipalities may apply to connect rural areas with broadband. RUS will present an overview of the program and answer questions.

Speaker: Ryeon Corsi, RUS, Management and Program Analyst and Kristin Lough, RUS, Management and Program Analyst To RSVP: Click here or go to the FCBA Website – Calendar of Events.

Event: Brown Bag Lunch co-hosted by the Wireless Telecommunications and State and Local Practice Committees

Date/Time: Wednesday, April 10, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

Location: TBD

Topic: The FCC's first Communications Marketplace Report. On December 26, 2018, the FCC released this report, which provides a comprehensive evaluation of the state of the communications marketplace. As required by Title IV of RAY BAUM'S Act of 2018, this report consolidates separate FCC reports on the state of the mobile, wireless, video, audio, broadband, and satellite marketplaces into a single report so that the state of the broader communications marketplace can be comprehensively assessed. During this Brown Bag session, wireline and mobile wireless market findings and associated data in the report will be discussed by FCC staff that were integrally involved in preparing these aspects of the report.

Speakers: Adam Copeland, WCB and Catherine Matraves, OEA

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Rocky Mountain Chapter

Event: 'Data is King' - U.S. Privacy Developments and Implications for Global Markets and Technology Development *in partnership with the IAPP Denver/Boulder Chapter*

Date/Time: Wednesday, April 10, 2:30 – 6:00 p.m. with reception to follow **Location:** CableCenter, 2000 Buchtel Boulevard, Denver, CO 80210 **Topic:** In the U.S. and abroad, the privacy landscape is rapidly evolving in response to emerging technologies and services that are creating new dimensions of risk to individuals, institutions, and society alike. These developments, which are shaking the foundations of some of the world's largest companies, have broader implications for our culture and emerging technologies that are enabled through access to unparalleled volumes of personal data. In this program, luminaries from across the policy and technology spectrum will explore the trends in privacy law and regulation, and the potential impact that these policies will have on the services of tomorrow.

Speakers: Phil Weiser, Colorado Attorney General (keynote); Bob Quinn, Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP (former Chief Privacy Officer, AT&T); Walter Knapp, CEO, Sovrn; Scott Cunningham, Founder, IAB Tech Lab; Danny Huang, Fellow, Princeton CITP. Additional speakers to be added. Sponsors: CableCenter, CableLabs, and Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP To RSVP: Contact Mark Walker, m.walker@ cablelabs.com or Adam Peters, apeters@ wbklaw.com.

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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.

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program filled with the latest information on telecom issues and great networking opportunities. Be sure to watch the FCBA website in the coming weeks for more details.

Important Room Reservation Information: The FCBA special group rates will only be guaranteed through Thursday, April 25. After this date, it is likely that the room rates will increase.

You may make reservations online by accessing the following link: https:// www.omnihotels.com/hotels/homesteadvirginia/meetings/fcba-2019-springmeeting. Room rates are based on the number of people staying in the room. The single adult rate is \$235.00, double adult rate is \$260.00. There will be an additional charge for children: up to 6 years of age is free; 6-12 years of age is \$12.00; 13-17 years of age is \$25.00. Please make sure to indicate the exact number of guests to ensure that each person has access to breakfast each morning. Please note: Internet Explorer is not compatible with this website. Please use a different browser to make reservations.

Rooms for government employees are available at per diem rates. Contact Kerry Loughney (**kerry@fcba.org**) for more information. *Please reserve your rooms now!*

To register for the seminar and activities, use the form on **page 27**.

If you are interested in sponsoring the Annual Seminar, please use the form on page 28. For a list of the current Annual Seminar sponsors, see page 11.

For information on the government and academic scholarships being offered, see page 15.

The seminar's social events will begin with a reception on Friday evening followed by our traditional family BBQ dinner. Following dinner, attendees will 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 will open with a breakfast buffet and the afternoon will feature FCBA golf and tennis tournaments, in addition to the Omni Homestead Cascades Gorge Hike. Saturday evening will feature a reception followed by a dinner buffet and evening activity. Sunday morning the seminar closes with a breakfast buffet.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON ACTIVITIES

Golf and Tennis. Participate in the golf outing and enjoy an afternoon on the Omni Homestead Resort's Old Course, completed in 1892 and distinguished as home of the nation's oldest first tee in continuous use. If you would rather play tennis, join your fellow FCBA friends in a round robin tournament.

The Omni Homestead's Naturalist Hike in Cascades Gorge. On this three-hour



Omni Homestead Resort's Old Course



Cascades Gorge

tour designed for adults and children alike, you'll be led and entertained by a naturalist through a series of waterfalls alongside a deep gorge trail in the Allegheny Mountains. Learn about unusual flora and fauna in this semitropical environment, as well as the medicinal and edible properties of many local plants. It's a three-mile journey and one of the most beautiful in the region. There are two departure times: 1:15 or 1:45 p.m. Bottled water is provided. Thanks to Lynne Milne for sponsoring part of the activity!

Visit the Bacova Beer Company and **Mini Golf.** Bacova is a small, family run brewery in Bath County, Virginia, about a mile away from the Omni Homestead. They operate a five-barrel brew house with the purpose of creating smallbatch, wonderfully flavorful beers. All their equipment is made of the highest quality, food grade stainless steel and is purposely made to brew beer. After sampling a taste of the region, join the group for a game of mini golf at Mini Cascades Miniature Golf Course on the Homestead property. Individuals are responsible for their own food, beverage, and golf fees on-site. Although there is no up-front registration fee for these, we request that you sign up on the registration form, so we know how many people to expect.

ABOUT THE RESORT

The Omni Homestead Resort is nestled in the Allegheny Mountains and is known for its Southern hospitality and charm. The resort has been designated a National Historic Landmark and makes up most of the city of Hot Springs, Virginia. Located across more than 2,000 acres of scenic Virginia landscape, the resort provides timeless comforts and access to an exciting array of activities no matter the season of your stay. There is something for everyone at the resort and its family friendly atmosphere makes this the perfect weekend getaway.

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To learn more about The Omni Homestead and its amenities and activities, go to: https://www.omnihotels.com/hotels/ homestead-virginia.

ACTIVITIES AT THE OMNI HOMESTEAD

The Spa at the Homestead is an expansive, state-of-the-art facility for guests to experience wellness activities, decadent treatments, and unique features, including the Aqua Thermal Suite and a yearround, adults-only Spa Garden. For spa appointments, please call (877) 479-8517. *Appointments are sure to book up quickly, so call as soon as possible to guarantee your reservation.*

Allegheny Springs, the two-acre water park fueled by crystal-clear springs, features two water slides, a lazy river, a water play zone, and a sandy beach for the kids, along with a cozy whirlpool and private cabanas. Allegheny Springs will be open Saturday and Sunday during the seminar, weather permitting. The property also has an indoor pool built in 1904 and is fed by the naturally warm mineral spring waters upon which our resort was founded.

Outdoor Activities at the Homestead can be as leisurely or as fast paced as you desire. There is something for everyone, including miniature golf, ziplining, horseback riding and carriage rides, a shooting club, fly fishing, miles of scenic hiking trails, falconry, Segway tours, kayaking and canoeing, paintball, archery, mountain biking, and more. *Activities are sure to book up quickly, so call as soon as possible to guarantee your reservation.*

The resort also features a family game area with mini bowling, a pool table, shuffleboard, air hockey, and arcade games; a nightly movie shown in the theatre; and Southern Social Hour where guests can enjoy a special treat created by the pastry chef along with a selection of hot and iced teas from 3:00 to 4:00 p.m. each afternoon.



Omni Homestead Resort's ziplining

KIDSCLUB AND BABYSITTING

The Omni Homestead provides special activities for your children while you are in the seminar sessions, at the spa, playing golf, or just enjoying the tranquility of the resort.



Allegheny Springs

To learn more about KidsClub, go to: https://www.omnihotels.com/hotels/ homestead-virginia/things-to-do/resortactivities/kids-club

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Thursday, March 14, 6:30 – 9:00 p.m. Ninth Annual Mentoring Supper

Presented by the FCBA's Diversity Committee and Young Lawyers Committee

Calling all young lawyers, law students and lawyers in transition! Mentees should register today for the **Ninth Annual Mentoring Supper** which will be held on **Thursday, March 14, 2019**, from **6:30 to 8:30 p.m.** at Hogan Lovells US LLP, Columbia Square, 555 Thirteenth Street, NW.

The Ninth Annual Mentoring Supper is an opportunity for law students and lawyers of all experience levels to interact with distinguished members of the bar while enjoying a catered dinner. Typically, three mentees will converse with two mentors across a dinner table, allowing for substantive discussions about career development and related topics. The event is organized so that lawyers at all phases of their career can benefit, from law students to recent graduates to more experienced attorneys looking for guidance from industry leaders. An outstanding roster of experienced lawyers have agreed to serve as mentors for this program, representing an incredible breadth of private and public businesses,

federal agencies, non-profits, large and boutique private law firms, and trade associations. Confirmed mentors include:

Stacy Fuller, Anisa Latif & Caroline Van Wie, AT&T; Ryan Wallach & Kathryn Zachem, Comcast; Ann Bobeck, Matthew DelNero, Yaron Dori & Thomas Parisi, Covington & Burling; Barry Ohlson, Cox Enterprises; Grace Koh, Former DLA Piper; Laura Phillips, Drinker Biddle; Krista Witanowski, Facebook; Brendan Carr, Elizabeth Cuttner, Jean Kiddoo, Lynne Milne & Nirali Patel, FCC; Tony Lee, Fletcher Heald; Joseph Di Scipio, Fox Television; Megan Stull, Google; Scott Blake Harris & Christopher Wright, Harris Wiltshire; Mark Brennan, Michele Farquhar, Trey Hanbury & Sean Spivey, Hogan Lovells; Gigi Sohn, Institute for Technology Law & Policy; Johanna Thomas, Jenner & Block; Jenell Trigg, Lerman Senter; Jennifer Warren, Lockheed Martin; Angela Giancarlo, Mayer Brown; Margaret Tobey, NBCUniversal; Jennifer Duane, NTIA; Lee Petro, Pillsbury Winthrop; Kathleen Ham & Luisa Lancetti, T-Mobile; Kristine Fargotstein, Narda Jones, Lauren McCarty, Bakari Middleton & Clint Odom, U.S. Congressional Staff; Diane Holland, Former USTelecom – The Broadband Association: Robert Branson. Former Verizon; Roger Sherman, Waneta Strategies; Kyle Dixon, WarnerMedia; Scott Delacourt, Anna Gomez, Kathleen Kirby & Joshua Turner, Wiley Rein; Anne

Swanson, **Bryan Tramont & Rachel Wolkowitz**, Wilkinson Barker; and **Mia Hayes**, Willkie Farr.

Space is sure to be limited, so mentees do not wait to register for this popular program! Registering for the event in advance helps the planning committee confirm the best mix of potential mentors based on mentees' current career status. You are never too old (or too experienced) to benefit from a mentoring relationship, and you never know how participation may affect your career. It is certainly worth your time.

Dinner is included in the mentee's registration fee of \$10.00.

Click here to register or visit http://www. fcba.org/upcoming-events/.

The financial and logistical support of **Hogan Lovells US LLP**, Signature Sponsor of the Ninth Annual Mentoring Supper, is much appreciated.

Friday, March 29, 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. The GW Law's Federal Communications Law Journal 3rd Annual Symposium

Calling all FCBA members! You are invited to join the Federal Communications Law Journal's 3rd annual symposium. This year's event will take place on **Friday**, **March 29** from **1:00 – 4:00 p.m.** in GW Law's Tasher Great Room. The symposium is titled, *The California Consumer Privacy Act and the Future of Privacy Regulation*.

The theme will examine the CCPA's legal implications, potential private sector and federal responses to the law, and its interaction with federal privacy laws. Professor Daniel Solove of the George Washington University Law School, who

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is also the founder of TeachPrivacy, will moderate the panel.

Additionally, *FCLJ is seeking panelists*. If you would like to be considered for a panelist role or have any questions, please email Christine Lewis at **clewis@law.gwu. edu**. If you would like more information about the event, you can visit the FCLJ Symposium webpage at http://www.fclj. org/symposium/.

To register for the symposium, click here.

Sunday, April 7, 2019 It's the Super 38th Annual ABA/FCBA Representing Your Local Broadcaster!

LOCATION: The Encore Hotel, 3131 Las Vegas Blvd. South, Las Vegas, NV 89109

You won't want to miss this epic event at the NAB Show in Las Vegas — capes optional!

Register at http://www.americanbar.org/groups/communications_law.html.

Program Schedule

8:30 – 9:30 a.m. REGISTRATION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

8:30 – 9:30 a.m. WOMEN IN COMMUNICATIONS LAW BREAKFAST

9:45 – 10:00 a.m. INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

David Giles, Chair, ABA Forum on Communications Law Kathleen Kirby, Chair, *Representing Your Local Broadcaster* program Lee Petro, President, Federal Communications Bar Association

10:00 – 11:00 a.m. PANEL: WITH GREAT POWER COMES GREAT RESPONSIBILITY: BROADCAST REGULATION – AND DEREGULATION

Your friendly neighborhood panelists will guide you through the complicated web of FCC rules and regulations. Get up to date on the latest – whether the status of J. Jonah Jameson's favorite-the newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership rule (and the rest of the broadcast ownership rules)- the likely fate of the kidvid rules (and all those Saturday morning cartoons), EEO, sponsorship id, advertising (through large, bat-shaped spotlights or otherwise), recordkeeping, and more. All that, and views from the FCC's Enforcement Bureau on how broadcasters should live a life of responsibility – just because someone stumbles and loses their path, doesn't mean they can't be saved . . . or at least negotiate a reasonable consent decree.

Moderator:

Bill LeBeau, Holland & Knight LLP, Washington, DC

Panelists:

Crystal Evans, Associate Counsel, Regulatory Affairs, NBCUniversal, Washington, DC **Hannah Lepow**, Covington & Burling LLP, Washington, DC

Christopher Sova, Deputy Division Chief, FCC Enforcement Bureau, Washington, DC

Heidi Schmid Whiting, Vice President & General Counsel, Graham Media, Chicago, IL

11:00 – 11:15 a.m. BREAK

11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. PANEL: WE MUST ALL LIVE IN THE REAL WORLD AND SOMETIMES THAT CAN BE PRETTY GRIM: COVERING MASS SHOOTINGS

This panel will address covering mass shootings and the interplay among journalists, law enforcement and the judiciary. Participants will bring to bear their different viewpoints, focusing on the Las Vegas and Parkland shootings, each of which has resulted in active litigation. Join us for a thoughtful discussion about how best to balance the public's right to know with the state's interest in prosecuting the offender and protecting the privacy of victims.

Moderator:

Mark Bailen, Baker & Hostetler LLP, Washington DC

Panelists:

Joe Bartels, KTNV 13 Action News, Las Vegas, NV

Judge Andre M. Davis, City Solicitor, Baltimore, MD Dana J. McElroy, Thomas & LoCicero PL, Fort Lauderdale, FL

12:30 – 1:45 p.m. LUNCHEON PANEL: IT'S A BIRD, IT'S A PLANE, IT'S THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION!

The FCC isn't the only agency regulating how broadcasters do business. From consumer protection and competition to advertising, data and privacy, the internet of things and fintech, the FTC is guarding against would be Lex Luthors attempting to perpetrate a hoax. Those who fight for truth, justice, and the broadcasting way should familiarize themselves with where the FTC is focusing. Easy we've got you—join us as we hear directly from a key member of the FTC staff about the agency's regulatory priorities.

Speaker:

Daniel Kaufman, Deputy Director, Federal Trade Commission Bureau of Consumer Protection, Washington, DC

Interviewers:

Jack Goodman, Law Offices of Jack N. Goodman, Washington, DC Kathleen Kirby, Wiley Rein LLP, Washington, DC

1:45 – 2:00 p.m. BREAK

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2:00 – 3:00 p.m. PANEL: JUST BECAUSE SOMETHING WORKS DOESN'T MEAN IT CAN'T BE IMPROVED: HOT TOPICS IN RADIO

Radio has been a hero to local communities for decades. Have recent deregulatory actions, such as elimination of the main studio rule, made radio stronger? Was passage of the Music Modernization Act a victory? Are there villains lurking in streaming and digital platforms? What's on tap at the FCC, and will we see further deregulation of local radio ownership rules? Your mighty shield will be at the ready after this spirited discussion about what how to best represent radio stations, including some laser-vision insight into the upcoming renewal cycle.

Moderators:

Lee Petro, Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP, Washington, DCDavid O'Connor, Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP, Washington, DC

Panelists:

Laura Berman, Senior Counsel, Entercom Communications Corp., Washington, DC

Coe Ramsey, Brooks, Pierce,

McLendon, Humphrey & Leonard, LLP, Raleigh, NC

Dawn Sciarrino, Sciarrino & Schubert, Washington, DC

Albert Shuldiner, Chief, Federal Communications Commission Audio Division, Washington, DC

3:00 – 4:00 p.m. PANEL: WE'RE IN THE END GAME NOW: HOT TOPICS IN TELEVISION

Knowledge will be your armor when you learn from our distinguished group of panelists about the key regulatory issues facing the television industry. The answers you seek shall be yours as you hear the latest on the broadcast spectrum repack, the future of LPTV, ATSC 3.0, as well as how television broadcasters are looking at increased DOJ scrutiny and potential changes to the media ownership rules. And Holy Online Public File – are we ready for renewals? Our Television Industry Avengers will share intelligence that can be used for the greater good, including the latest practical advice about distributing and protecting content when multichannel video programming distributors come to bargain.

Moderators:

Christina Burrow, Cooley LLP, Washington, DC **Davina Sashkin**, Fletcher Heald & Hildreth, PLC, Washington, DC

Panelists:

Michael Beder, Associate General Counsel, TEGNA, McLean, VA Robert Folliard, Vice President, Deputy General Counsel, Gray Television, Washington, DC Evan Morris, Attorney-Advisor, Federal Communications Commission Video Division, Washington, DC Joan Stewart, Wiley Rein LLP, Washington, DC

4:00 – 5:00 p.m. RECEPTION

Program Information

Discounted program registration is available to all ABA and FCBA members. Registration can be completed online: http://www.americanbar.org/groups/ communications_law.html.

HOTEL: The Encore Hotel, 3131 Las Vegas Blvd. South, Las Vegas, NV 89109. For reservations at the discounted NAB Show rate, you must make your reservations through NAB's housing office at https://attendeemx. expobook.com/home/index/392?utm_ source=nab&utm_campaign=2018_nab_ show&utm_medium=email_cmpgn. Make sure to select ABA Forum as "Attendee Type." NOTE: AVAILABILITY OF RESERVATIONS FOR SATURDAY ARRIVAL IS EXTREMELY LIMITED. Please be sure to identify yourself as attending the ABA Forum program.

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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.

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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 cutoff date for applications is **Friday**, **March 29**, **2019**.
- (4) Scholarships may be applied only toward the registration fee for the 2019 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 29 to:

Janeen Wynn Email: janeen@fcba.org Fax: 202-293-4317

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QUESTIONS?

Please call 312-988-5658 or email: Bernadette.steele@americanbar.org or email the Program Chair, Kathleen Kirby, kkirby@wileyrein.com.

Join the Lawyers Have Heart FCBA Team – June 8

Lawyers Have Heart, which will be held **Saturday, June 8, 2019, at 7:10 a.m.** at Washington Harbor in Georgetown, is a 10k race, 5k run, and fun walk led by the DC legal community that brings together more than 300 organizations and over 6,000 runners and walkers in support of the American Heart Association. For the second consecutive year, the FCBA has formed a team to participate in the event, and we hope that you will join us. Runners and walkers of all ages, fitness levels, and speeds are welcome!

The registration fee is \$45. There is no fundraising commitment, although contributions and fundraising are welcomed. To join the FCBA team, search for "Federal Communications Bar Association" on the Register tab of the Lawyers Have Heart website: http:// lawyershaveheartdc.org/.

The FCBA team intends to schedule some practice runs in Spring 2019. Weather permitting, and regardless if you have registered for the race, contact the cocaptains if you are interested in joining us for practice runs! We also intend to order custom t-shirts to make it easy for FCBA team members to pick each other out of the crowd and we will plan a brunch to gather together after the run/ walk. **LMI Advisors** has graciously agreed to sponsor the FCBA Lawyers Have Heart t-shirt purchase this year.

In 2018, the FCBA team participated in Lawyers Have Heart for the first time. Over 20 runners and walkers registered for the 2018 FCBA team. FCBA members participated at all three levels, with more than half running the 10k. After the run/walk, the 2018 FCBA team met for breakfast at Dean & DeLuca. Let's make 2019 even better than our inaugural year!

Please contact team captains Brooks Harlow, Jessica Quinley, and Jennifer Manner with any questions: **bharlow@ fcclaw.com**, **jess.quinley@gmail.com**, **Jennifer.Manner@echostar.com**.

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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 - 8:15 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.

FOUNDATION News

A Message on behalf of the FCBA Foundation

DEAR FCBA MEMBERS,

In these early months of 2019, your FCBA Foundation Board of Trustees has been hard at work implementing three programs core to our mission: scholarships for local high school students interested in communicationsrelated fields of education, including STEM programs, law, economics, and journalism; stipends for law students who choose to serve in communicationsrelated public service internships 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 fouryear college scholarships to 26 deserving Washington, DC high school graduates; stipends to 32 law school students who interned in public service positions; and scholarships to seven law school students for the 2018-2019 school year.

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 we can assist this 2018-2019 fiscal year. If you have not done so already, the Board of Trustees invites 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 FY2018, our Named Scholarship donors included:

- 21st Century Fox
- AT&T
- Comcast NBCUniversal
- Consumer Technology Association (CTA)TM
- Cox Enterprises, Inc.
- CTIA
- DISH Network
- Google
- National Association of Broadcasters
- NCTA The Internet & Television Association
- Sidley Austin and the Sidley Austin Foundation
- Sinclair Broadcasting Group
- T-Mobile US, Inc.
- The Karen Kincaid Scholarship Fund sponsored by Wiley Rein and Karen's Friends
- The Young Lawyers and Charity Auction
- Verizon
- 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	, ,

In FY2018, Mintz Levin Communications Section; Time Warner Inc.; Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP reached the level of "Masters of Media." Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton LLP; Deutsche Telekom, Inc.; Jenner & Block LLP; and Latham & Watkins LLP became "Bachelors of Broadband."

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

\$1,000 and above
\$500 - \$999
\$250 - \$499
\$100 - \$249
\$99 and below

This past fiscal year, the Foundation recognized more than 100 individual FCBA members who donated to the Foundation.

For a complete listing of last year's Foundation donors, programming, and award recipients, **click here to download the 2017-2018 Annual Report**.

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 us should you have any questions regarding the Foundation and its programs.

Johanna Thomas Rebecca Murphy Thompson

Co-Chairs, 2018-2019 FCBA Foundation Board of Trustees

FOUNDATION News

FCBA Foundation 2019 Law School Summer Internship Stipend Program: Application Now Available

For the 26th consecutive year, the FCBA Foundation will award stipends to law students employed as unpaid summer interns through its Law School Summer Internship Stipend Program. The program provides stipends to students from around the country who want to dedicate their time and talent over the summer to government service in areas that relate to communications law, including broadcasting, cable, information technology, television, telephony, satellite, and wireless. It also can include work at agencies and Congressional committees addressing other communicationsrelated areas, including internet law and policy, privacy, cybersecurity, copyright, emerging technologies, and related policy and legal issues.

The Law School Summer Internship Stipend Program awards stipends of up to \$5.000 from its FCC Chairman Robert Emmet Lee Scholarship and Internship Fund, and last year provided support to 32 outstanding law students. In addition, the Foundation will select one outstanding intern among those chosen to receive and additional stipend for the summer: the Max Paglin Award. 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. FCBA individual and corporate members generously donate money to the FCBA Foundation to support these stipends.

The application for the stipend is now available and can be accessed at https://webportalapp.com/sp/login/ fcbastipend2019. The deadline for submission of applications is Sunday, March 24, 2019. If you have any questions about the Foundation Law School Summer Internship Stipend program or application, please contact Janeen Wynn at 202-293-4000 or janeen@fcba.org.

FCBA Foundation 2019 Law School Scholarship Program: Application Now Available

The FCBA Foundation Law School Scholarship Program provides financial assistance to rising second- or thirdyear 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 – \$10,000 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. Last year, the Foundation provided support to seven students.

The application for the scholarship is now available and can be accessed at https://webportalapp.com/sp/ fcbalawscholarship_19. The deadline **for submission of applications is Sunday, March 31, 2019.** The Foundation plans to notify successful applicants regarding their scholarship awards by mid-May.

If you have any questions about the Foundation Law School Scholarship Program or application, please contact Janeen Wynn at 202-293-4000 or **janeen@fcba.org**.

23rd Annual FCBA Foundation Golf Tournament to be held Tuesday, June 4 Same Course! Same fees!

On Tuesday, June 4, we will host our annual FCBA Golf Tournament at 1757 Golf Club in Dulles, Virginia. 1757 Golf Club is known for its pristine golf course and beautiful facilities, and is located close to downtown DC. Thanks to the shrewd negotiating skills of the Golf Committee, we are excited to come back to this venue for the second year without any fee increase. There is truly no excuse to join your colleagues for a wonderful afternoon of fun!

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Are you a member who can add to our programming as a speaker? Do you know someone who is? Can you think of a topic that should be the subject of an event?

The FCBA invites you to send your ideas! Our committees are always looking for potential speakers from diverse backgrounds. The Diversity Committee is compiling a database of FCBA members who want to add to the conversation on substantive topics as speakers and moderators. If you are interested, please send an email to Janeen Wynn, **janeen@fcba.org**, with your name, affiliation, and topics about which you have knowledge with the subject line "FCBA Speakers Bureau." The Diversity Committee will compile this database on a rolling basis and make it available to all committee co-chairs. FCBA committee co-chairs should feel free to use the Diversity Committee as a resource when identifying speakers or moderators for other events.

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Our transition to 1757 was a great success! The number of players substantially grew and the course presented its challenging form to everyone that attended. The current champions of the FCBA Golf Cup is team Wireless Infrastructure Association so put your Eagle Foursomes together and compete for this year's cup!

In addition, even if you cannot attend, you can help "rebalance" the demographic tilt of the tournament by directly contributing to this effort by donating \$50 to the Golf Stipend fund. Such funds would be applied to assist young FCBA lawyers, law students, clerks, and interns with the golf fees and allow them to join the tournament.

Consistent with past years, we will continue to start 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.

To Update Your Membership Contact Information

We'd like to remind everyone that if you have any changes to your membership contact information, please contact Elizabeth Hagerty (elizabeth@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 information themselves. Also note that we do not include prefixes or titles in any of our member listings.



1757 Golf Club in Dulles, Virginia

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 30 of this newsletter and sign up today! The Golf Committee always welcomes prize donations or those interested in helping out! Contact Arturo Chang at Arturo.Chang@WIA.org if you want to contribute!

Nominations for the "Excellence in Government Service" Award Due March 8

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, Karl Nebbia, Bobby Baker, Barbara Kreisman, Carol Mattey, Diane Cornell, Peter Doyle, and Hossein Hashemzadeh. The 12th recipient will be announced in spring 2019.

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.** Nominations are due no later than **Friday, March 8, 2019**.

Get to Know an FCBA MEMBER

Melissa Newman

By: Laura Phillips

I recently caught up with Melissa Newman who has - at least on the weekdays - forsaken DC to become the Vice President of External Affairs and Senior Counsel to New York City based Transit Wireless. Melissa started with Transit Wireless last September and in her time with me she exuded enthusiasm for the challenges of this new and different corporate position. It was wonderful to talk to Melissa

about what led her to her current position as well as what she has experienced in her career journey that might be useful for others getting their start in communications.

What attracted you to the field of communications? Can you share some of your career progression with us?

A: It was really a fluke; I was not someone who from grade school was immersed in all things communications. As I was coming out of law school, I was deciding between possible government jobs either as a prosecuting attorney in Chicago and an attorney in the federal government in DC. What made the decision easier was that I had interned on Capitol Hill during my last semester of law school and I really enjoyed that so I decided to stay in DC and accept a position at the FCC. And, that is how I was introduced to communications law and policy. While communications as a legal discipline was interesting, it was only later that I realized how many dimensions there are in communications law and policy, dimensions that are not necessarily present in other areas of the law. It's possible to be a communications lawyer in government, to be practicing in a law firm, to be a lawyer/lobbyist in a company, to be in a public interest organization or even to be a lawyer on Capitol Hill. And I have to say that communications as a practice area provides one the ability to keep intellectually sharp, as well as the ability to see many different perspectives to the issues we face.

My first FCC employment as an attorney lasted for about three and a half years, and then I went to a law firm and thought that that would be a good place to keep learning. I went to Willkie Farr & Gallagher for a couple of years and then I had the good fortune to return to the FCC at the time the agency was gearing up to implement the 1996 Telecom Act; who could refuse that opportunity? That was a very exciting time and I was Legal Counsel to the Bureau Chief and then a Deputy Division Chief in what is now the Wireline Competition Bureau, coming into contact with all sorts of people from inside and outside the agency. It was during that time that I saw firsthand that attorneys within companies could play a huge role in assisting with the development of rules or policies and, as a result, I was ready to make the leap to work in a corporation at US West in their Federal Regulatory Affairs group. After a few years US West became Qwest and then CenturyLink and all in, I had an 18 year stint with these corporations starting as a director and ending up as the vice president Federal Regulatory Policy and Affairs.

Like many large organizations, CenturyLink offered a buyout, and when I looked at the time I had spent and what I had accomplished (with my colleagues at the company), I realized for me that it made sense to try something new. I then joined Wilkinson Barker, the law firm that I used predominantly while at CenturyLink and that had provided me with excellent legal and regulatory advice over the years.

And then I got a call from a friend who was talking about some interesting things going on in New York City with a communications oriented publicprivate partnership that involved transit authorities in and around New York City. I joined Transit Wireless this fall and unlike CenturyLink, it is a smaller company of about 100 people. My role is broad; I work directly for the CEO as the company's chief legal officer and do external affairs and public relations. I do a lot of lobbying as well as providing a range of legal services. Transit Wireless provides connectivity for cellular service and Wi-Fi in subway stations and is looking to expand and provide more connectivity in and around New York City and its outlying areas. I quickly learned that my role consists of pretty much anything that needs attention, including licensing agreements, litigation, general corporate, HR, the list goes on....It's been really interesting for me, and while challenging and fast paced, I am excited to have been able to take it on in this stage of my legal career.

Q: Have things unfolded in your career more or less the way you planned?

A: In the beginning of my career I had no idea that I'd be in the telecommunications field for the long term, so it's fair to say I did not have a plan for what happened to me. I think after a couple of years of being a communications attorney I realized that being in a company was really more my thing. Although looking back I'm surprised that I spent 18 years at one company which is not something lots of people do in today's environment. But I had great bosses and colleagues and I kept growing and learning. What's interesting now in terms of a lack of planning was that it was entirely unexpected for me to take the leap to relocate to New York City and take on a different role than I have had in the past. I'm so glad that I did as there are lots of novel issues at Transit Wireless and it's pretty exciting to be this engaged each and every day.

What's the most interesting or challenging thing that occupies you in your current position?

A: What's interesting is the breath of issues that I deal with at my new company, Transit Wireless. There are

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MELISSA NEWMAN

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substantive legal issues, there are business issues, and there are personnel issues. Because Transit Wireless is relatively small (compared to CenturyLink), these things are not compartmentalized so it's a fascinating set of opportunities to be faced with each day. So I have to bring my best game every day to work.

What something or someone that is surprised and impressed you during your career and why?

What I am doing now is more **A:** expansive than anything I've done as a communications lawyer either at the FCC or at a law firm or company and honestly I could not be doing it but for all the things I've learned over the years from different bosses I worked with along the way. I was impressed by what each had to teach me, as they were all really good (but different). Depending upon the issue or challenge I face now, I can look at each of their approaches and their skills and draw from them as appropriate. I find myself thinking how would they handle a particular potentially sticky situation. So I'm really grateful for the key people who over time taught me what I am using now.

Q: What do you enjoy reading?

It has to be fiction. I need to get away from reality a little bit. It's got to be either historical fiction or a mystery, but it has to be plot driven to keep me engaged. Lately I've gone back to reading Agatha Christie but in terms of something I read recently I would say The Light We Cannot See by Anthony Doerr is worthwhile.

Can you share perspective on pitfalls to avoid her other career advice for those who are just getting started in the communications field? I would offer three small nuggets here. One is that it's great if you can work at the FCC when you are getting started. In my first couple of years working at FCC I spent a lot of time getting to know people in the agency and the industry, many of whom have been great contacts and mentors over time. There's nothing like working at the FCC for getting to know people and to know the issues. Even if you're not able to work at the FCC, you still can join the FCBA and meet others in the field that way. I recall paying my own way to go to FCBA events where I rubbed elbows with more experienced folks.

Another nugget is to be open to things you don't really know about, as you never know the opportunities that may come your way. You want to be prepared for them or at least you don't want to close yourself off from exploring potentially new and exciting things. That's something for everyone to think about, not just those starting out!

Finally, I would say be the employee that you would want to have working for you. In DC pretty much everyone else is smart and reasonably capable. Part of advancing is more than your intellectual capabilities. It's how you show up every day to work. It's really being thoughtful about the what and the why and the how you do things at work. Over my time in communications, I would say that the people who succeeded or who advanced to very high levels in government or industry have something more, something intangible beyond being smart that they bring to their role or office. So it's really important that you figure out what that thing is for you and determine how to develop it.

What is something interesting about who the people are generally not aware of that you are willing to share?

A: I have taken a number of improv classes. I did it for fun and it turns out it can be really useful in your day-to-day life. "Yes, and...."

Q: How long have you been in FCBA member of what is the value of FCBA membership?

A: I joined the FCBA in 1989 while I was in my first stint working at the FCC. The FCBA is unparalleled in being one of the very best places to get to know people outside of your place of employment. In talking to people in other fields I am convinced that there's no other bar at all like ours. We are pretty unique in terms of having a real community. Second I would say the FCBA programming, either CLEs or more social events, are always interesting and useful. I know I wouldn't know all the people I do if it had not been for the FCBA. Some of my contacts in the FCBA have led me to new career paths, so if you just want to look at it from a personally selfish perspective -- and I am not encouraging that - the FCBA is well worth your time and attention.

Interested in learning more about another FCBA member? If there is a member you'd like to know better, please contact **Laura Phillips** at **laura.phillips@dbr.com**.

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, Katherine Krems (fcljarticles@law.gwu.edu). Articles may also be submitted through ExpressO. For general inquiries about the FCLJ, please contact the Editor-in-Chief, Stephen Conley (fclj@law.gwu.edu).

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**. 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**). In addition, please email the text of the ad to **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

3.19.1

Associate Attorney – Lance J.M. Steinhart, P.C., a law firm in Alpharetta, GA seeks a friendly, professional team player to assist with legal research and writing, document and contract drafting and preparation, and client account management. Duties include, but are not limited to:

- Coordination of projects and duties within the firm
- Service as the central point of contact for clients
- Project management to include account implementation and consistent follow-up
- Legal research and ability to summarize findings
- Analysis of federal and state regulations
- Document drafting and preparation (Word and forms using Adobe editor)
- Communication management across multiple parties, including the firm, clients, and government entities

Requirements:

Juris Doctor Degree

For immediate consideration, please send your resume and salary requirements to **Hiring@** telecomcounsel.com.

3.19.2

Associate Corporate Counsel – DISH is a Fortune 250 company with more than \$14 billion in annual revenue that continues to redefine the communications industry. Our legacy is innovation and a willingness to challenge the status quo, including reinventing ourselves. We are seeking an Associate Corporate Counsel with 1-3 years of experience with a large national or regional law firm, trade association, corporation, or government agency. All candidates must be eager to learn and demonstrate energy and a need for achievement. The ideal candidate will have experience in the regulatory field, including with media, broadband, wireless and/or pay-TV issues, or will be a recent law school graduate with a strong desire to learn to represent the company's interests in these areas.

Primary responsibilities fall into the following categories:

- Drafting filings for submission at the FCC or other agencies
- Facilitating the company's compliance with applicable regulatory requirements
- Reviewing and revising business documentsWorking closely with our business teams to
- accomplish company goalsImproving legal processes and procedures
- Assisting with other responsibilities as needed

A successful Associate Corporate Counsel will have the following:

- Licensed attorney with a J.D. from an accredited law school.
- Law school class rank in the top 25%.
- Detail-oriented, possess excellent writing, communication and organization skills, and be able to manage multiple simultaneous assignments.

Please submit your resume through the following link: https://questionnaireldish.icims.com/jobs/45783/job?_ ga=2.24289530.1101217763.1550771570-1863051353.1521570925&mobile=false& width=1216&height=500&bga=true&need sRedirect=false&jan1offset=-420&jun1offset=-360

3.19.3

Communications Associate – Mid Level

(San Francisco, CA) – The San Francisco office of Davis Wright Tremaine LLP is seeking a mid-level regulatory associate to join its Communications Practice Group.

Candidates must have strong writing and research skills, excellent academic credentials, and at least two years of law firm experience. California bar admission is required. Experience in appearing before the CPUC is strongly preferred. We will accept application materials from junior litigation associate candidates who are looking to transition to regulatory work.

To apply, please submit your cover letter, resume, transcript, and writing sample to Shumi Brody, Lawyer Recruiting Manager, California at **shumibrody@dwt.com**. We would appreciate you specifying how you heard about this position.

We are accepting submissions from third-party recruiters.

Davis Wright Tremaine LLP believes that embracing diversity and inclusion brings out the best of what each individual has to offer and inspires us to build strong and lasting connections with each other, our clients, and our communities. We are committed to creating and cultivating a diverse workforce and inclusive environment where every employee has the right to work in surroundings that are free from all forms of unlawful discrimination. It is our policy to hire, promote, transfer, terminate, and make all employment-related decisions without regard to an employee's sex (including pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding, or related medical condition), race, color, ancestry, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, gender expression, national origin, religious creed, age, marital status, physical or mental disability, genetic information, medical condition, military condition, military or veteran status or any other basis prohibited by applicable local, state, or federal laws.

3.19.4

Communications Litigation Associate – Mid Level (Washington, D.C.) – The Washington, D.C. office of Davis Wright Tremaine LLP is seeking a mid-level litigation associate to join its Communications Practice Group.

Candidates must have strong writing and research skills, excellent academic credentials and at least 4 years of law firm litigation experience. DC Bar membership a plus. The candidate will litigate complex telecommunications matters before state and federal courts and before federal and state agencies. The candidate will also be expected to provide legal and regulatory analysis and support.

To apply, please submit your cover letter addressed to Bahareh Samanian, Director of Lawyer Recruiting; resume; copy of law school transcript; and a brief writing sample (10 pages max) to **baharehsamanian@dwt.com**. We would appreciate you specifying how you heard about this position.

We are accepting submissions from third-party recruiters.

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3.19.5

Government Affairs Internship – T-Mobile USA, Inc. 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 internally and in meetings with federal agencies, and preparation of correspondence and legal documents.
- Attending government hearings, industry association 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 (among others): spectrum regulation, infrastructure reform, consumer and public safety issues, cybersecurity, content regulation, net neutrality, privacy, and universal service.

Functional and Technical Skills:

- Excellent research skills.
- Strong 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 problemsolving skills.
- High attention to detail and ability to meet tight deadlines.

- Strong working knowledge of PC and Microsoft Office Suite applications (in particular PowerPoint and Excel).
- Familiarity with FCC licensing and other research databases preferred but not required.

Experience and Education:

- Intern must be currently obtaining a JD law degree (2nd Year JD candidates preferred).
- Demonstrated interest in and prior experience with telecommunications law and policy preferred.
- Accounting and Finance classes are a plus.
- Knowledge of the wireless industry is desirable.

To apply, please send a cover letter, transcript, and writing sample to Kerry Loughney, **kerry@fcba.org**.

3.19.6

Legal Intern, Regulatory Affairs – CTIA – The Wireless Association[®] is seeking a Legal Intern to join our Regulatory Affairs team in Washington, D.C. for Summer 2019. This is a full-time, paid position.

CTIA represents the U.S. wireless communications industry and the companies throughout the mobile ecosystem that enable Americans to lead a 21st century connected life. The association's members include wireless carriers, device manufacturers, suppliers as well as apps and content companies. CTIA vigorously advocates at all levels of government for policies that foster continued wireless innovation and investment. The association also coordinates the industry's voluntary best practices, hosts educational events that promote the wireless industry and co-produces the industry's leading wireless tradeshow.

The Regulatory Affairs team is responsible for engagement with the FCC and other federal agencies on issues including spectrum, infrastructure, public safety, accessibility, and Universal Service. The Regulatory Affairs team also supports other CTIA groups, including Government Affairs and External and State Affairs.

The Legal Intern will contribute to the regulatory, legal, and advocacy efforts of the Regulatory Affairs team, including assisting on policy and legal issues and engaging with CTIA departments and members. Tasks may include:

- Summarizing FCC rulemakings and comments;
- Conducting legal research on spectrum, infrastructure, public safety, wireless deployment, and accessibility;
- Editing and providing input on filings to be submitted to federal agencies;
- Assisting with preparation for meetings with

government officials and CTIA members;

- Supporting preparation for policy discussions to be hosted by CTIA at Mobile World Congress Los Angeles; and
- Attending industry and government events.

Candidates should be rising 2Ls or 3Ls with an interest in telecommunications. Candidates must possess strong writing, research, communications, and organization skills. Experience at the FCC and/or familiarity with wireless regulations and FCC databases preferred.

Applicants should send a cover letter, resume, and brief writing sample to: Kara Graves Director, Regulatory Affairs KGraves@ctia.org

3.19.7

Regulatory Compliance Specialist – Cisco is looking for an experienced program manager to join the Market Access team in the Legal Department. You may be a great fit if you have a proven track record in U.S. compliance operations for communications providers and/ or experience with environmental compliance; an understanding of and background in traditional and emerging communications technologies; an entrepreneurial and teambased mindset; experience with budgeting and contract management; strong written and oral communications skills; and an eagerness to expand your capabilities.

Among other responsibilities, you will:

- Track and manage regulatory compliance obligations, including filings with international, federal, and state regulators.
- Work directly with stakeholders within the company to develop and improve systems that support regulatory compliance.
- Support the company's assessment of obligations and regulatory risks in jurisdictions around the world.
- Identify, research, and make recommendations about tools, processes and systems to manage and track compliance with regulatory requirements in countries around the world.
- Provide administrative support as needed to team management

Who You'll Work With

Cisco is rapidly deploying innovative cloudbased communications solutions on a global basis. To support that effort, Cisco's Legal department has built a Market Access team with deep expertise in identifying the regulatory obligations that apply to these emerging technologies and managing associated regulatory compliance operations. You will be a key contributor on the team with responsibilities in several substantive areas.

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Who You Are

- 5+ years experience in telecom and/or environmental regulatory compliance operations.
- Previous experience with FCC filings or comparable regulatory filings.
- Previous experience with regulatory fee payments and processes.
- Team player and problem solver with a willingness to challenge assumptions, adapt to changes, and learn new tools.
- Strong organizational skills, interpersonal skills, and attention to detail.

To apply, please **click here**.

3.19.8

Regulatory Consultant – Leading telecommunications consulting firm Inteserra Consulting Group, Inc. based in Maitland, Florida seeks an experienced telecommunications professional with strong analytical and writing skills to join its diversifying business and help us achieve our ambitious 10-year plan. Our clients range from small start-ups to the largest telecom and cable companies in the country and operate in all areas of the communications industry. Duties of the position will include: (1) providing guidance and timely expert advice to clients in response to identified needs in connection with FCC and state PUC requirements. Services include initial entry (certification/registration), tariffs, best practices, and ongoing rule compliance for companies providing domestic and international wireline, wireless, and VoIP services, Internet/broadband service, cloud services, and services for schools and libraries; (2) identifying client needs and objectives to help them solve problems by identifying opportunities to promote business objectives through legal, regulatory and legislative initiatives; (3) client management, including developing and maintaining relationships with client team members, providing subject matter expertise, and coordinating with other Inteserra team members who can bring added value to the account; and (4) planning and coordinating client projects for successful and cost-efficient outcomes for Inteserra clients. This position will also have an opportunity to participate in Workshops, Seminars, Webinars, and industry events.

We are looking for someone who:

- is extremely client-focused;
- can recognize proactive opportunities to solve client problems;
- is well organized and able to work autonomously and manage multiple matters and projects across a range of relevant jurisdictions at the same time;

- is detail-oriented; and
- is interested in a long-term position with significant potential for growth as the business grows.

The ideal candidate will have 5+ years of experience in the communications/cable industry working on regulatory and legislative issues, and interpretation of the business impact of such policies. Legal, engineering, economics, accounting, or technical background is a plus, as is knowledge of federal and state telecommunications rules and regulations. The candidate should also have a strong working knowledge of PC and Microsoft Office Suite applications (Word, Excel, PowerPoint).

Inteserra Consulting Group, Inc., based in Maitland, Florida, serves the telecommunications industry with state and federal compliance consulting, support and service. We are an industry leader with a deep history of success, and continue to grow through product innovation, consistent quality delivery, and industry diversification.

Interested applicants should send a cover letter, resume, and writing sample to: **pmiller@ inteserra.com**.

3.19.9

Telecommunications Associate - Mid Level (Portland, OR) - The Portland office of Davis Wright Tremaine LLP is seeking a mid-level associate to join its Communications Practice Group. We are looking for a motivated, collegial associate with a minimum of two years of experience working with telecommunications clients (or similar regulated clients) in regulatory and litigated matters. Related technology experience is a plus. This is an excellent opportunity to receive mentorship and growth in this practice area. Strong written and verbal communication skills are required. Oregon bar admission is not required to apply but will be required eventually.

To apply, please click here: https://careers. dwt.com/telecommunications-associatemid-level-portland/job/10552491. Submit your cover letter, resume, transcript, and writing sample (10 pages max.) to Bahareh Samanian, Director of Lawyer Recruiting. We would appreciate you specifying how you heard about this position. We are accepting submissions from third-party recruiters.

Davis Wright Tremaine LLP believes that embracing diversity and inclusion brings out the best of what each individual has to offer and inspires us to build strong and lasting connections with each other, our clients, and our communities. We are

committed to creating and cultivating a diverse workforce and inclusive environment where every employee has the right to work in surroundings that are free from all forms of unlawful discrimination. It is our policy to hire, promote, transfer, terminate, and make all employment-related decisions without regard to an employee's sex (including pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding, or related medical condition), race, color, ancestry, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, gender expression, national origin, religious creed, age, marital status, physical or mental disability, genetic information, medical condition, military condition, military or veteran status or any other basis prohibited by applicable local, state, or federal laws.

3.19.10

Vice President and Associate General

Counsel – NCTA – The Internet & Television Association is looking to fill this position that provides legal support for Association and member companies in proceedings before government agencies and courts.

Primary Job Duties/Essential Functions and Responsibilities:

- Drafts comments for filing in Federal Communications Commission and other agency proceedings; draft briefs for filing in various court cases.
- Advocates industry positions before FCC and other government agencies.
- Supervises outside counsel and economists.
- Coordinates policy positions with member companies and their outside counsel.
- Advises members, association on legal and policy questions.
- Provides member guidance on day-to-day operating questions.
- Assists the Senior Vice President and other Legal department lawyers in representing the Legal Department at meetings and conferences.

Qualifications & Experience:

- Law degree
- Substantial experience in law firm and/or FCC
- Strong writing skills

Go to **https://www.ncta.com/careers** to apply. Only applicants who submit a cover letter and resume will be considered.

COMMITTEE/CHAPTER EVENT Registration Form

CHECK THE EVENT(S) FOR WHICH YOU ARE REGISTERING: Friday, March 8, 2019, 8:00 a.m. – FCBA General	□ Wednesday, April 24, 2019, 4:00 – 6:15 p.m. –
Phone	E-mail
City/State/Zip	
Address	Suite/Room/Apt
Name	Organization

Counsels Breakfast. Location: Hogan Lovells US LLP, 555
13th Street, NW. Breakfast begins at 8:00 a.m. and the program begins at 8:45 a.m.
Cost: \$30.00 for FCBA Members, \$40.00 for Non-Members
Registrations and cancellations due by Noon, Wednesday, March 6, 2019.

 Thursday, March 21, 2019, 2:00 – 6:00 p.m. EST – CLE Seminar/14th Annual ABA/FCBA Privacy & Data Security Symposium. Location: Arnold & Porter LLP, 601 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 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, Monday, March 18, 2019.

 Monday, April 22, 2019, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. – CLE Seminar: Drones, Safety and Security: How Federal, State and Local Agencies are Dealing with Current Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) Challenges. Location: Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP, 1800 M Street, NW, 800N 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 no later than 48 hours prior to the program start time. □ Wednesday, April 24, 2019, 4:00 – 6:15 p.m. – CLE Seminar: The TCPA and Robocalls: Recent
 Developments and the Road Ahead. Location: Hogan Lovells US LLP, 555 13th 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 no later than 48 hours prior to the program start time.

 Tuesday, May 7, 2019, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. – CLE Seminar: Lawyering Social: Legal Issues on Social and Digital Media. Location: Wiley Rein LLP, 1776 K Street, NW, Washington, DC 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 no later than 48 hours prior to the program start time.

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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.

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2019 FCBA CONGRESSIONAL RECEPTION

RECOGNIZING MEMBERS AND STAFF OF THE 116TH CONGRESS

Wednesday, April 3, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

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

PLEASE RESERVE THE FOLLOWING:

- _____ Gold Sponsorship(s) at \$700.00 per sponsorship (includes two registrations to the event, recognition in the newsletter, and acknowledgement at the event)
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- _____ 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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PLEASE LIST FULL NAMES, NICKNAMES, AND	ORGANIZATIONS OF ALL ATTENDEES
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PLEASE SUBMIT THIS FORM AND PAYMENT TO THE "FCBA" NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27. PHONE REGISTRATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. Federal Communications Bar Association 1020 19th Street, NW, Suite 325 Washington, DC 20036-6101 Phone: (202) 293-4000; Fax: (202) 293-4317 E-mail: elizabeth@fcba.org	REGISTRATIONS RECEIVED AFTER MONDAY, APRIL 1 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.

FCBA 2019 ANNUAL SEMINAR Registration Form

May 17-19, The Omni Homestead Resort, Hot Springs, VA

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Registrant's Name	
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Children's Full Names and Ages	
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(if applicable)	
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Your Spouse/Guest Handicap	
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Name of Person(s) for Bacova Brewery & Mini Golf	•
REGISTRATION FEES:	
FCBA Private Sector Member	\$425.00
FCBA Government/Academic/Law Student Member	\$200.00
Non-Member	\$750.00
Spouse/Guest	\$275.00
Teens (ages 13 to 18)	\$200.00
Children (ages 4 to 12)	\$125.00
Golf Tournament per person	\$135.00
Tennis Tournament per person	\$35.00
Cascades Gorge Hike (ages 12 and up)	\$22.00

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 Cascades Gorge Hike (ages 12 and up)	\$
Plus Cascades Gorge Hike (ages 5 to 11)	\$
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CANCELLATION POLICY

All registration fees must be received by April 26, 2019. 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 26, 2019. 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; and Saturday evening's Kids Banquet and activities. Meals and activities not included in the Annual Seminar Registration Fee and not sponsored by FCBA (e.g., golf and tennis tournaments, Saturday afternoon activities, 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.

MAIL, FAX OR EMAIL REGISTRATION

Cascades Gorge Hike (ages 5 to 11)

Bacova Brewery & Mini Golf

No registrations will be processed without payment. If paying by check, please mail your registration to: FCBA 2019 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 **elizabeth@fcba.org**. No phone registrations will be accepted.

\$12.00

Individuals Pay Onsite

FCBA ANNUAL SEMINAR Sponsorship Commitment Form May 17 – 19, 2019

PLEASE CHECK ONE:

GOLD - \$2,200	SILVER - \$1,500BRONZE - \$1,000	
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Federal Communications Bar Association 1020 19th Street, NW, Suite 325 Washington, DC 20036-6101 Phone: (202) 293-4000; Fax: (202) 293-4317 E-mail: elizabeth@fcba.org FCBA 2019 ANNUAL SEMINAR Government/Academic Scholarship Application

May 17-19, The Omni Homestead Resort, Hot Springs, VA

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.

APPLICATIONS WILL BE PROCESSED ON A FIRST-COME, FIRST-SERVED BASIS. PLEASE FAX OR EMAIL THE APPLICATION NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, MARCH 29, 2019 TO:

Janeen Wynn Email: janeen@fcba.org Fax: (202) 293-4317

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 29, 2019.
- (4) 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
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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: _____

23rd Annual FCC Chairman Robert Emmet Lee Memorial **FCBA FOUNDATION GOLF TOURNAMENT**

Tuesday, June 4, 2019 — 1:00 p.m. Shotgun Start

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YES! I WOULD LIKE TO SUPPORT THE GOLF TOURNAMENT, TO BE HELD AT 1757 GOLF CLUB, STERLING, VA, AS INDICATED BELOW:

🗆 Eagle Club	\$1	,000,
□ FCBA Private Sector Member	\$	125
🗆 Government Employee/Law Student	\$	100
🗆 Private Sector Non-Member	\$	150
🗆 Company Hole Sponsor	\$	300
🗆 Individual Hole Sponsor	\$	250
□ Golf Sponsor	\$	50

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Handicap or average of last two rounds

EAGLE CLUB - \$1,000

- Golf foursome including admission to all event activities
- Participation with other Eagle Club sponsors in exclusive "Tournament Within A Tournament" competition to win the coveted Eagle Club trophy
- Full page ad in event program
- Top-level recognition in all event advertising before and after the tournament

For more information about the tournament, go to www.fcba.org/foundation.

Note: Players may choose their foursomes regardless of donation level.

COMPANY HOLE SPONSOR — \$300

- Full page ad in event program
- Hole signage

INDIVIDUAL HOLE SPONSOR — \$250

- Half page ad in event program
- Hole signage

CHAIRMAN ROBERT EMMET LEE

The tournament is named in memory of former Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Chairman Robert Emmet Lee, who passed away in April 1993 after serving on the FCC for almost thirty years. Chairman Lee served as a Commissioner of the FCC for 28 years and was instrumental in the early development of color television, among other contributions to federal communications policy.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS BAR ASSOCIATION 2018-2019 COMMITTEE AND CHAPTER Registration

NAME (please print) _____

ORGANIZATION _____

STANDING COMMITTEES

Access to Government	Legislative
Annual Seminar Planning	Mass Media
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Continuing Legal Education	Professional Responsibility
Diversity	Relations with Other Bar Associations
Engineering and Technical	Social Media
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Homeland Security and Emergency Communications	Transactional Practice
Intellectual Property	Video Programming and Distribution
International Telecommunications	Wireless Telecommunications
Judicial Practice	Wireline
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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: elizabeth@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.

Calendar

March 8	FCBA General Counsels Breakfast	
March 14	Ninth Annual Mentoring Supper presented by the FCBA Diversity and Young Lawyers Committees	
March 18	Intellectual Property and Video Programming and Distribution Committees Brown Bag Lunch	
March 20	Wireline Committee Brown Bag Lunch	
March 21	The 14th Annual ABA/FCBA Privacy & Data Security Symposium presented by the Privacy and Data Security Committee and the ABA Forum on Communications Law	
March 21	International Telecommunications Committee Brown Bag Lunch	
March 26	Internet of Things and Wireless Telecommunications Committees Brown Bag Lunch	
March 27	Homeland Security and Emergency Communications Committee Brown Bag Lunch	
March 29	The GW Law's Federal Communications Law Journal 3rd Annual Symposium	
April 7	38th Annual ABA/FCBA Representing Your Local Broadcaster Seminar (Las Vegas, NV)	
April 10	State and Local Practice/Wireless Telecommunications/Wireline Committees Brown Bag Lunch	
April 10	Rocky Mountain Chapter Program in partnership with the IAPP Denver/Boulder Chapter (Denver, CO)	
April 15	Video Programming and Distribution Committee Brown Bag Lunch	
April 22	CLE Seminar: Drones, Safety and Security: How Federal, State and Local Agencies are Dealing with Current Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) Challenges presented by the Homeland Security and Emergency Communications Committee	
April 24	CLE Seminar: The TCPA and Robocalls: Recent Developments and the Road Ahead presented by the Consumer Protection and Privacy and Data Security Committees	
May 7	CLE Seminar: Lawyering Social: Legal Issues on Social and Digital Media presented by the Mass Media and Intellectual Property Committees	
May 17-19, 2019	Annual Seminar – The Omni Homestead Resort, Hot Springs, VA	
June 4	23rd Annual FCBA Foundation Golf Tournament at 1757 Golf Club (Dulles, VA)	
June 8	Lawyers Have Heart Team Event: 10k race, 5k run, and fun walk	



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