

2022 FCBA Annual Seminar at The Omni Homestead Resort April 1 – 3 ~ Reserve Your Room by March 7 and Register by March 14!

We're looking forward to welcoming everyone back in person at the Annual Seminar at the Homestead in Hot Springs, Virginia, the weekend of April 1. Panels will discuss critical issues facing the telecom and tech world in 2022, including cybersecurity, digital equity, broadband deployment, digital trade and national security issues, and the impact of streaming on content and delivery. As always, we will welcome a

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# Third Annual FCBA Women's Summit Series Session II on April 28 "How To Succeed In 2022 And Beyond: The Future of Work"

In partnership with the ABA Antitrust Women.Connected Committee, Latinas in Tech – DC Metro, WICT – Women in Cable Telecommunications (Baltimore/DC Chapter), and the Women's Bar Association of the District of Columbia, the FCBA Women's Leadership Committee will present Session II of the Third Annual Women's Summit Series, "How to Succeed in 2022 and Beyond: The Future of Work," on Thursday, April 28 from 1:00 – 6:30 p.m. The program will take place

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# Upcoming Key Events

#### Young Lawyers Co-Chair Election Date/Time: Monday, March

7, 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. ET **Topic:** The Young Lawyers Committee is now seeking nominations for the upcoming co-chair election. One YLC co-chair is elected annually to serve a two-year term. All other volunteer roles with the YLC are appointed. Nominations for the election should be emailed to Van Bloys

#### (van.bloys@crowncastle.

**com**) and Jamile Kadre (**jamilekadre@gmail.com**) no later than Monday, February 28, 2022.

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#### Mass Media / Young Lawyers Lunch and Learn

**Date/Time:** Thursday, March 10, 4:00 – 5:00 p.m. ET **Topic:** Life "In House." A panel of FCBA members that have landed those coveted in-house corporate and trade association jobs will discuss their career path and provide advice for those looking for opportunities beyond the FCC or law firms. **Note:** This program will be off-the record.

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#### Wireline Committee CLE

Date/Time: Wednesday, March 9, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. ET Topic: Implementation of the FCC's Affordable Connectivity Program ► SEE PAGE 5

#### Engineering and Technical / International CLE

Date/Time: Wednesday, March 16, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. ET Topic: Technology Standards and Competitiveness: The Role of International Standards Processes in Promoting U.S. Leadership in Emerging Communications Technologies > SEE PAGE 5

# **PRESIDENT'S** Message

#### DEAR FCBA MEMBERS,

When I was in preschool, I remember gluing cotton balls to cloud-shaped pieces of cardboard to welcome the month of March. We were told that March "comes in like a lion, and out like a lamb." This old saying doesn't seem to apply to the FCBA - The Tech Bar in March 2022. We're roaring all month, with a packed schedule



of programs guaranteed to keep you #fcbaconnected.

On March 14, we're holding a must-attend event: The Winter Celebration featuring **Federal Communications Commission Chairwoman Jessica Rosenworcel**. There is no better time than Women's History Month to mark the unprecedented confirmation of the first female Chair of the Federal Communications Commission. The program also will highlight the achievements of the many other women who have paved the road to success for FCBA members, and will provide a chance to check-in on the FCBA's and FCBA Foundation's programs to cultivate the next generation of leaders in telecommunications, media, and technology law and policy. I look forward to the chance to mix and mingle with you during the virtual cocktail reception, and to experience this marvelous program.

I'm also counting the days until I can connect with FCBA members in person at the FCBA Annual Seminar, which is being held April 1-3 at The Homestead in Hot Springs, Virginia. The schedule for this year's Seminar is incredible. I'm thrilled for the opportunity for an in-person, fireside chat with FCC Chairwoman Rosenworcel, and can't wait to hear what FCC **Commissioner Nathan Simington** will say in his conversation with FCBA President-Elect Barry Ohlson. The agenda for the Annual Seminar is packed with a number of other opportunities to hear from top officials and leaders in the technology, media, and telecommunications law and policy space on a number of today's biggest headlines. Plus, the Annual Seminar will have all of the fun activities that it has come to be known for: golf, bingo, karaoke, and game night, just to name a few. Don't miss this chance to join us in-person for an amazing weekend at a gorgeous resort.

If you can't make it to The Homestead, there are plenty of opportunities to connect with colleagues and enhance your career from your home instead (see what I did there?). A continuing legal education program organized by our **Wireline Committee** on March 9 will explore how the FCC is implementing the Affordable Connectivity Program. On March 10, the **Mass Media and Young Lawyers Committees** will explore the ins and outs of in-house practice. On March 16, the **Engineering & Technical** and **International Telecommunications Committees** will hold a continuing legal education seminar to examine the role of international standards processes in promoting U.S. leadership in emerging communications technologies. On March 17, the



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The Auction Committee is now accepting applications from local charities to be considered as beneficiary of the 33rd Annual FCBA Charity Auction. The application is available at https://www.fcba.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/Auction-Beneficiary-Application-2022\_FINAL.doc and should be received by the FCBA by email no later than Friday, April 8, 2022.

# **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.

# **FCBA Member Photos**

We know that our members look forward to seeing pictures from our fun events in each month's newsletter. Of course, we've had to change our strategy. If you would like to submit pictures of you or your staff working from a home office or fun family and friend outings, we'd love to put them in the newsletter. In addition, if you have pictures from favorite FCBA past events, please submit and we'll run those too. You may send to **kerry@fcba.org**.

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# **CLE** Seminars

# Wednesday, March 9, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. ET Implementation of the FCC's Affordable Connectivity Program

The FCBA **Wireline Committee** will sponsor a CLE on **Wednesday, March 9 from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. ET** entitled Implementation of the FCC's Affordable Connectivity Program. This program will be held virtually via the Zoom platform.

The FCBA has applied for 2.0 hours of MCLE credit from the VA Bar. This program has not yet been approved.

#### Click here to register.

If you have any issues, please contact Elizabeth Hagerty at **elizabeth@fcba.org**.

### Agenda

2:00 – 2:05 p.m. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

#### 2:05 – 3:00 p.m. OVERVIEW OF THE AFFORDABLE CONNECTIVITY PROGRAM

Our first panel will feature FCC staff at the forefront of implementation of the Affordable Connectivity Program. Key members of the Wireline Competition Bureau and Office of Economics and Analytics will review the new requirements of the Affordable Connectivity Program, changes from the Emergency Broadband Benefit Program, and next steps as USAC, the industry, and consumers complete the transition from the Emergency Broadband Benefit Program to the Affordable Connectivity Program.

#### Moderator:

**Helen Marie Berg**, Associate, Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP

#### Speakers:

Jessica Campbell, Attorney Advisor -Program Lead, Telecommunications Access Policy Division, WCB Christian Hoefly, Attorney Advisor, Telecommunications Access Policy Division, WCB Jamile Kadre, Attorney Advisor, Telecommunications Access Policy Division, WCB Sherry Ross, Attorney Advisor, Telecommunications Access Policy

Ielecommunications Access Policy Division, WCB John Pedersen, Economist, Industry

Analysis Division, OEA

#### 3:00 - 4:00 p.m. IMPLEMENTATION PERSPECTIVES

Our second panel will provide stakeholders' perspective on the transition to the Affordable Connectivity Program. Speakers from a variety of industry and consumer perspectives will discuss the opportunities and challenges presented by the Affordable Connectivity Program and the transition from the Emergency Broadband Benefit Program.

Moderator: TBD

Speakers:

Anisa L. Green, Director, Federal Regulatory, AT&T Jenny Prime, Senior Director, Regulatory Affairs, Cox Enterprises, Inc.

# 2022-2023 Committee and Chapter Co-Chairs

President-Elect **Barry Ohlson** is beginning the process of identifying FCBA Committee and Chapter Co-Chairs for this coming year (July 1, 2022 – June 30, 2023). Please contact him (**barry.ohlson@coxinc.com**) and copy Janeen Wynn (**janeen@fcba. org**) by **Monday, April 25** if you are interested in serving, or would like to suggest someone else who might be interested. **Olivia Wein**, Staff Attorney, National Consumer Law Center **Norina T. Moy**, Director, Government Affairs, T-Mobile

Wednesday, March 16, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. ET Technology Standards and Competitiveness: The Role of International Standards Processes in Promoting U.S. Leadership in Emerging Communications Technologies

The FCBA Engineering & Technical and International Telecommunications Committees will co-sponsor a CLE on Wednesday, March 16 from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. ET entitled Technology Standards and Competitiveness: The Role of International Standards Processes in Promoting U.S. Leadership in Emerging Communications Technologies. This program will be held virtually via the Zoom platform.

Everything from the latest iPhone to fiber optic routers depends on a largely unseen set of globally harmonized standards that allow systems to interoperate and to achieve the economies of scale and scope necessary to make products affordable for consumers and businesses alike. But as technological innovations have come to dominate global economic life, nation states have started to eye standards bodies as both opportunity and threat. Are China and other nations manipulating the international standardssetting process in ways that damage the security and dynamism of the U.S. economy? Can the U.S. more forcefully

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in the standards setting process while maintaining its preference for open and transparent standards-setting? How should the U.S. balance cybersecurity and national security concerns against the economic imperative of standardization and interoperability? Congress has introduced numerous bills that have proposed various measures that would increase U.S. government and private sector engagement to protect domestic interests.

The FCBA will apply for 2.0 hours of MCLE credit from the VA Bar. This program has not yet been approved.

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# Agenda

2:00 – 2:05 p.m. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

#### 2:05 – 3:05 p.m. THE ROLE OF STANDARDS BODIES IN TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT

Panelist will discuss the role of key international standards-setting processes for the information and communications technology industry, including 3GPP and ITU, and the importance of standards in promoting U.S. domestic policy interests.

Speakers: TBD

#### 3:05 – 4:00 p.m. DOES THE U.S. STANDARDS MODEL ADEQUATELY SUPPORT U.S. INTERESTS?

Panelists will discuss the differences between the U.S. model for standards development and that of other regions, whether geopolitical changes are creating challenges to that model, and steps that might be taken to improve U.S. representation in international standards-setting bodies.

Speakers: TBD

# Tuesday, May 24, 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. ET Implementing 988 and the Future of Tailored Emergency Communications

The FCBA **Homeland Security and Emergency Communications Committee** will sponsor a CLE on **Tuesday, May 24 from 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. ET** entitled Implementing 988 and the Future of Tailored Emergency Communications. This program will be held virtually via the Zoom platform.

Watch for details in future newsletters and emails.

The FCBA will apply for 2.0 hours of MCLE credit from the VA Bar. This program has not yet been approved.

#### Click here to register.

If you have any issues, please contact Elizabeth Hagerty at **elizabeth@fcba.org**.

# **The Federal Communications Law Journal**

The *Federal Communications Law Journal* has long been an important source of legal scholarship on communications issues, and the FCBA is proud to offer the journal as a benefit to our members.

FCBA members may now decide how they would like to receive the journal. The *FCLJ* itself will continue to be published in hard copy, however, rather than receiving hard copies as a default, we'll be distributing electronic links to the content.

For those of you who would like to receive the *FCLJ* electronically, you don't have to do anything. We will email you a link when a new issue is published. You may also visit **http://www.fclj.org/volumes/** to view archived volumes.

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Note that we will also send out an email reminder to members about the opt-in process before each issue is published.

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wide range of stakeholders from both the government and private sector, including **FCC Chairwoman Rosenworcel**, **FCC Commissioner Simington**, potentially other FCC Commissioners, and key staffers from the relevant committees on the Hill.

To promote safety and well-being, the FCBA will require all attendees and staff to be fully vaccinated\* for COVID-19 prior to attending and participating in the Annual Seminar. See below for further information.

IMPORTANT ROOM RESERVATION INFORMATION: THE FCBA SPECIAL GROUP RATE WILL ONLY BE GUARANTEED THROUGH MONDAY, MARCH 7.



**Omni Homestead Resort** 

The single/double occupancy rate is \$249.00 for reservations made by March 7, but after this date, it is likely that this will increase. We encourage you to make your reservation as soon as possible. A one-night advanced deposit is due at the time of booking, and reservations can be canceled for any reason until 7

days before the event. Our expectation is that the Annual Seminar will move forward as planned. However, if the FCBA determines that we need to cancel the event, we will make a determination prior to the seven-day window, allowing you to get a refund of your deposit.

#### CLICK HERE TO RESERVE YOUR ROOM.

**Deadline March 7.** Rooms for government employees are available at per diem rates. Contact Kerry Loughney (**kerry@fcba. org**) for more information.

<u>CLICK HERE TO REGISTER FOR THE</u> <u>SEMINAR AND ACTIVITIES</u>. Deadline March 14.

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For a list of the current Annual Seminar sponsors, see page 7.

AGENDA - tentative (as of 3/1/22)

Friday, April 1

1:00 – 5:30 p.m. REGISTRATION

2:45 – 3:15 p.m. NETWORKING TIME Sponsored by Technology & Communications Law, PLLC

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*Saturday Evening Reception* Somos, Inc.

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**3:15 – 3:25 p.m. SEMINAR WELCOME** FCBA President **Megan Anne Stull** 

#### 3:25 – 4:25 p.m. CONFRONTING BIAS AND CONSIDERING BOUNDARIES: TRENDS TO WATCH IN LEGAL ETHICS

Speaker: Deepika Ravi, Partner, Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP

(The FCBA has applied for 1.0 hour of MCLE credit by the VA Bar. Approval is pending)

4:25 – 4:35 p.m. BREAK

#### 4:35 – 4:55 p.m. NTIA'S PRIORITIES AND POLICIES FOR 2022

Speaker:

**April McClain-Delaney**, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Communications and Information

Moderator: **To Be Announced** 

4:55 – 5:05 p.m. BREAK Sponsored by Technology & Communications Law, PLLC

#### 5:05 – 5:30 p.m. A FIRESIDE CHAT WITH FCC CHAIRWOMAN ROSENWORCEL

*Moderator*: **Megan Anne Stull**, Senior Counsel, Google and President, FCBA

#### 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. OPENING RECEPTION

Sponsored by Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP

6:45 – 8:45 p.m. FAMILY BBQ 8:00 – 9:30 p.m. BINGO Sponsored by AT&T

9:00 – 11:59 p.m. KARAOKE Sponsored by Hogan Lovells

### Saturday, April 2

7:30 – 10:00 a.m. BREAKFAST BUFFET

8:00 – 11:30 a.m. REGISTRATION

#### 9:00 – 9:30 a.m. A FIRESIDE CHAT WITH COMMISSIONER SIMINGTON

*Moderator*: **Barry Ohlson**, Vice President, Regulatory Affairs, Cox Enterprises and President-Elect, FCBA

#### 9:30 – 10:20 a.m. CONNECTING COMMUNITIES: DIGITAL EQUITY & CLOSING THE DIGITAL DIVIDE

Panelists: **To Be Announced** 

*Moderator*: **Anisa Latif Green**, Director, Federal Regulatory, AT&T

**10:20 – 10:30 a.m. BREAK** Sponsored by EchoStar/Hughes

#### 10:30 – 11:00 a.m. THE VIEW FROM THE HILL— LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES IN 2022 AND BEYOND

**Evan Viau**, Professional Staff Member, U.S. House Committee on Energy and Commerce

**Christianna Barnhart**, Senior Counsel, U.S. Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation (invited) **Olivia Trusty**, Policy Director, U.S. Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation (invited) *Moderator*: **Scott Blake Harris**, Partner, Harris, Wiltshire and Grannis LLP

11:00 – 11:10 a.m. BREAK

#### 11:10 a.m. – Noon CYBER: IS PARTNERSHIP AT A CROSSROADS?

Panelists:

Debra Jordan, Chief, Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau, FCC Kathryn Condello, Senior Director, National Security / Emergency Preparedness, Lumen Technologies Maureen McLaughlin, Vice President of Public Policy, Iridium (invited) Eric Tamarkin, Director and Senior Public Policy Counsel, Samsung Electronics America Melanie Tiano, Assistant Vice President, Cybersecurity, CTIA – The Wireless Association

*Moderator*: **Joshua Turner**, Partner, Wiley Rein LLP

Lunch on your own

1:15 p.m. GOLF TOURNAMENT Old Course

#### 1:30 p.m. TRODDENVALE CIDERY TOUR AND TASTING

Organized by the YLC **Transportation sponsored by Crown Castle** Not interested in a tasting? Drop by the Cidery any time after 3:00 p.m.!

#### 1:45 p.m./2:15 p.m. NATURALIST HIKE IN CASCADES GORGE Alleghany Outfitters

6:00 – 7:00 p.m. HAPPY HOUR FOR ALL ATTENDEES Organized by the YLC

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#### 6:00 – 9:30 p.m. KIDS DINNER AND ACTIVITIES REGISTRATION

**7:00 – 7:30 p.m. RECEPTION** *Sponsored by Somos, Inc.* 

#### 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. DINNER BUFFET

Remarks by FCBA President **Megan Anne Stull** 

#### 8:45 – 11:00 p.m. YOUR FAVORITE LAWN GAMES WITH YOUR FCBA FRIENDS

Fun to include giant Jenga, Connect Four, ping pong, badminton, cornhole, yard pong, putting green, and more!

Sunday, April 3

#### 7:30 – 10:00 a.m. BREAKFAST BUFFET

#### **GETTING THERE**

The Homestead is about 4 hours from DC by car. For those that don't have cars or prefer not to drive, Hot Springs is also accessible by convenient train service. Typically, carpool options are also available.

#### **ABOUT THE RESORT**

The Omni Homestead Resort is nestled in the Allegheny Mountains, and provides plenty of opportunities for socially-distant fun. Located across more than 2,000 acres of scenic Virginia landscape, the resort provides timeless comforts and access to an exciting array of activities for families, couples, individuals, and colleagues. The resort also has been designated a National Historic Landmark and makes up most of the charming city of Hot Springs, Virginia.

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

# **Saturday Afternoon Activities**

#### GOLF

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.

#### CASCADES GORGE HIKE

Don't miss one of the most popular activities at the Homestead resort. On this three-hour tour, you will be led and entertained by a naturalist walking beside a series of beautiful waterfalls, through a deep, Allegheny Mountain gorge trail, that is one of the most picturesque trails in the region. Learn about regional and unusual flora and fauna in this semi-tropical environment, as well as the medicinal and edible properties of the many local plants. It is a 1.8 mile journey, designed for adults and children alike. The registration fee is \$25 per person or \$10 if age 5 to 11 or free if age 4 or less. Thanks to Lynne Milne for sponsoring part of the activity!

#### TRODDENVALE CIDERY TOUR AND TASTING

Plan to participate in the **Troddenvale's** orchard & production tour, as well as a cider tasting. This activity organized by the Young Lawyers Committee will take place Saturday at 1:30 p.m. Transportation provided by Crown Castle. *Price:* \$25 *for tasting;* \$40 *for tasting + local cheese pairing. Not interested in a tasting? Drop by the Cidery any time after 3:00 p.m.!* 

CLICK HERE TO REGISTER FOR THE TRODDENVAEL CIDERY TOUR AND TASTING.





#### 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.* 

**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

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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.

#### ATTENDANCE POLICY

To promote safety and well-being, the FCBA will require attendees and staff to be fully vaccinated\* under the appropriate CDC guidelines for COVID-19 prior to attending and participating in the Annual Seminar. Registrants for the Annual Seminar will be asked to provide proof of vaccination status before the event. Specific details on providing vaccination status will be supplied at a later date.

The FCBA will follow legal requirements and/or best practices for wearing facial coverings over the nose and mouth that are in place at the time of the Annual Seminar. Specific details about facial covering requirements will be provided at a date closer to the Annual Seminar.

All attendees and staff of the FCBA agree to the following policies and guidelines regarding COVID-19 at point of registration for the FCBA Annual Seminar:

By registering for the FCBA Annual Seminar, I agree that I will carefully review and, during the event and all event-related activities, comply with all applicable COVID-19-related federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and guidance, including but not limited to, the specific local COVID-19 regulations and any other protocols that may be implemented by FCBA or the venue.

I acknowledge that the FCBA cannot guarantee that attendees will not be exposed to or contract COVID-19 while attending the FCBA Annual Seminar, and that by attending they may be exposing

## Nominations for the "Excellence in Government Service" Award Due March 18

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, Hossein Hashemzadeh, Kris Monteith, Jake Lewis, and Margaret Wiener. The 15th recipient will be announced in spring 2022.

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 cervice 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 18, 2022.** 

or increasing their risk of contracting or spreading COVID-19.

I understand that FCBA will continue to closely monitor conditions related to COVID-19 between now and the start of the Annual Seminar. The FCBA reserves the right in its sole discretion to modify its COVID-19-related procedures and health screening protocols at any time. Registrants will be informed of any such changes on an ongoing basis. As a condition of attendance and participation, I agree to follow the COVID-19 protocols as required by FCBA and/or the venue.

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# **COMMITTEE AND CHAPTER** Events

#### **Enforcement Committee**

**Event:** Lunch and Learn **Date/Time:** Tuesday, March 22, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

Location: Virtual via the Zoom platform Topic: Meet the Enforcement Bureau Speakers: Jeffrey Gee (Chief, Investigations and Hearings Division); Elizabeth Mumaw (Chief, Spectrum Enforcement Division); Rakesh Patel (Chief, Fraud Division); Rosemary McEnery (Chief, Market Disputes Resolution Division); Kristi Thompson (Chief, Telecommunications Consumers Division); Axel Rodriguez (Field Director); and Janet Moran (Deputy Field Director). Click here to register.

#### Engineering and Technical Committee

**Event:** CLE Seminar co-hosted by the International Telecommunications Committee **Date/Time:** Wednesday, March 16, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. ET

**Location:** Virtual via the Zoom platform **Topic:** Technology Standards and Competitiveness: The Role of International Standards Processes in Promoting U.S. Leadership in Emerging Communications Technologies **For more information:** See **page 5**. **Cost:** \$135.00 for Private Sector Members; \$95.00 for Non-Profit 501c3 Members; \$50.00 for Government/Academic/Transitional/ Retired Members; No charge for Law Student Members; \$205.00 for Non-Members **To register: Click here** or go to the **FCBA Website – Calendar of Events.** If

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#### Homeland Security and Emergency Communications Committee

**Event:** CLE Seminar

**Date/Time:** Tuesday, May 24, 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. ET

**Location:** Virtual via the Zoom platform **Topic:** Implementing 988 and the Future of Tailored Emergency Communications **Speakers:** TBD

### For more information: See page 6.

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#### **Mass Media Committee**

**Event:** Lunch and Learn co-hosted by the Young Lawyers Committee **Date/Time:** Thursday, March 10, 4:00 – 5:00 p.m. ET

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#### MASS MEDIA COMMITTEE

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**Location:** Virtual via the Zoom platform **Topic:** Life "In House." A panel of FCBA members that have landed those coveted inhouse corporate and trade association jobs will discuss their career path and provide advice for those looking for opportunities beyond the FCC or law firms.

**Speakers:** Ann Bobeck, VPP FCC Legal & Business Affairs, Fox Corporation; Laura Berman, Vice President, Legal, Audacy, Inc.; other speakers TBA

**Moderators:** Crystal Evans, Counsel, Regulatory Affairs, NBCUniversal; Kimia Nikseresht, FCBA Diversity Committee Co-Chair

**Note:** This program will be off-the record. <u>Click here to register.</u>

#### **New England Chapter**

**Event:** Lunch & Learn co-hosted with the New Hampshire Department of Energy **Date/Time:** Thursday, March 17, 12:00 – 1:30 p.m. ET

**Location:** Virtual via the Zoom platform **Topic:** Overview of the New Hampshire Department of Energy

In July 2021, the New Hampshire Legislature profoundly reorganized public utility regulation in the state by creating a new Department of Energy. Though the Public Utilities Commission continues to exist, many of its regulatory and policymaking functions were transferred to the Department, and the Commission itself, along with the Office of Public Advocate, is now "administratively attached" to the DOE. The precise contours of the reorganization, staffing, and division of responsibilities have not been clear to many practitioners and regulated entities.

**Speakers:** Amanda Noonan and David Wiesner of the DOE Staff (and longtime former PUC staffers) will join the New England Chapter in a virtual lunch and learn to explain the re-organization, new roles and responsibilities, and current and prospective programs and priorities. This will be an informal discussion with plenty of opportunity for dialogue.

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#### **Wireline Committee**

**Event:** CLE Seminar **Date/Time:** Wednesday, March 9, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. ET

**Location:** Virtual via the Zoom platform **Topic:** Implementation of the FCC's Affordable Connectivity Program

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#### **Young Lawyers Committee**

**Event:** Co-Chair Election **Date/Time:** Monday, March 7, 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. ET

Location: Virtual via the Zoom platform Topic: The Young Lawyers Committee is now seeking nominations for the upcoming co-chair election. One YLC co-chair is elected annually to serve a two-year term. All other volunteer roles with the YLC are appointed. Nominations for the election should be emailed to Van Blovs (van.blovs@crowncastle.com) and Jamile Kadre (jamilekadre@gmail.com) no later than Monday, February 28, 2022. Selfnominations are welcome. No proxy votes are allowed, so be sure to attend. All are welcome to attend the meeting, but voting is limited to current YLC members. Guidelines for YLC membership are set forth in Article V, Section 30 of the FCBA's bylaws. Click here to register.

**Event:** Lunch and Learn co-hosted by the Mass Media Committee **Date/Time:** Thursday, March 10, 4:00 – 5:00 p.m. ET **Location:** Virtual via the Zoom platform **Topic:** Life "In House." A panel of FCBA members that have landed those coveted inhouse corporate and trade association jobs will discuss their career path and provide advice for those looking for opportunities beyond the FCC or law firms.

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**Event:** LGBTQ+ Mentoring Social **Date/Time:** Wednesday, March 23, 5:15 – 6:30 p.m. ET

**Location:** Virtual via the Zoom platform More information: Calling all law students, young lawyers, and lawyers looking to make moves! We are proud to present an opportunity for law students and lawyers of all experience levels to interact with LGBTQ+ industry leaders in tech and telecom. Register now to be a mentee at one of our upcoming virtual small group mentoring sessions, where breakout groups of mentors and mentees will engage in an open conversation about mentorship and networking. Special remarks by Julia Cheng of CyberlawStudio will precede the breakout session. Julia is a business and technology lawyer specializing in corporate, digital media, technology licensing, and internet law matters and assists clients from business formation, to capital raise, to product and business development, to achieving industry recognition and partnership deals. Julia is also a co-founder and the current president of Out In Tech Inc., the largest LGBTQ+ tech nonprofit serving 40,000 members with 17 chapters in the US and overseas.

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# **COMMITTEE AND CHAPTER** News

# Rocky Mountain Chapter held successful event on February 16

On February 16, the Rocky Mountain Chapter hosted a successful virtual program, titled "Addressing the Broadband Buildout and Infrastructure Gap on Tribal Lands through Consultation and Collaborative Policy Development." Moderated by Conor May, Rocky Mountain Chapter Co-Chair, the program brought together tribal, public and private leaders for a lively discussion on how to close the digital divide on tribal lands across the country. The esteemed panelists included Professor Catherine Sandoval, Santa Clara University; Edyael



Casaperalta, Rural Utilities Service; Eric Cutright, Chief Information Officer, Karuk Tribe; Forest James, President & CEO, Enertribe; and Kirk Burgee, Chief of Staff, FCC, Wireline Competition Bureau. The panelists discussed how to leverage broadband funding to better serve tribal lands and explored how to best bring the tribes themselves into the planning process, through meaningful consultation and collaboration. The Rocky Mountain Chapter would like to express its sincere thanks to all the panelists and attendees for engaging in a meaningful conversation on tribal broadband.

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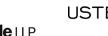


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# Third Annual FCBA WOMEN'S SUMMIT SERIES

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in person at Samsung, 700 Pennsylvania Avenue, SE, Washington, DC, and via Zoom for those who prefer to attend remotely. The afternoon will feature remarks from and conversations with senior government officials and industry leaders; discussions about ways in which organizations can promote and retain women attorneys and implement more transparent compensation practices, as well as strategies for parenting, caregiving, and self-care while practicing law; a smallgroup debrief session; and a cocktail reception to celebrate our achievements and connect with old friends and new.

All are welcome to attend, whether in person or remotely.

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#### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

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New England Chapter will be "wearing the green" while doing a deep dive on the reorganization of public utility regulation in New Hampshire in a program co-hosted with the New Hampshire Department of Energy. The Enforcement Committee offers an opportunity to converse with key officials in the FCC's Enforcement Bureau during what is sure to be a compelling Lunch & Learn program on March 22. And, on March 23, the Young Lawyers Committee will hold a mentoring social that will allow law students and lawyers of all experience levels to interact with LGBTQ+ industry leaders in tech and telecom.

Opportunities for identifying and recognizing leadership also abound in March. The **Young Lawyers Committee** will meet virtually on March 7 to elect the next Young Lawyers Committee Co-Chair. And, in the next few days via email, you'll see the nominees for elected leadership positions in the FCBA and FCBA Foundation for 2022-2023. Many thanks to Nominations Committee Chair Natalie Roisman and Committee Members Parul Desai, Kelsey Guyselman, Russ Hanser, Jennifer Holtz, Will Johnson, Tawanna Lee, Jonathan Mark, Jackie McCarthy, Daudeline Meme, Barry Ohlson, Josh Pila, and Sean Spivey for their tireless work in identifying this year's slate of candidates. And, don't forget about your opportunity to recognize excellence among federal government leaders by nominating them for our Excellence in Government Service Award by the March 18 deadline.

Finally, mark your calendars for April 28, when our **Women's Leadership Committee**, in partnership with the ABA Antitrust Women.Connected Committee, Latinas in Tech – DC Metro, WICT –

Women in Cable Telecommunications (Baltimore/DC Chapter), and the Women's Bar Association of the District of Columbia, will hold a hybrid inperson and virtual Women's Summit in Washington, D.C. This year's program will focus on the future of work in 2022 and beyond. Attendees will hear from senior government officials and industry leaders about how to promote and retain women professionals and implement more transparent administrative practices, as well as strategies for parenting, caregiving, and self-care while working in the law and policy space.

I'm looking forward to celebrating our achievements and connecting with all of you in-person and online this Spring!

Best regards,

**Megan Anne Stull** President, FCBA – The Tech Bar

# **FOUNDATION** News

The FCBA Foundation is now accepting applications for its **Law School Summer Internship Stipend Program** and its **Law School Scholarship Program**!

# FCBA Foundation 2022 Law School Summer Stipend Program

For the 29th consecutive year, the Federal Communications Bar Association (FCBA) Foundation will award stipends to outstanding law students employed as unpaid summer interns, through the FCBA Foundation's Law School Summer Internship Stipend Program.

The FCBA Foundation is actively looking to help 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. **How much are the stipends?** The program provides stipends of up to \$5,000. 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.

Where can recipients work? Over the years, stipends have been used by students to support work in diverse federal, state and local government agencies with a connection to the communications industry. Examples of agencies where recipients can work include the FCC, FTC, NTIA, DOJ, DHS, NIST, and others. Students can also work in Congress and in relevant parts of state and local government.

Where does the money come from? The Law School Summer Internship Stipend Program awards stipends from its FCC Chairman Robert Emmet Lee Scholarship and Internship Fund, and last year provided support to 12 outstanding law students. FCBA individual and corporate members donate money to the FCBA Foundation to support these stipends.

Are there limitations on use of the **funds?** Stipend recipients may be selected before they have finalized their summer plans, so the FCBA Foundation requires recipients to confirm in writing that they

# Meeting of the FCBA Book Group on Technology in Fiction on April 6

The FCBA's Technology in Fiction Book Group will meet virtually on Wednesday, April 6 at 7:00 p.m. ET to discuss Mary Shelley's classic short novel "Frankenstein," also known as "Frankenstein: Or, the Modern Prometheus." Like the myth of Prometheus, who earned Zeus's eternal wrath for giving fire to mortals, Shelley's book is deeply concerned with the relationship between humanity and scientific advance. What does this two-century-old novel have to teach us about artificial intelligence, gene editing, quantum computing, and a host of other emerging technologies?

We invite all FCBA members to join our discussion. There are many editions of Frankenstein, and any one will do, so we encourage anybody who is interested to go ahead and start reading! To sign up, **click here**. If you have any questions, please email Russ Hanser at **rphanser@gmail.com**.

accept an unpaid internship at an eligible agency or government office. Minimum requirements for internship duration and time commitment also apply.

How to apply: The application for the stipend will be available online from Wednesday, February 23 until 11:59 p.m. ET Monday, April 4, 2022. The application and deadlines can be accessed at: https://webportalapp.com/ sp/fcbastipend2022.

**Questions:** If you have any questions about the Foundation Law School Summer Internship Stipend program or application, please contact Janeen Wynn by email at **janeen@fcba.org**.

# FCBA Foundation 2022 Law School Scholarship Program

The FCBA Foundation Law School Scholarship Program provides financial assistance to rising second or third year students currently enrolled in accredited law schools in the United States who have a demonstrated interest in pursuing a career in communications law. The scholarships range from \$2,000 – \$10,000 each, and will be payable to the applicable law school in one lump sum to help cover the student's tuition and other education-related expenses in the 2022-2023 academic year, and will be determined by a number of factors, including financial need and merit.

The application for the scholarship is now available and can be accessed at https://webportalapp.com/sp/ fcbalawscholarship2022. The deadline for submission of applications is 11:59 p.m. ET, Wednesday, April 6, 2022. 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 by email at janeen@fcba.org.

# Get to Know an FCBA MEMBER

# **Kirk Burgee**

#### By: Laura Phillips

I was fortunate to run into Kirk Burgee recently – in person and not virtually! I asked him if he'd be willing to be featured in this column and he graciously agreed. For those of you who don't know Kirk, who is a low-key dynamo, he is the Chief of Staff of the Wireline Competition Bureau at the Federal Communications Commission. He has held that position for about 16 years. He is also a Deputy Director of the FCC's Rural Broadband Auctions Task Force.

# **Q:** What attracted you to the field of communications?

A: I had been doing litigation work for several years after law school and it was a great experience. It's probably not a surprise though that it was quite demanding and, after having done it for some time, I was feeling ready to do something different. Interesting things were happening in telecommunications (this was a few years before the passage of the 1996 Act) and a friend of mine was leaving his position in a telecom practice at a firm. He knew I was interested in making a change and recommended that I apply for his position. I did and I got the job. After working in private practice for about eight years, I was fortunate to be able to join the Commission in the Wireline Competition Bureau, where I've been ever since.

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

A: No, I hadn't thought about telecommunications as a subject

area or destination early on in my career. However, I feel really lucky that things worked out the way they did. It's given me an amazing opportunity to see the historical transformation in telecom up close, essentially as it occurs.

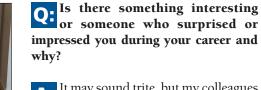
# **Q:** What's the most interesting or challenging thing that you've done in your current position?

Five really enjoyed being in the Chiefof-Staff position, which has given me an opportunity to work with, and get to know, a lot of different people and to work on a variety of issues. I'm able to represent the Bureau in various contexts, and I work on a range of administrative matters for the Bureau (with a lot of help). I also engage with the substance of issues within the Bureau's purview. It's been really rewarding to play even a small part in a very large effort to close the digital divide. I also find that I really enjoy data and mapping, which is a bit ironic since I was a liberal arts major and was never very good at math.

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**A:** It may sound trite, but my colleagues at the FCC impress me every day with how well they do their jobs. Their dedication and talent are truly humbling.

# Q: What do you enjoy reading?

I used to read a lot of books but now mostly read the Sunday papers (a little at a time – it can take all week). When I have some more time, I like to read non-fiction, particularly about things I would never personally do. I'm just finishing up "Blind Man's Bluff: the Untold Story of American Submarine Espionage," by Sherry Sontag. It's a really harrowing account of submarine warfare during the Cold War.

#### **Can you share your perspective on** the pitfalls to avoid or other career advice for those who are just getting started in the communications field?

I've found it's really important to be open to criticism. Even when you've put a lot of effort into something, well-intended feedback should be viewed as an opportunity to make that particular work even better or to improve your skills more generally. I'm one of those people who really appreciates seeing how others edit my work; I know it helps me improve as a writer to get other perspectives (it helps that there are a lot of very good writers at the Commission). I'd suggest that eliciting and listening carefully to constructive review of your work can be a great tool for growth.

#### What's something interesting about you that people are not generally aware of that you're willing to share?

I have an artistic side that isn't very evident. I was voted most artistic in high school, where I got really involved in various forms of printmaking. During law school, I started doing pen-and-ink

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#### KIRK BURGEE

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drawing as a way to unwind from the stress that law school can bring. I haven't done anything art-wise for a long time but hope to return to it at some point.

# **Q:** How has your life changed as a result of COVID-19?

I've been really fortunate that no one I know has suffered serious effects from COVID-19. In terms of change, I generally didn't like to telework before the pandemic but, like many people, have turned around on that topic. The biggest change from our extended time at home is the recent addition of our new dog Bruce, a mixed hound that we adopted in January. I had wanted to get a dog for a long time and he's been such a great addition to the household.

How long have you been an FCBA member and what to you is the value of FCBA membership? I believe I joined in 1994. I've found the FCBA's CLE and other educational programs to be a fantastic resource and I really respect the FCBA's charitable and scholarship work. And, of course, the Chairman's dinners are a lot of fun and I hope they're able to return to the usual format soon. Your question had me thinking about the first Chairman's dinner I attended. I recall Reed Hundt taking a few bows for having successfully completed one of the first big commercial wireless auctions for Personal

Communications Services, after being introduced as the "Six Billion Dollar Man." A lot has happened since then but the FCBA has been a constant, unifying presence, even as it shifted largely online during COVID times.

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

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complex external regulatory reports; and (vi) interacting and negotiating with government officials, customers, and suppliers.

Familiarity with Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States (CFIUS) issues, including national security agreement interpretation, compliance, and mitigation measures. Experience in interacting with U.S. government agencies on compliance issues is a plus.

The ideal candidate will also have experience in cybersecurity issues including security policies; conducting global security compliance assessment/audits; product counseling; and/ or developing incident response procedures. Candidates will possess knowledge and understanding of key international and U.S. security regulatory and industry requirements.

Please email resume to Harisha. bastiampillai@tatacommunications.com.

#### 3.22.2

**Director, Cybersecurity and Policy** – The CTIA Director of Cybersecurity and Policy works closely with the Senior Vice President and General Counsel, and the Assistant Vice President, Cybersecurity and Privacy to further the Association's positions on behalf of its members with respect to developments in cybersecurity.

#### Essential Duties and Responsibilities Include the Following:

- Support the development and advocacy of policy positions on cybersecurity and technology.
- Monitor and analyze relevant activities at the Federal, state, and local levels of government, with an emphasis on National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST).
- Coordinate with member company representatives to disseminate information, develop policy positions and industry goals and objectives, and determine advocacy strategy.

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# **FCBA Unplugged**

**FCBA UNPLUGGED** is a podcast series for and about our beloved FCBA community. FCBA Unplugged features a series of fun, informal conversations between host Kelly Donohue, a Public Policy Manager at Facebook and cochair of the FCBA's Membership and Marketing Committee, and you, our FCBA members! While it's certainly no proxy for in-person events, it's a fun opportunity to collectively check in with our FCBA friends and family while we are all working from home in our pajama bottoms, and maybe discover a few hidden talents along the way.



**ABOUT OUR PODCAST!** You can check out previous episodes here: https://www.buzzsprout.com/1458427.

**HOW CAN I LISTEN AND SUPPORT THE SHOW?** We're available on Spotify, Apple Podcasts, on the FCBA website - https://www.fcba.org/products-services/podcast, and at https://www.buzzsprout.com/1458427. Please tune in, leave a review, and tell the world about the show on Facebook, Instagram, LinkedIn, and Twitter!

**CAN I BE ON THE SHOW?** If you have ideas for topics or guests, or would like to be on the show yourself, send Kelly an email at **kellydonohue@fb.com**. The suggestion box is open!

# **JOB** Bank

- Meet with Federal and other Governmental representatives to advocate on behalf of Association positions.
- Conduct research; draft pleadings, op-eds, talking points and other materials.
- Manage engagement with outside counsel and other consultants.
- Represent the Association at conferences, seminars, and other regulatory and industry meetings.
- Respond to requests for information from members of the Association, federal regulatory agencies and the Executive Branch.
- Reinforce CTIA's reputation as an effective advocate and thought-leader in tech and telecom matters.

#### **Supervisory Responsibilities: (If Applicable)**: N/A

#### **Competency:**

**Project Management** – Coordinates projects. **Customer Service** – Responds to requests for service and assistance; Meets commitments. **Interpersonal Skills** – Ability to maintain confidential information.

Written Communication – Writes clearly and informatively; edits work for spelling and grammar; able to read and interpret written information.

**Teamwork** – Contributes to building a positive team spirit.

**Judgment** – Exhibits sound and accurate judgment.

Planning/Organizing – Prioritize and plans work activities; Uses time efficiently. Professionalism – Approaches others in a tactful manner; Reacts well under pressure; Treats others with respect and consideration regardless of their status or position. Quality – Demonstrates accuracy and

thoroughness.

**Attendance/Punctuality** – Is consistently at work and on time; Arrives to meetings and appointments on time.

**Dependability** – Follows instructions, responds to management direction.

#### **Qualifications:**

- Familiarity with wireless/telecom industry and with key policy issues affecting the industry.
- Knowledge of NIST initiatives and workstreams preferred, including NIST Cybersecurity Framework.
- Understanding of wireless technology.
- Excellent writing skills. Writes clearly and informatively; edits work for spelling and grammar; able to read and interpret written information.
- Strong interpersonal skills and the ability to work with large, dynamic groups representing association membership.
- B.A (or B.S.); and J.D. (or other appropriate professional or graduate degree). Experience in federal regulatory and administrative

procedures and strong technical background strongly preferred.

 Detail-oriented with knowledge of grammar and punctuation. Proficiency in proofreading skills and strong communications skills are required.

This list describes general duties and responsibilities. It is not a complete list of duties. Incumbents may be required to perform additional tasks related to these duties.

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# Candidates can send resumes to HR@ctia.org.

#### 3.22.3

**Director, Regulatory Affairs** – The CTIA Director, Regulatory Affairs is responsible for formulating and implementing the federal regulatory policy objectives of the Association.

#### Essential duties:

- Work with the SVP Regulatory Affairs to develop and advocate Association's positions on regulatory policy issues before the FCC and other Federal Government agencies and departments
- Stay abreast of relevant Governmental initiatives and proceedings and inform the SVP Regulatory Affairs and Association's members of matters being considered by the FCC, other federal regulatory agencies and the Executive Branch
- Coordinate with Association teams and member company representatives to disseminate information, develop policy positions and industry goals and objectives, and determine advocacy strategy
- Conduct research on precedent, laws and regulations, and other policy initiatives
- Manage engagement with external consultants and counsel
- Draft filings in proceedings before the FCC and other regulatory agencies or departments
- Assist, as appropriate, other Association departments in connection with requests for information on regulatory policies
- Meet with FCC and other Governmental representatives to present Association position on issues
- Respond to requests for information from members of the Association and federal regulatory agencies
- Assist in the development and implementation of regulatory policy programming for CTIA's tradeshow and other educational events

• Experience with wireless and spectrum issues preferred

#### Supervisory responsibilities: None

#### **Competency:**

**Subject Matter Expertise** – Comprehensive knowledge of Federal regulation of wireless communications

**Quality** – Demonstrates accuracy and thoroughness.

Professionalism – Approaches others in a tactful manner; Reacts well under pressure; Treats others with respect and consideration regardless of their status or position. Judgment – Exhibits sound and accurate

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**Project Management** – Coordinates projects effectively. Uses time efficiently.

**Customer Service** – Responds to requests for service and assistance; Meets commitments. **Teamwork** – Contributes to building a positive team spirit.

**Interpersonal Skills** – Maintains confidentiality.

Written Communication – Writes clearly and informatively; edits work for spelling and grammar; able to read and interpret written information.

**Planning/Organizing** – Prioritize and plans work activities; Uses time efficiently. **Attendance/Punctuality** – Is consistently at work and on time; Arrives at meetings and appointments on time.

**Dependability** – Follows instructions, responds to management direction.

#### Qualifications:

Microsoft Word for Windows, PowerPoint, Outlook, Excel, and Internet. B.A (or B.S.) and J.D. Experience in federal regulatory and administrative procedures preferred.

Detail-oriented with knowledge of grammar and punctuation. Proficiency in proofreading skills and strong communications skills are required.

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# **JOB** Bank

#### 3.22.4

#### Director/Senior Director of Policy (Telecommunications), Washington, DC

(Telecommute flexibility) – The Information Technology Industry Council (ITI), the premier advocacy and policy organization for the world's leading innovation companies, is seeking a Director/Senior Director of Policy (Telecommunications) to drive the development and advocacy of ITI's telecommunications policy positions and lead international policy development and advocacy on these issues. This position is currently remote with flexible telecommute options.

ITI seeks candidates with a bachelor's degree plus a minimum of three years of experience developing and implementing relevant policy issues. Experience working on telecom policy issues and experience in government affairs and public policy, including industry affairs and coalition building, is required.

In addition to an open, friendly, and flexible work atmosphere, ITI offers employees a comprehensive health insurance and benefits package. ITI is committed to attracting creative, talented, and energetic team members who represent the diverse communities for which they advocate.

For additional information and to apply, please click here (or copy/paste link to a new window):

#### https://recruitcrm.io/ apply/16449736591460013318wvJ

#### 3.22.5

Senior Counsel - Altice USA is seeking an experienced attorney to join the Government Affairs team to help lead the work on federal regulatory and legislative issues that impact the company's wireline and wireless communications services, data advertising businesses, content services, and general corporate business issues. This position requires at least 8 years of experience on federal regulatory and legislative issues, including legal analysis of the policy proposals as well as interpretation of the impact on businesses of such policies being considered. Candidates must have proven legal analytical skills, excellent written and oral advocacy skills, and the organizational and multitasking skills

necessary to manage multiple high profile regulatory/legislative issues. The position must be able to engage collaboratively across all levels of the organization to ensure understanding of the impact of proposed regulations on the business as well as to identify opportunities to improve policy rules to support business objectives.

#### **Qualifications:**

- JD degree, admission to a state bar and minimum of 8 years' experience with regulatory and/or legislative policy issues in the communications industry either in government, a law firm and/or as in-house counsel.
- Excellent regulatory/legislative analytical and drafting skills and strong ability to efficiently explain policy issues in written communication.
- Strong ability to analyze complex business and legal issues (including relevant contract, IP and licensing issues) and problem solve.
- Excellent interpersonal skills, including ability to work as part of a team and drive a large group process to conclusion.
- Strong attention to detail and organizational skills.
- Demonstrated ability to work in a fast-paced, entrepreneurial environment and to perform well under pressure while performing multiple tasks.
- Ability to work a flexible schedule.
- Self-starter interested in dynamic and growing company with non-traditional approach.

#### To apply, please submit a resume and any supporting materials to Caprice.Henry10@ AlticeUSA.com

#### To learn more, please click here.

Altice USA is about connections. We connect our customers to friends and family, shows they love, advertising that resonates and news that matters. We're building a workforce that thrives on collaboration, inclusion, and innovation. We hope connecting you to a potential role is just the beginning.

Requirements of this position include demonstration of either full vaccination status against COVID-19 or company-provided weekly COVID-19 testing. Altice USA is an Equal Opportunity Employer committed to recruiting, hiring and promoting qualified people of all backgrounds regardless of gender, race, color, creed, national origin, religion, age, marital status, pregnancy, physical or mental disability, sexual orientation, gender identity, military or veteran status, or any other basis protected by federal, state, or local law.

#### GOVERNMENT

#### 3.22.6

Attorney-Adviser – The National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA) is the Executive Branch agency that is principally responsible for advising the President on telecommunications and information policy issues. NTIA's programs and policymaking focus largely on expanding broadband deployment and adoption in America through high priority federal grant programs, increasing digital equity, and expanding the use of spectrum by all users. The NTIA Office of Chief Counsel provides legal advice and counsel to the NTIA Administrator, Deputy Administrator and all NTIA components regarding the powers, duties, and responsibilities of the agency; its relationship with other government departments and agencies, Congress, industry, and private organizations; and the development and administration of NTIA policies and programs. NTIA is seeking Attorney-Adviser candidates with top academic and professional credentials with 5 to 10 years of experience in the areas of telecommunications and information law, specifically with a background in broadband deployment, federal financial assistance, and/or cybersecurity. Candidates must meet federal hiring standards for attorneys. The Department of Commerce does not condone or tolerate discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, physical or mental disability, or sexual orientation. The Department is an equal opportunity employer, and that it provides reasonable accommodations to applicants with disabilities where appropriate. The 2022 federal salary range for these positions are projected as \$106,823 - \$176,300 (GS 13/1 -15/10). To apply, please send a cover letter and resume to resumes@ntia.gov no later than 5:00 p.m. Eastern Daylight Time on March 31, 2022.

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# Monday, March 14, 5:30 – 7:00 p.m. ET (pre-event from 5:30 – 6:00 p.m. ET)

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# **FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS BAR ASSOCIATION ANNUAL SEMINAR** Sponsorship Commitment Form

## APRIL 1-3, 2022

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# FCBA 2022 ANNUAL SEMINAR Registration Form

# April 1-3, The Omni Homestead Resort, Hot Springs, VA

#### PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Registrant's Name	Registrant	\$ _
Organization	Plus Spouse/Guest	\$ _
Address	Plus Teens (ages 13 to 18) Plus Children (ages 4 to 12)	\$
Suite/Room/Apt	Plus Golf Tournament	\$
City/State/Zip	Plus Cascades Gorge Hike (ages 12 and up)	\$
Phone	Plus Cascades Gorge Hike (ages 5 to 11) TOTAL REGISTRATION FEES	\$
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Your Golf Handicap	_
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Name of Person(s) for Hike	_

#### **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	\$175.00
Cascades Gorge Hike (ages 12 and up)	\$25.00
Cascades Gorge Hike (ages 5 to 11)	\$10.00

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Plus Spouse/Guest	\$
Plus Teens (ages 13 to 18)	\$
Plus Children (ages 4 to 12)	\$
Plus Golf 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 March 14, 2022. Cancellations will be accepted and FCBA registration fees refunded (less a \$50.00 cancellation fee per person) if notice is received no later than March 14, 2022. No refunds will be granted after this date. If for any reason FCBA cancels this seminar, it will issue refunds for registration costs, but 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 emailed request to the FCBA.

The Annual Seminar Registration Fee includes attendance at the seminars, Friday and Saturday receptions and dinners, Saturday and Sunday breakfasts, and Saturday evening's Kids Banquet. Meals and activities not sponsored by FCBA are the responsibility of attendees.

#### EMAIL OR MAIL REGISTRATION

No registrations will be processed without payment. If paying by credit card, you may email your registration to Elizabeth Hagerty at elizabeth@fcba.org. If paying by check, please mail your registration to: FCBA, 1020 19th Street, NW, Suite 325, Washington, DC 20036. We strongly encourage you to pay by credit card to avoid delays. We are still accepting payment by check, but the processing of registrations with check payments may be delayed.

# FCBA WOMEN'S SUMMIT SERIES Sponsorship Form

# April 28, 2022 ~ 1:00 - 6:30 p.m. ET

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# FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS BAR ASSOCIATION 2021-2022 COMMITTEE AND CHAPTER Registration

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#### **STANDING COMMITTEES**

Access to Government	Legislative
Annual Seminar	Mass Media
Commendations and Acknowledgements	Membership and Marketing
Conference Planning	National Telecommunications and Technology Moot Court Competition
Constitution and By-laws	Privacy and Data Security
Continuing Legal Education	Professional Responsibility
Diversity	Relations with Other Bar Associations
Enforcement	Social Media
Engineering and Technical	State and Local Practice
Homeland Security and Emergency Communications	Transactional
Intellectual Property	Video Programming and Distribution
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Judicial Practice	Wireline
Law Journal	Young Lawyers

#### AD HOC COMMITTEES

Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, and Robotics
Connected and Autonomous Vehicles
Consumer Protection
Cybersecurity
Diversity Pipeline Committee

Emerging Issues in Technology
Internet of Things
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Women's Leadership

#### CHAPTERS

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Atlanta	
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New England	
New York	

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: 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 7	Young Lawyers Committee Co-Chair Election
March 9	CLE Seminar: Implementation of the FCC's Affordable Connectivity Program presented by the Wireline Committee
March 10	Mass Media and Young Lawyers Committees Lunch and Learn
March 14	Winter Celebration featuring FCC Chairwoman Jessica Rosenworcel
March 16	CLE Seminar: Technology Standards and Competitiveness: The Role of International Standards Processes in Promoting U.S. Leadership in Emerging Communications Technologies presented by the Engineering & Technical and International Telecommunications Committees
March 18	Nominations for the Excellence in Government Service Award Deadline
March 22	Enforcement Committee Lunch and Learn
March 23	Young Lawyers Committee LGBTQ+ Mentoring Social
April 1-3	FCBA Annual Seminar at the Omni Homestead in Hot Springs, VA
April 6	Meeting of the FCBA Book Group on Technology in Fiction
April 28	3rd Annual FCBA Women's Summit – Session II
May 24	CLE Seminar: Implementing 988 and the Future of Tailored Emergency Communications presented by the Homeland Security and Emergency Communications Committee



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