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October 2015

Newsletter of the Federal Communications Bar Association

FCBA Luncheon with FTC Chairwoman Ramirez on October 8

The FCBA will hold a luncheon on **Thursday, October 8** featuring FTC Chairwoman Edith Ramirez. The luncheon will be held at the Grand Hyatt, 1000 H Street, NW. Registration will open at 11:30 a.m. and the luncheon will begin at Noon. Please note that tables of 10 are available, although you cannot register online for this option; you must download the form and fax or email it in with attendee names.



Edith Ramirez

2013. At the FTC, Chairwoman Ramirez has focused on promoting competition and innovation in the technology and healthcare sectors, protecting consumers from deceptive and unfair practices, and safeguarding consumer privacy.

Before joining the FTC, Chairwoman Ramirez was a partner in the Los Angeles office of Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan, LLP, where she litigated complex

business disputes, including intellectual property, antitrust, unfair competition, and advertising matters.

Edith Ramirez was sworn in as a Commissioner of the Federal Trade Commission in April 2010 and became Chairwoman of the FTC in March

She is a graduate of Harvard Law School, where she was an editor of the *Harvard Law Review*, and Harvard College.

26th Annual FCBA Charity Auction on November 5

The FCBA Young Lawyers Committee and the FCBA Foundation will hold their 26th Annual Charity Auction on **Thursday, November 5** at the **Sphinx Club at the Almas Temple, 1315 K Street, NW, Washington, DC**, from approximately **6:30 – 10:00 p.m.** Admission is free and the event is open to the public.

Proceeds from this year's Auction will benefit two charitable organizations: **The Fishing School** and the **FCBA Foundation**. Founded in 1990 by retired Metropolitan police officer Tom Lewis, The Fishing School (TFS) prepares public school elementary and middle school students for success in

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29th Annual Chairman's Dinner on December 3

The **29th Annual Chairman's Dinner** will be held **Thursday, December 3** at the Washington Hilton, 1919 Connecticut Avenue, NW. The evening will begin with a reception at 6:00 p.m., followed by dinner at 7:30 p.m. in the International Ballroom and will be followed by remarks from FCC Chairman Tom Wheeler. Sponsor's tables include a \$350.00 tax deductible donation to the FCBA Foundation.



Tom Wheeler

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This Month's Key Events

Privacy and Data Security and Telehealth Committees CLE Seminar

Date/Time: Monday, October 19, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m.

Location: Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice, LLP, 1200 19th Street, NW, Suite 500

Topic: Health Data Privacy: An Exploration of Policy, Business and Technological Considerations

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Young Lawyers Committee Brown Bag Breakfast

Date/Time: Tuesday, October 20, 8:30 – 9:45 a.m.

Location: Wiley Rein LLP, 1776 K Street, NW

Topic: Ignite Talks – A rapid-fire series of 5-minute presentations on key topics in communications law

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Legislative Committee Happy Hour

Date/Time: Wednesday, October 21, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Location: The Monocle Restaurant, 107 D Street, NE

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Professional Responsibility Committee CLE Seminar

Date/Time: Thursday, October 22, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m.

Location: Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP, 1800 M Street, NW

Topic: Ethics 101 for the Communications Lawyer

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Privacy and Data Security Brown Bag Lunch

Date/Time: Thursday, October 29, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

Location: FCC, 445 12th Street, SW, Conference Room TBD

Topic: Meet and Greet with the Enforcement Bureau's Telecom Consumer Division

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CHAIRMAN'S DINNER

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Please use the registration form on [page 21](#) to order tables or individual tickets.

INVITING GOVERNMENT GUESTS

Pursuant to the Office of Government Ethics regulation on widely-attended gatherings (5 C.F.R. 2635.204(g)(2)), the Chairman's Dinner appears to qualify as a widely attended gathering. The value of an individual ticket to the dinner is \$275.00. Most employees of the Federal Communications Commission may be directly invited to attend the dinner as guests of individuals and organizations purchasing tables or tickets. In most cases, individuals and organizations may issue invitations to the Chairman's Dinner without the involvement of the FCBA. Some agencies, departments and branches of the Federal Government, however, apply additional stipulations

above the regulations issued by the Office of Government Ethics. Individuals who have signed the Administration's Ethics pledge cannot accept invitations from most registered lobbying organizations or registered lobbyists. While this event has qualified as a widely-attended-gathering in previous years, each FCC employee is required to obtain individual ethics clearance based on matters they are working on within the Commission. Employees of the Commerce Department are required to obtain individual ethics clearance through the Department's Office of General Counsel. Invitations to Members of Congress, Congressional Staff, and employees of the Department of State must be issued by the FCBA. Contact the FCBA for additional information.

Requests for invitations to be sent from the FCBA must be emailed to chairmans.dinner@fcba.org by Monday, November 16. Invitations will be sent on a "first-come, first-served" basis.

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 6:00 – 8:30 p.m. Additionally, for CLE seminars we need facilities that can provide technology support for microphones for as many as six speakers on a panel, the ability to tie the house sound system into a teleconference bridge, and video projection capabilities for PowerPoint presentations. If your firm or company has the needed conference room facilities and capabilities and would be willing to host future FCBA activities, please email **Kerry Loughney**, kerry@fcba.org or **Starsha Valentine**, starsha@fcba.org.



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Monday, October 19, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. Health Data Privacy: An Exploration of Policy, Business and Technological Considerations

The FCBA Privacy and Data Security and Telehealth Committees will host a CLE on **Monday, October 19** from **6:00 – 8:15 p.m.** entitled “Health Data Privacy: An Exploration of Policy, Business and Technological Considerations.” This program will be held at Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice, LLP, 1200 19th Street, NW, Suite 500.

Consumers are using connected health and wellness devices and apps to track symptoms, activity and nutrition. Disruptors in the delivery of health care, such as retail pharmacy locations, provide new alternatives to the traditional health care model, while established health care providers address evolving industry incentives and a rapidly-expanding array of health technologies. All of these trends are increasing collection and access points for the use and sharing of health data, and lead to questions about how stakeholders use, share and analyze this data, how well such data is protected, and the transparency of these data practices. Join us as we explore the various policy, business and technology issues surrounding the collection, storage and transmission of health data.

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

Agenda

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

6:05 – 7:05 p.m.
THE POLICY LANDSCAPE

This panel will discuss existing legislative and regulatory impacting health data privacy, with an eye towards how policymakers and privacy advocates recommend addressing new entrants and technologies in this space.

Moderator:

Jackie McCarthy, Director of Wireless Internet Development, CTIA-The Wireless Association; FCBA Telehealth Committee Co-Chair

Speakers:

Michelle De Mooy, Deputy Director, Consumer Privacy, Center for Democracy & Technology

Cora Han, Senior Attorney, Division of Privacy and Identity Protection, Federal Trade Commission

Jules Polonetsky, Executive Director and Co-Chair, Future of Privacy Forum

7:05 – 7:15 p.m.
BREAK

7:15 – 8:15 p.m.
**BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY
OUTLOOK**

This panel will provide examples of how health care providers, retail brands and entrepreneurs are revolutionizing health and wellness through the use of data. We will discuss how new technologies impact business models, and offer insights on public policy that balances innovation with protecting privacy.

Moderator:

Douglas G. Bonner, Partner, Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice, LLP; FCBA Privacy & Data Security Committee Co-Chair

Speakers:

Hank Fanberg, Technology Advocacy, Christus Health

Mark Merolli, Senior Counsel, Connected Fitness, Under Armour

Kevin Nicholson, VP of Public Policy & Regulatory Affairs, National Association of Chain Drug Stores

Morgan Reed, Executive Director, ACT | The App Association

Thursday, October 22, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. Ethics 101 for the Communications Lawyer

The FCBA Professional Responsibility Committee will host a CLE on **Thursday, October 22** from **6:00 – 8:15 p.m.** entitled “Ethics 101 for the Communications Lawyer.” This program will be held at Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP, 1800 M Street, NW (note new address).

A panel of experts will review the Rules of Professional Responsibility in the District of Columbia, Virginia, and the American Bar Association Model Rules which apply to issues communications lawyers regularly face in seeking to practice ethically. Relatively new practitioners can use this program as an excellent opportunity to master, and more experienced attorneys can use it to refresh, skills in applying ethics rules to transactional, regulatory and litigation practice. Panelists will illustrate their material with hypotheticals from day-to-day Federal Communications Commission (FCC) practice.

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Agenda

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

6:05 – 8:15 p.m.
ETHICS 101

A panel of experts will review professional responsibility rules, including those pertaining to conflicts, confidentiality, fees, advertising and marketing. Two hour-long sessions will highlight:

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- Choice of law in ethics and its effect on FCC practice
- Conflicts and multiple representations of clients:
 - Positional conflicts among various clients in rulemaking proceedings
 - Business conflicts vs. legal conflicts
 - Conflicts between a client and an affiliate of the same client
 - Representation of ad hoc coalitions of clients in rulemaking proceedings;
 - Representation of formal associations and individual clients in rulemakings
 - Avoiding conflicts with a potential client
- Trust and operating accounts and the appropriate placement of client retainers, deposits or fixed fees
- Client confidentiality and the special issues presented by the anti-collusion and professional responsibility rules in the upcoming incentive auction

Moderator:

Theodore D. Frank, Partner (Retired), Arnold & Porter, LLP, Former Chair, District of Columbia Board of Professional Responsibility

Speakers:

George R. Clark, George R. Clark, Esq., District of Columbia Bar Rules of Professional Conduct Review Committee Chair (2009 - 12); Secretary, Association of Professional Responsibility Lawyers

Thomas B. Mason, Partner, Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP, Chair, Legal Ethics and Malpractice Group; Former Chair D.C. Bar Legal Ethics Committee 2009-2012

Lawrence J. Movshin, Partner and General Counsel, Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP

There will be one ten-minute break.

Thursday, November 12, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. Lobbying Capitol Hill: What Attorneys Need to Know

The FCBA **Legislative Committee** will host a CLE on **Thursday, November 12** from **6:00 – 8:15 p.m.** entitled “Lobbying Capitol Hill: What Attorneys Need to Know.” This program will be held at Mayer Brown LLP, 1999 K Street, NW.

Attorneys advocating on behalf of clients on Capitol Hill have to comply with certain disclosure requirements as well as be cognizant of the impact on attorney-client privilege of the disclosure of information to Members of Congress and their staffs. Attorneys also need to understand that making presentations on Capitol Hill are different than advocacy done in court or at administrative agencies.

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

Agenda

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

6:05 – 7:05 p.m.
ETHICAL RESPONSIBILITIES

The first panel will explore the ethical responsibilities lawyers have in relation to engaging in advocacy with Members of Congress and Congressional staff. The panel will discuss the disclosure of such meetings required by the Lobbying Disclosure Act, and issues related to the preservation of attorney-client privilege.

7:05 – 7:15 p.m.
BREAK

7:15 – 8:15 p.m.
TECHNICAL TRENDS AND CHALLENGES

The second panel will be composed of practitioners, including former

Congressional staff, who will explain how to make presentations to Members of Congress and their staffs. The panel will examine how to effectively present arguments in the legislative arena, and how such arguments can differ from what attorneys present in court or at administrative agencies.

Tuesday, November 17, 6:00 - 8:15 p.m. Merger Review: A Recap of the Comcast/Time Warner Cable/ Charter and AT&T/ DIRECTV Proceedings

The FCBA **Transactional Practice Committee** will host a CLE on **Tuesday, November 17** from **6:00 - 8:15 p.m.** entitled “Merger Review: A Recap of the Comcast/Time Warner Cable/Charter and AT&T/DIRECTV Proceedings.” This program will be held at a location to be determined.

Earlier this year, the FCC and Department of Justice completed their review of two major transactions with the potential to reshape the multichannel video distribution industry. The first, in which Comcast proposed to acquire cable systems from Time Warner Cable while also divesting certain cable systems to either Charter or a newly-created GreatLand Communications, was essentially rejected by the regulators. The second, in which AT&T proposed to acquire DIRECTV, was approved. This seminar will explore the factors that shaped those proceedings, both as perceived by the regulators and by the merging parties, and seek to identify lessons to be learned for future media mergers.

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CHARITY AUCTION

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high school and life by improving their academic performance and life skills; and engaging them and their parents in intensive, multi-year, and research-based out of school time and parent engagement programs and activities. Named after the adage, "If you give a man a fish, you will feed him for a day. Teach him how to fish, and he will feed himself for a lifetime," TFS believes that children succeed in school when they are provided support in math and reading, develop sound life skills, and when their parents are engaged. TFS supports over 400 students from DC's most underserved communities in Wards 6, 7, and 8, and engages them in a multi-year program model designed to give them the academic and social tools to succeed in their academic and workplace careers. The FCBA Foundation will use proceeds from the Charity Auction to support its annual scholarship program.

The Charity Auction is one of Washington, DC's premier "must-attend" events for the communications industry. The event features a live auction hosted by a professional auctioneer, silent auctions, online auction, and raffle drawings. Attendees should expect surprises and new and exciting prizes building on last year's event, including vacation packages; consumer electronics; tickets to Verizon Center events, concerts, theater shows, and various professional and collegiate sporting events; dinners; lunches; spa packages; and gift certificates from area businesses.

Over the past 25 years, the Charity Auction has raised more than \$1.5 million

for DC-based organizations, including the DC Children's Advocacy Center, STEP/I Have a Dream, the Charitable Coalition for Children with Cancer, Kids Enjoy Exercise Now, Fair Chance, Kid Power-DC, Horton's Kids, Bright Beginnings, Project Wait No Longer, Sitar Arts Center, THC – Housing Families, Transforming Lives, Horizons Greater Washington, and BUILD Metro DC.

If you have any questions about the Charity Auction, please contact **Rachael**

Bender (202-756-4166, rbender@mobilefuture.org) or **Starsha Valentine** (202-293-4000, starsha@fcba.org).

If you are interested in donating a prize, use the **Auction Donation Form** on [page 20](#) of this newsletter. Contributions are tax deductible, to the extent permitted by law. If you are interested in volunteering for the Auction, please send an email to FCBAuction@gmail.com.

"I love the vibe of the Charity Auction because it reflects the vibe of our Bar: energetic, dedicated, and competitive when we need to be... but always supportive. Bid early and often, folks!"
-- Julie Kearney, CEA

"I always enjoy learning more about the auction beneficiaries, and I am very excited to support the Fishing School and the FCBA Foundation this year!"
-- Mark Brennan, Hogan Lovells

"Watching folks nonchalantly loitering by their targeted bid sheet as the tables are closing, poised to pounce if a competing bidder swoops in at the last minute."
-- Diane Cornell, FCC

"Enjoying the culmination of months of hard work by members of the Auction Committee and the FCBA, including volunteers from throughout the bar, to support a great cause."
-- Justin Faulb, NAB

The Young Lawyers Committee asks... What are you most looking forward to at this year's Charity Auction?

26th Annual FCBA Charity Auction
Nov. 5, 2015 | Almas Temple | 1315 K St. NW | 6:30 - 10:00

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The FCLJ is Looking for Articles

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

2015 FCBA Membership Directories

The FCBA 2015 Membership Directories have been mailed to members. Please use the order form on [page 23](#) to order additional copies for your office.

COMMITTEE AND CHAPTER *Events*

FCC Enforcement Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch

Date/Time: Monday, October 5, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

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

Topic: Enforcement Committee: “The Year Ahead.” This is an opportunity for the committee to come together to discuss the events that are currently in the works and brainstorm other events we could hold and topics we would like to address over the next year.

Speakers: Hosted by FCBA Enforcement Committee co-Chairs, Steve Augustino, Dennis Corbett, and Jeffrey Gee

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

Legislative Committee

Event: Happy Hour

Date/Time: Wednesday, October 21, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Location: The Monocle Restaurant, 107 D Street, NE, (202) 546-4488

Topic: Come join us on Capitol Hill for an informal happy hour to meet and greet Hill staff working on telecommunications issues.

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

Event: CLE Seminar

Date/Time: Thursday, November 12, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m.

Location: Mayer Brown LLP, 1999 K Street, NW

Topic: Lobbying Capitol Hill: What Attorneys Need to Know

More information: See [page 4](#).

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Mobile Payments Committee

Event: Webinar

Date/Time: Thursday, November 19, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

Topic: International Developments and New Cross-Border Challenges for Mobile Payments

To RSVP: Contact Mark Brennan (mark.brennan@hoganlovells.com).

Privacy and Data Security Committee

Event: CLE Seminar co-hosted by the Telehealth Committee

Date/Time: Monday, October 19, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m.

Location: Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice, LLP, 1200 19th Street, NW, Suite 500

Topic: Health Data Privacy: An Exploration of Policy, Business and Technological Considerations

More information: See [page 3](#).

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

Event: Brown Bag Lunch

Date/Time: Thursday, October 29, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

Location: FCC, 445 12th Street, SW, Conference Room TBD

Topic: Meet and Greet with the Enforcement Bureau's Telecom Consumer Division Chief Rick Hindman, Deputy Division Chief David Valdez, and Assistant Division Chief, Michael Epshteyn. Please join us for an informative discussion over lunch with Rick Hindman and his team. We're sure to learn more about the division's priorities for protecting consumer privacy.

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

Professional Responsibility Committee

Event: CLE Seminar

Date/Time: Thursday, October 22, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m.

Location: Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP, 1800 M Street, NW (note new address)

Topic: Ethics 101 for the Communications Lawyer

More information: See [page 3](#).

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Telehealth Committee

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

Date/Time: Monday, October 19, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m.

Location: Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice, LLP, 1200 19th Street, NW, Suite 500

Topic: Health Data Privacy: An Exploration of Policy, Business and Technological Considerations

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Transactional Practice Committee

Event: CLE Seminar

Date/Time: Tuesday, November 17, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m.

Location: TBD

Topic: Merger Review: A Recap of the Comcast/Time Warner Cable/Charter and AT&T/DIRECTV Proceedings

More information: See [page 4](#).

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

Young Lawyers Committee

Event: Happy Hour

Date/Time: Thursday, October 15, 6:00 p.m.

Location: City Tap House, 901 9th Street, NW

Details: Please join the YLC for a break from everyone's hard work on the Charity Auction. This will be a great time to catch up with friends and colleagues before the busy night of the Charity Auction!

For more information: Contact Kristine Fargotstein (KFargotstein@gmail.com) or Rachael Bender (RBender@mobilefuture.org).

Event: Brown Bag Breakfast

Date/Time: Tuesday, October 20, 8:30 – 9:45 a.m.

Location: Wiley Rein, 1776 K Street, NW

Topic: Ignite Talks. BYOB (bring your own bagel) and join members of the YLC for a new learning format: a rapid-fire series of 5-minute presentations on key topics in communications law. Subject matter experts will bring you up to speed on issues from privacy to mobile and many more. Coffee encouraged!

Speaker(s): Josh Bercu (Wilkinson Barker Knauer), Jessica Lyons (Wiley Rein), Sade Oshinubi (PCIA), Davina Sashkin (Fletcher, Heald & Hildreth), additional panelists to be announced. Moderated by Alex Reynolds (CEA).

For more information: Contact Kristine Fargotstein (KFargotstein@gmail.com) or Alex Reynolds (AREynolds@ce.org).

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



Cindy Miller, FCBA Florida Chapter Co-chair; Will Cox, Florida Power & Light; Dr. Shuyuan Mary Ho of Florida State University; Dave Millier, CSO of Quick Intelligence; David Konuch, EVP and Chief Privacy Officer, Quick Intelligence

Florida Chapter Seminar held September 11

The Florida Chapter of the FCBA once again partnered with the Administrative Law Section of the Florida Bar to host a public utility seminar on September 11. The topics included current issues related to Net Neutrality and Cybersecurity. On net neutrality, Dr. Mark Jamison of the University of Florida Public Utility Research Center moderated an interesting panel discussion. Jennifer Schneider, Vice President of Legislative Affairs at Frontier Communications, discussed Frontier's perspective on the FCC's Net Neutrality Order.

A University of Florida economist, Subhajyoti Bandyopadhyay, described the situation from an economics perspective.

The speakers on Cybersecurity received great interest. Dr. Shuyuan Mary Ho, professor of cybersecurity at Florida State

University, described how new positive developments, such as the smart grid and devices connected through the Internet of Things, create cybersecurity concerns. Dave Millier of Quick Intelligence emphasized that the heads of entities must be involved in cybersecurity concerns and the impact of cybersecurity breaches on utilities.

Also, David Konuch of Quick Intelligence discussed the case of FTC v. Wyndham, and related cybersecurity legal and compliance issues.

Topics on public records and negotiated rulemakings were also well received. Chapter Co-chairs Cindy Miller, Beth Keating, David Konuch and Will Cox all assisted in putting together an outstanding CLE program. Over 25 people attended this annual event and we are looking forward to next year's event.

26th Annual Charity Auction – Call for Volunteers

The Auction Committee is seeking volunteers to sell raffle tickets and volunteer the night of the 26th Annual Charity Auction, to be held on Thursday, November 5 from 6:30 to 10:00 p.m. Volunteering offers a great opportunity to get involved and give back. Each volunteer's donation of his or her time and support—no matter how small—can make a big difference! Together, we can make this year's Charity Auction one of the most successful auctions yet! To get started, send an e-mail to FCBAuction@gmail.com.

To Update Your Membership Contact Information

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

Wednesday, October 21, 8:30 – 11:45 a.m. How Will the FCC's Open Internet Order (OIO) Affect Your Business?

MARRIOTT MARQUIS, SAN FRANCISCO, CA

Presented in Association with Davis Wright Tremaine LLP and COMPTTEL

Find out at **The FCC's Open Internet Order: Key Issues for Carriers and ISPs**, a half-day workshop sponsored by Davis Wright Tremaine LLP. This informative event will take place on Wednesday, October 21 from 8:30 – 11:45 a.m. during **COMPTTEL PLUS** in San Francisco. It is free to attend, whether or not you will be attending the COMPTTEL PLUS Fall Expo. This program is approved for 3.25 California CLE general credits.

This workshop wraps up the conference by exploring the order's impact on the telecommunications industry landscape, including providers' privacy and security-related responsibilities as well as the possible extension of universal service obligations to broadband providers.

Agenda

8:30 – 9:45 a.m. OPEN INTERNET ORDER 101: EVERYTHING YOU WANTED TO KNOW, BUT WERE AFRAID TO ASK

An overview of the FCC's statutory interpretation in the OIO and its regulatory/policy decisions. The presenters will also explain the implications of the FCC's reclassification of broadband Internet access services for universal service contribution obligations and the possible impact on the FCC's long-awaited contribution reform.

Speakers: Chris Savage and Danielle Frappier, Davis Wright Tremaine; Joseph Cavender, VP & Assistant General Counsel, Level 3 Communications

9:45 – 11:00 a.m. PRIVACY AND SECURITY UNDER THE OIO: NEW REQUIREMENTS AND CHALLENGES FOR TELECOM CARRIERS AND BROADBAND INTERNET ACCESS PROVIDERS AND IMPLICATIONS FOR EDGE PROVIDERS

This regulatory change concerns the expansion of the Commission's authority to regulate and police the privacy and security practices of both carriers and broadband Internet access service providers. Learn what you need to know about the FCC's Section 222 jurisdiction and what you as a provider must do to avoid potential exposure to penalties for privacy, security and data breach violations.

Speakers: Jim Smith and Christin McMeley, Davis Wright Tremaine; Dale Schmick, COO, TerraCom, Inc.

11:00 – 11:45 a.m. READING THE TEA LEAVES: HOW WILL THE D.C. CIRCUIT DECIDE THE OIO APPEALS?

Former FCC Deputy General Counsel Peter Karanjia and Markham Erickson, who is representing various intervenors in the litigation, will discuss how the Commission's new Title II framework for broadband may fare in the D.C. Circuit and whether a blockbuster telecom case before the Supreme Court is in the cards for 2016.

Speakers: Peter Karanjia, Davis Wright Tremaine; Markham Erickson, Steptoe & Johnson

Don't miss this opportunity to hear from the experts! Although the program is free of charge, you must sign up ahead of time.

Click here to register.

Thursday, October 29, 8:30 a.m. – 5:15 p.m. CTIA West Legal Seminar

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Presented in association with CTIA and Davis Wright Tremaine LLP

The wireless world continues to explode as smartphones and 4G become ubiquitous and devices, apps and other usage climb at exponential rates. This seminar, sponsored by CTIA, the leading organization in the US for the wireless industry, addresses the full range of legal and regulatory issues for all participants in the wireless ecosystem and the speakers come from the major agencies, providers and law firms actively involved in those issues. To help you see the wireless future, leading industry analysts and leaders will forecast where the industry is heading.

To register and for more information, please go to: www.dwt.com/CTIALegalSeminar.

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CTIA WEST LEGAL SEMINAR

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Co-Chairs:

Michael Altschul, CTIA – The Wireless Association

Scott Morris, Trilogy International Partners LLC

Dan Waggoner, Davis Wright Tremaine LLP

Agenda

8:30 – 9:15 a.m.

INDUSTRY OVERVIEW

Chetan Sharma, Chetan Sharma Consulting

9:30 – 10:30 a.m.

PRACTICAL AND OPERATIONAL ISSUES IMPLEMENTING NET NEUTRALITY

Dan Menser, Vice President, Legal Affairs, T-Mobile

Luisa Lancetti, Chief Counsel, Law and Policy, Federal Regulatory Affairs, T-Mobile

Matt DelNero (tent.), Deputy Bureau Chief, FCC

Jim Lamoureux, Senior Attorney, Microsoft

10:45 – 11:45 a.m.

SPECTRUM, WIFI AND INFRASTRUCTURE ISSUES

Mike Altschul, Senior Counsel, CTIA

Howard Symons, Vice Chair - Incentive Auction Task Force, FCC

Scott Bergmann, VP Regulatory Affairs, CTIA

Scott Thompson, Partner, Davis Wright Tremaine LLP

11:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

IP ISSUES

Glenn Blumstein, Attorney, AT&T Mobility

Katherine Spelman, Partner, K&L Gates LLP

1:45 – 2:45 p.m.

CONSUMER, LITIGATION AND PRIVACY ISSUES

David Diggs, VP Wireless Internet Development, CTIA

Peter Karanjia, Partner, Davis Wright Tremaine LLP

Michael Hazzard, Partner, Arent Fox LLP

Chuck Harwood, Federal Trade Commission

2:45 – 4:15 p.m.

STATE REGULATORY ISSUES

Suzanne Toller, Partner, Davis Wright Tremaine LLP

Dave Conn, Vice President, State Government Affairs, T-Mobile

Stephanie Chen, Energy and Telecommunications Policy Director, The Greenlining Institute

Paul Kjellander, Commissioner, Idaho PUC

Cindy Manheim, Senior Regulatory Counsel, AT&T

4:45 – 5:15 p.m.

INTERVIEW AND Q&A

Dave Miller, Executive Vice President & General Counsel, T-Mobile

Thursday, December 3 – Friday, December 4 PLI/FCBA 33rd Annual Institute on Telecommunications Policy & Regulation

For the 33rd consecutive year, the FCBA and the Practising Law Institute will co-sponsor an annual conference on “Telecommunications Policy and Regulation.” This year’s Institute will be held on December 3-4, at the Washington Hilton, 1919 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Washington, DC.

The Institute will provide attendees with a comprehensive understanding of the cutting-edge issues facing the telecommunications industry today—at the FCC, Congress, and within the Executive and Judicial branches. Featuring a faculty of expert practitioners, in-house counsel from telecommunications organizations, and key officials from the FCC and the

Administration, this program will address the latest developments in wireline, wireless, and privacy issues, and will feature a Congressional staff panel. In addition, last year’s insightful technology panel featuring perspectives from Silicon Valley, will return to the Institute agenda. Increased focus on cybersecurity and a new tutorial from the Media Bureau will also be included among topics to be covered this year.

Kathleen Q. Abernathy, **Scott D. Delacourt**, and **Michele C. Farquhar** of the FCBA’s Conference Planning Committee will serve as Institute co-chairs. In addition, the program will include featured speakers from the FCC, and numerous FCBA members will moderate or participate on the various program segments. Please visit www.pli.edu/telecom for up to the date schedule and faculty information.

A registration form for the 1½ day seminar is on [page 22](#). As noted, a registration fee discount is available to FCBA members.

Practising Law Institute in cooperation with the Federal Communications Bar Association present: The 33rd Annual Institute on Telecommunications Policy & Regulation

Program Highlights Include:

- **Featured Speakers:** FCC Commissioners and senior government officials
- **Recent Developments and a Look Ahead:**
 - Examine the latest developments in wireline and wireless industries
 - Learn about cutting-edge issues on the legislative front from current Capitol Hill staffers
 - Explore current issues in data privacy and cybersecurity
 - Learn how new technology is impacting the telecommunications landscape
 - Hear tutorials from the Wireline Competition, Wireless Telecommunication, and Media Bureaus

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SPECIAL Events

PLI/FCBA INSTITUTE

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- **Technology Overview:** Learn about the technology involved in policymaking in telecommunications
- **Luncheon and Featured Speaker:** Hear from a key player in the telecommunications industry and network with faculty and colleagues

Program topics on Thursday, December 3 will include:

- CONGRESSIONAL STAFF PANEL – HOT TOPICS FROM CAPITOL HILL PERSPECTIVE
- TECHNOLOGY OVERVIEW
- TUTORIAL: DEVELOPMENTS IN WIRELINE COMMUNICATIONS
- LUNCHEON AND FEATURED SPEAKER
- HOT TOPICS AND ISSUES IN WIRELINE TELECOM POLICY
- TUTORIAL: DEVELOPMENTS IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS
- HOT TOPICS AND ISSUES IN WIRELESS TELECOM POLICY

Program topics on Friday, December 4 will include:

- DEVELOPMENTS IN PRIVACY & CYBERSECURITY
- TUTORIAL: DEVELOPMENTS AT THE MEDIA BUREAU
- NEW TECHNOLOGIES – VIEWS FROM SILICON VALLEY

Committee and Chapter Sign-Up

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Washington, DC

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Get to Know an FCBA MEMBER

Todd Gray, Founding Partner, Gray Miller Persh LLP

By: Laura Phillips

I've known Todd Gray pretty much since the day I set foot in the door of Dow Lohnes and Albertson as a first year associate in 1986. Todd was then and is still to this day immersed in the field of communications law peculiar to non-profit entities and public institutions, particularly colleges and universities, in their missions as public broadcasters. Todd assists these entities with their communications licensing and other issues. While Todd started his legal career at Dow Lohnes and worked there for nearly 35 years, at the point at which the firm was merging with Cooley, due to conflicts, Todd and his two partners came to find out what being on their own was like. Twenty months into their boutique practice, Todd is having a blast at Gray Miller Persh, although he misses the comradery and range and depth of expertise of his former partners. Todd was willing to talk about how he's managed to keep a loyal base of clients over the course of many years and his perspectives on career.



Q: So, what attracted you to the field of communications?

A: I really was not particularly looking to work in communications, but after my second year at law school, I clerked for the summer at Dow Lohnes. That is where I became familiar with communications law. I was very happy to return to Dow Lohnes, a firm at that time with only about 30 lawyers, as a first year attorney assigned to one of its "broadcasting" practice groups (yes, there was more than one – four, in fact). While over the years I did assist on some big "all hands on deck" projects like cellular license application and hearings, I found myself most attracted to the firm's education clients, doing work for PBS and NPR affiliates and others. Over time it just happened that that became my niche, and it has been both professionally and personally rewarding.

Q: Tell our readers whether you were deliberate in your career progression and how things unfolded.

A: While I had had an idea during law school that I wanted to work with non-profit entities, I had no idea that there was a communications law practice in that area, so it was more chance that landed me at a firm that had both an education

practice and a strong broadcasting practice where I could advance while doing work that was personally meaningful. At a couple of points in my career, I could have branched out in other directions, but I really enjoy the clients I work with and helping them with their issues.

Q: What's the most challenging part of your work and why?

A: I have a practice that requires managing work from literally hundreds of clients, each with generally small dollar (and often low billing rate) matters that at the same time are individually very significant to them. Also, representing many public entities (state agencies, universities, community colleges, and school districts), there is a regular flow of RFPs that we are required to respond to in order to maintain relationships. I am lucky to practice with two other talented partners, Meg Miller and Barry Persh, with whom I have worked with for about 25 and 16 years, respectively, and who have complimentary skills.

Q: What's the most fun or exciting thing you've worked on?

A: It was some time ago, but I accompanied an executive of a

public broadcasting client (this person happened to be a Corporation for Public Broadcasting board member) to the White House during some turbulent times at CPB. My client was invited to a meeting with then White House Counsel and former Congressman and Federal Judge, Abner Mikva. It turns out we were there to get chewed out for what was something of a political SNAFU, so while it was not necessarily a fun meeting, it was quite memorable.

Q: What do you enjoy reading in your free time?

A: I read mostly for relaxation – a variety of things – such as mysteries, spy novels, and historical fiction, interspersed with more serious fare. On the fun side, I just finished the latest Jack Reacher book. I have on my list to read Lone Survivor and David McCullough's Wright Brothers.

Q: What surprised or impressed you most about the people you've worked with and why?

A: I think there are so many really great lawyers in our bar who are also genuinely good people. I have great respect for the FCC Media Bureau attorneys for their dedication and hard work.

I would also say that I truly enjoy working with mission driven clients. In public broadcasting, the people we work with tend to be very decent people leading balanced lives. They tend to inject that into our working relationship and it is healthy.

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

A: I believe that consistently good work over time creates opportunities. And I believe that preparation is the key to success. I recently heard someone say that luck is where preparation meets opportunity. So, for example, I try never

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TODD GRAY

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to get on a client call without spending at least a little time to get ready. It may be simply refreshing myself on the issue that leads to the point of the call, but I try to be prepared. I would also say that you should listen to your heart and be willing to make to do what you want to do in your career, even if that involves change. Over the years, I saw a lot of attorneys leave our law firm for one opportunity or another – sometimes voluntarily and sometimes not. I don't recall any of them telling me later they wish they were back in the firm.

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

A: My wife and I are avid cyclists, so when we get the time we enjoy taking cycling trips on our own or with our kids. We have done a few really memorable trips including in France, and most recently Germany.

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

A: I've probably been a member for 36 years. I was encouraged as a very young attorney not only to join the FCBA but to participate. One of the old-timers in the bar when I arrived at Dow Lohnes was Earl Stanley, who had a committee chairmanship and asked me to be vice chairman. I value the FCBA for its mentoring role and for its professional education role in general.

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.

FOUNDATION News

Join the FCBA Foundation Team for the Making Strides against Breast Cancer Walk on October 18 on the National Mall

The Making Strides against Breast Cancer walk, which will be held Sunday, October 18 on the National Mall, is an incredible and inspiring opportunity to help the American Cancer Society raise awareness and funds to fight breast cancer. The FCBA Foundation has formed a team to participate in the walk, and we hope that you will join us. Walkers of all ages, fitness levels, and speeds are welcome!

Our team will meet near the Survivor Tent at 9:00 a.m. The walk will begin promptly at 10:00 a.m. and continue for 3.1 miles. There is no cost to sign up, and no fundraising commitment, although if you'd like to contribute or fundraise, you're free to do so. To sign up, simply go to http://makingstrides.acsevents.org/site/PageServer?pagename=MSABC_CY15_SignUp_Volunteer, click on Join a Team, click on Search for a Team, and search for FCBA Foundation. You'll be able to sign up from there. Please contact

your team captain, **Megan Anne Stull**, with any questions at stull@google.com or 202-346-1208.

Volunteer at Martha's Table on October 25

On Sunday, October 25 from 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., the FCBA will be preparing and distributing food at the FCBA Foundation's partner charity, Martha's Table. The FCBA has been meeting monthly to volunteer at Martha's Table for many years. Martha's Table feeds hundreds of homeless adults and children on the streets of Washington daily, through its mobile soup kitchen. Martha's Table is located in a yellow building at 2114 Fourteenth Street, NW, in the District, near the intersection of 14th and U Streets. On-street parking is available. Volunteers are asked to bring food if possible, (e.g., cold cuts, bread, peanut butter, jelly, vegetables and potatoes) because the center often runs out of donated food. Any food donated by volunteers might not be used the same day you volunteer; any food donations will be used at the discretion of Martha's Table staff.

Please mark your calendars, bring your friends and children (they must be at

least nine years old), and participate in this great volunteer effort. If you have questions or need more information, please contact **Russ Hanser** at RHanser@wbklaw.com.

The FCBA volunteers on the **last Sunday of every month**, so mark your calendars now!

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In MEMORIAM

Richard M. Firestone (1948-2015)

Richard M. “Rick” Firestone, a partner in the Arnold & Porter law firm and former Chief of the FCC’s Common Carrier Bureau, died unexpectedly on August 20, 2015 at 67.

Rick was born and raised in Detroit area. He graduated from the University of Michigan in 1970 and from its law school in 1973.

After law school, Rick was an Assistant Attorney General in the Antitrust Section of the Ohio Attorney General’s Office. In 1979 he joined the National Telecommunications and Information Administration, initially as Program Manager in the Office of Policy Analysis

and Development. He later became Deputy Chief Counsel and then Chief Counsel. At that time, Alfred C. Sikes was Assistant Secretary of Commerce and NTIA Director. When Sikes became Chairman of the FCC in 1989 he recruited Rick to lead the Common Carrier Bureau.

Former Chairman Sikes relates that Rick “was unfailingly able, considerate and disciplined.”

After leaving the FCC in 1992, Rick became a partner at Arnold & Porter in the firm’s Washington office, where he remained until his death. His practice covered a wide range of telecommunications, information and technology issues, both domestic and international.



Richard Firestone

Numerous former colleagues knew Rick as a hard working public servant and private practice attorney who had a gift for resolving difficult legal and policy issues without making enemies. “Rick had a special gift for dealing with people that stood out in the high pressure Washington environment,” one colleague and friend observed.

He was an FCBA member and served as Co-Chair of the Common Carrier and Enforcement Committees.

Rick is survived by his wife Bonnie, a son Jeff, twin daughters Elana and Lindsay, three grandsons and a brother.

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29TH ANNUAL CHAIRMAN'S DINNER *Registration*

Thursday, December 3, 2015

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

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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

October 1	Young Lawyers Committee Brown Bag Lunch
October 5	FCC Enforcement Committee Brown Bag Lunch
October 5	CLE Seminar: Unlicensed Debates: Wi-Fi, LTE, and New Uses of Unlicensed Spectrum presented by the Engineering and Technical Committee
October 8	FCBA Luncheon with FTC Chairwoman Ramirez
October 15	Young Lawyers Committee Happy Hour
October 18	FCBA Foundation Team to participate in the Making Strides against Breast Cancer Walk
October 19	CLE Seminar: Health Data Privacy: An Exploration of Policy, Business and Technological Considerations presented by the Privacy and Data Security and Telehealth Committees
October 20	Young Lawyers Committee Brown Bag Breakfast
October 21	Legislative Committee Happy Hour
October 21	FCBA Workshop: How Will the FCC's Open Internet Order (OIO) Affect Your Business? presented in association with Davis Wright Tremaine LLP and COMPTTEL (<i>San Francisco, CA</i>)
October 22	CLE Seminar: Ethics 101 for the Communications Lawyer presented by the Professional Responsibility Committee
October 25	Volunteer at Martha's Table
October 29	Privacy and Data Security Committee Brown Bag Lunch
October 29	FCBA Program: CTIA West Legal Seminar presented in association with CTIA and Davis Wright Tremaine LLP (<i>Seattle, WA</i>)
November 5	26th Annual FCBA Foundation Charity Auction
November 12	CLE Seminar: Lobbying Capitol Hill: What Attorneys Need to Know presented by the Legislative Committee
November 17	CLE Seminar: Merger Review: A Recap of the Comcast/Time Warner Cable/Charter and AT&T/DIRECTV Proceedings presented by the Transactional Committee
November 19	Mobile Payments Committee Webinar
December 3	29th Annual Chairman's Dinner
December 3-4	33rd Annual PLI and FCBA Conference



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