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Newsletter of the Federal Communications Bar Association

FCBA Fall Reception to Meet and Greet the FCC and NTIA Bureau and Office Chiefs to be held on October 18

The FCBA is pleased to announce a reception to meet and greet the **FCC and NTIA Bureau and Office Chiefs** on **Thursday, October 18**, from **6:00 – 8:00 p.m.** The reception will be held at the Capital Hilton Hotel, 1001 16th Street, NW, Washington, DC.

Sponsorships of the event are available for \$600 and \$300, and include registrations to the reception. Sponsors will receive recognition in the newsletter and acknowledgement at the event. Individual tickets to the reception

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23rd Annual FCBA Charity Auction to be held on November 8

The FCBA Young Lawyers Committee and the FCBA Foundation will hold their 23rd Annual Charity Auction on **Thursday, November 8, 2012**, at the **Capital Hilton, 1001 16th Street, NW, Washington, DC**, from approximately **7:00 to 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: **Transitional Housing Corporation** and the **FCBA Foundation**. Transitional Housing serves DC's homeless and other at-risk children and their families by providing housing and support services. These include rapid re-housing for recently homeless families as well as transitional housing for families that have been homeless or living in shelters. They couple this assistance with a variety of youth counseling and enrichment services for the children (including homework support, tutoring, mentoring, and wellness education), and they provide employment, mental health, and substance abuse counseling for their parents. Over the past 22 years, Transitional Housing

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26th Annual Chairman's Dinner on December 13

The **26th Annual Chairman's Dinner** will be held **Thursday, December 13, 2012** at the Washington Hilton, 1919 Connecticut Avenue, NW. The evening will begin with a reception at 6:00 p.m. The dinner will begin at 7:30 p.m.

in the International Ballroom and will be followed by remarks from FCC Chairman Julius Genachowski. Sponsor's tables include a \$350.00 tax deductible donation to the FCBA Foundation.



Julius Genachowski

Please use the registration form on page 26 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

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This Month's Key Events

Transactional Practice Committee Brown Bag Lunch

Date/Time: Wednesday, October 10, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.
Location: Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP, 1500 K Street, NW, Conference Room 11-C
Topic: Issues in the Negotiating and Drafting of Media Transaction Contracts: "A Thorny Thicket"

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FCBA Fall Reception

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Transactional Practice Committee CLE Seminar

Date/Time: Tuesday, October 23, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m.
Location: Mayer Brown LLP, 1999 K Street, NW
Topic: Nuts and Bolts of Applications for Approval of Assignments or Transfers of Licenses in the Broadcast, Cable, and Satellite Industries

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Wireless Telecommunications Committee CLE Seminar

Date/Time: Thursday, October 25, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m.
Location: TBD
Topic: Developing Rules for the Broadcast Incentive Auction

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Professional Responsibility Committee CLE Seminar

Date/Time: Monday, October 29, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m.
Location: Wiley Rein LLP, 1776 K Street, NW
Topic: Why Every Lawyer Should Understand the Basic Concepts of Enterprise Risk Management (Erm) – 2012

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PRESIDENT'S Message

DEAR MEMBERS:

There's not yet been a sustained fall chill descend on the District of Columbia, but we know fall is here among us, settling in to make itself at home. The FCBA Fall Reception, scheduled for October 18, is barreling quickly towards us. This is consistently a well-attended and fun networking event. If you are in a position to do so, please consider sponsoring this event; see [page 24](#) for details on sponsorship opportunities. Whether you can sponsor or not, please come join the party!



Another much anticipated fall event is the Charity Auction, to be held this year on November 8, a mere two nights after the election. The focus and energy of the young lawyers, who worked all summer to get this launched is remarkable. Please come out, there is no charge for the event, and, there is food and good company and lots of exciting and unusual silent and live auction items. Come and be generous to our beneficiary charities and kind to our "celebrity" auctioneers. All for a great cause. Information about raffle prizes and auction packages will be available in advance of the big evening.

The next big thing on the FCBA schedule is one of our marquee events of the year, the 2012 FCBA Chairman's Dinner on December 13. Please see [page 26](#) of this newsletter for table and ticket ordering information. While I know some FCBA members may be away in Dubai, many more will be in DC attending the concurrent PLI Telecommunications program co-sponsored with the FCBA. Please be sure to review the requirements involved in inviting government guests to this event, which are also contained in this newsletter.

You will notice we have many, many other CLEs, chapter events and brown bag lunches scheduled over the next few months. All of these events are possible because so many people year in and year out choose to be FCBA members. Membership dues represent a significant source of income to the Association, and every membership renewal and new membership is critical to maintaining the Association's programs and activities. This year we are trying something a little different, creating an additional incentive for current members to make a more conscious effort to recruit new government or private sector members. Any new government or private sector member, on joining, need only let the FCBA staff know who of the association's current members referred them, and a \$25 Starbucks card will be awarded to the recruiting member. Just think about how much free coffee or coffee products could come your way while doing something great for your friends and colleagues, which is introducing them to the FCBA. While we can run this additional incentive new members' drive until the end of 2012, new and renewing members should act quickly to submit their applications to ensure their contact information is published in the FCBA printed directory. To appear in the printed directory, your new application or renewal application needs to be in the FCBA office by October 31.

As one well known credit card advertising slogan trumpets, membership has its privileges. Over the next couple of months, the benefit of current FCBA membership will extend beyond exposure to great networking and professional development opportunities at member discounted pricing. It will extend beyond the charitable service opportunities that are fun and personally rewarding. With a minimal amount of effort, it could easily include some serious caffeine. Be engaged, help spread the word.

Laura Phillips



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Tuesday, October 23, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. Nuts and Bolts of Applications for Approval of Assignments or Transfers of Licenses in the Broadcast, Cable, and Satellite Industries

The FCBA **Transactional Practice Committee** will hold a CLE on **Tuesday, October 23, 2012** from **6:00 – 8:15 p.m.** on Nuts and Bolts of Applications for Approval of Assignments or Transfers of Licenses in the Broadcast, Cable, and Satellite Industries. This program will be held at Mayer Brown LLP, 1999 K Street, NW.

FCC staff and a practitioner with years of experience will present and discuss pointers and pitfalls in filing applications for assignments or transfers of FCC licenses in these industries. Areas covered will include requirements under the statute and rules, as well as best practices and advice on particular issues. There will be time for questions and discussion.

To register, [click here](#) or go to the **FCBA Website – Calendar of Events** or use the form on [page 22](#).

Agenda

6:00 – 6:05 p.m.

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

James R. Bird, Co-Chair, FCBA Transactional Practice Committee

6:05 – 7:15 p.m.

APPLICATIONS AND REVIEW: BASIC REQUIREMENTS AND PROCESS

Each speaker will provide an overview of their respective Division, describe

their expertise and responsibilities, and explain various aspects of the review and processing of assignment and transfer of control applications.

7:15 – 7:25 p.m.

BREAK

7:25 – 8:15 p.m.

PRACTITIONER COMMENT AND SPECIFIC ISSUE DISCUSSION

The moderator will lead the speakers in a discussion of topics relating to each Bureau and Division's processing of assignment and transfer of control applications, including policies regarding the content of such applications, the impact of license renewals in transactions, multiple ownership matters, and consummation considerations. The discussion will incorporate questions and comments from attendees.

Moderator:

Kenneth E. Satten, Partner, Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP

Speakers:

David Brown, Associate Division Chief, Video Division, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission

Michael Wagner, Assistant Division Chief, Audio Division, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission

Wayne McKee, Deputy Division Chief, Engineering Division, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission

Karl Kensinger, Associate Chief, Satellite Division, International Bureau, Federal Communications Commission

Thursday, October 25, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. Developing Rules for the Broadcast Incentive Auction

The FCBA **Wireless Telecommunications Committee** will hold a CLE on **Thursday, October 25, 2012** from **6:00 – 8:15 p.m.** on Developing Rules for the Broadcast Incentive Auction. This program will be held at a location to be determined in Washington, DC.

On September 28, the FCC adopted an omnibus NPRM proposing an intricate series of rules to govern the broadcast incentive auction authorized by Congress earlier this year. The NPRM tackles the challenging aspects of making the incentive auction work, including questions of how to determine winning reverse auction prices, the interplay of the reverse and forward auctions, and appropriate interference standards for the broadcast repacking necessary to create contiguous bands of spectrum suitable for mobile broadband services. The CLE will feature panelists from the FCC's Incentive Auction Task Force and other stakeholders from the wireless and broadcast industries.

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Contact Information Updates

We'd like to remind everyone that if they have any changes to their contact information that they notify the FCBA, wendy@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.

Monday, October 29, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. Why Every Lawyer Should Understand the Basic Concepts of Enterprise Risk Management (Erm) – 2012

The FCBA Professional Responsibility Committee will hold a CLE on Monday, October 29, 2012 from 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. on Why Every Lawyer Should Understand the Basic Concepts of Enterprise Risk Management (Erm) – 2012. This program will be held at Wiley Rein LLP, 1776 K Street, NW.

Law firms face a panoply of risks in today's environment, and for that reason they should be proactive in mitigating those risks to safeguard their long term success and survival. This program is intended to give firms an overview of Enterprise Risk Management, so that they can begin to develop their own framework to identify and proactively address risks (including the Federal Communications ability to censure, suspend or disbar attorneys for a variety of offences) and opportunities across their entire firm. Ultimately, you should also be able to come away from the session with ways to make the firm eligible for favorable pricing and coverage of malpractice insurance.

Eileen Garczynski is a Vice President at Ames & Gough and an expert on lawyers' professional liability issues and the risk and insurance needs of law firms around the country. David Rosenfeld is a nationally recognized authority on legal ethics and professional responsibility. He provides ethics counsel and representation for attorneys, law firms and judges in disciplinary matters, disqualification and sanction motions, as well as related ethical matters before federal and state courts and disciplinary and regulatory administrative agencies.

To register, [click here](#) or go to the [FCBA Website – Calendar of Events](#) or use the form on [page 22](#).

Agenda

6:00 – 6:05 p.m.

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

6:05 – 7:05 p.m.

I. U.S. LAW FIRM RISK ENVIRONMENT

- A. Overview of 2012 A&G Legal Malpractice Claims Survey
- B. Brief overview of some recent concerns facing law firms around the country
- C. Top Risks Facing Law Firms (from conflicts to cyber security)

II. WHAT IS ENTERPRISE RISK MANAGEMENT?

- A. Identifying Law Firm Risks
- B. Assessing the Likelihood and Magnitude of Those Risks
- C. Determining a Firm-Wide Response/RM Plan
- D. Monitoring and Remediating the RM Plan

III. IDENTIFYING LAW FIRM RISKS

- A. **Practice Management (Ethics)**
 - Professional Responsibilities including:
 - Conflicts/Atty Client Relationship
 - Managing the Engagement, Non-Engagement and Disengagement --Limiting the Scope of Engagement
 - Litigation support
 - Professional Development Risks
 - Lateral Issues
 - Rogue lawyers
 - Bad clients
- B. **Financial Health** - Transparency and Disclosure; Internal Controls; Anti-Money Laundering; Credits; Firm Investments; Portfolio Risks; Audits; Bankruptcy or acquisition of significant clients; Pressure on Fees, etc.
- C. **Strategic Concerns** - Reputational, Marketing, Markets, etc.

D. **Firm Governance** - Firm processes; customs, policies, committees, management structure, etc.

E. **IT/Cyber** - Confidentiality, Data Security & Ethical Screens, Data Recovery, Issues with Third Party Suppliers and Outsourcing

F. **Operational** - Employment (Talent – Lateral and New Hires), Fraud, Damage to Assets, etc.

G. **Environmental** - Natural Disasters, etc.

7:05 – 7:15 p.m.

BREAK

7:15 – 8:00 p.m.

IV. ASSESSING THE LIKELIHOOD OF RISKS

What are the Key Risk Indicators - (a measurement tool to indicate to potential presence, level or trend of risks) firms can use to help identify the risks identified in Section III.

V. DEVELOPING A FIRM-WIDE RISK MANAGEMENT PLAN

- A. Buy-in and Support by Firm Leaders
- B. Communication Across the Entire Firm
- C. Evaluation of all costs Associated with Risks
- D. Dedicated Oversight/Audit Committee

VI. MONITORING THE RISK MANAGEMENT PLAN

VII. BENEFITS OF ERM

8:00 – 8:15 p.m.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Thursday, November 1, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. Hot Issues in Advertising

The FCBA Mass Media and Video Programming and Distribution Committees will hold a CLE on Thursday, November 1, 2012 from 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. on Hot Issues in Advertising. This

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CLE Seminars

program will be held at Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP, 1500 K Street, NW.

To register, [click here](#) or go to the [FCBA Website – Calendar of Events](#) or use the form on [page 22](#).

Thursday, November 15, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. High Cost and Low-Income USF Reform One Year Later: A Progress Report

The FCBA Wireline Committee will hold a CLE on **Thursday, November 15, 2012** from **6:00 – 8:15 p.m.** on High Cost and Low-Income USF Reform One Year Later: A Progress Report. This program will be

held at Davis Wright Tremaine LLP, 1919 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 800.

Over the past year, the FCC adopted sweeping reforms to modernize the High Cost and Low Income components of the universal service fund and to improve the efficiency of the fund's administration. This CLE will present a progress report on the USF reforms as the one-year anniversary of the reforms approach. Program participants will discuss their experiences with the Connect America Fund, the Mobility Fund and the reformed Lifeline Program. Government and administrative officials will discuss the status of efforts to improve the Fund's efficiency and effectiveness.

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CHAIRMAN'S DINNER

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value of an individual ticket to the dinner is \$225.00. Most employees of the Federal Communications Commission and the Commerce Department 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 Stan Zenor (stan@fcba.org) by Friday, November 16, 2012.

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may also be purchased. To register an individual, [click here](#) or go to the [FCBA Website – Calendar of Events](#) or use the form on [page 24](#). See [page 24](#) for sponsor registration.

Thanks to the Sponsors of the Reception!

*(as of October 2, 2012)

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COMMITTEE AND CHAPTER *Events*

Broadband Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch co-hosted by the Engineering and Technical Committee
Date/Time: Tuesday, November 13, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.
Location: NAB, 1771 N Street, NW
Topic: Broadband Innovation: What's Next That Matters
Speakers: TBA
To RSVP: [Click here](#) or go to the [FCBA Website – Calendar of Events](#).

Charity Auction Committee

Event: Annual Charity Auction
Date/Time: Thursday, November 8, 7:00 – 10:00 p.m.
Location: The Capital Hilton, 1001 16th Street, NW, Washington, DC
More Info: Proceeds from this year's FCBA Charity Auction will benefit the Transitional Housing Corporation and the FCBA Foundation. As in previous years, there will be silent auctions, live auctions, and a raffle, with prizes donated from local businesses and members of the communications bar. Admission is free and the event is open to the public – bring your friends and family!
Contact: Brendan Carr (brendancarr@gmail.com) or Kerry Loughney (kerry@fcba.org).
Click here to access the Charity Auction Facebook page.
To make a donation: Use the form on [page 25](#).

Engineering and Technical Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch
Date/Time: Wednesday, October 3, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.
Location: Hogan Lovells US LLP, 555 Thirteenth Street, NW (Fulbright-East conference room). Check in at the concierge desk located in the building's lobby.
Topic: Federal Spectrum Management Recommendations of the July 2012 PCAST Report and Their Possible Impact on FCC-Regulated Spectrum
Speakers: Preston Marshall, Deputy Director, Information Sciences Institute, University of Southern California and "Invited Expert" contributor to report; Larry Irving, Irving Group (Former NTIA Administrator); Christopher Guttman-McCabe Vice President, Regulatory Affairs, CTIA
To RSVP: [Click here](#) or go to the [FCBA Website – Calendar of Events](#).

Event: Brown Bag Lunch co-hosted by the Broadband Committee
Date/Time: Tuesday, November 13, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.
Location: NAB, 1771 N Street, NW

Topic: Broadband Innovation: What's Next That Matters
Speakers: TBA
To RSVP: [Click here](#) or go to the [FCBA Website – Calendar of Events](#).

Homeland Security and Emergency Communications Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch
Date/Time: Wednesday, October 17, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.
Location: FCC Headquarters, 445 12th Street, SW, 5th Floor South Conference Room (5-B516)
Topic: Meet the Chief: David Turetsky, Chief of the FCC's Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau
To RSVP: [Click here](#) or go to the [FCBA Website – Calendar of Events](#).

Legislative Committee

Event: Happy Hour co-hosted by the Young Lawyers Committee
Date/Time: Wednesday, October 10, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.
Location: Johnny's Half Shell, 400 North Capitol Street, NW, (Union Station Metro)
More information: Network with your fellow young lawyers and legislative practitioners. Join the Young Lawyers Committee and Legislative Committee for a happy hour at Johnny's Half Shell, the classic Hill bar.
For more information: Contact Justin Faulb at JFaulb@eckertseamans.com or Marc Paul at Marc.Paul@fcclaw.com.

Mass Media Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch co-hosted by the Video Programming and Distribution Committee
Date/Time: Monday, October 15, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.
Location: Wiley Rein LLP, 1776 K Street, NW
Topic: Meet the Commissioners' Media Legal Advisors: Current Media Law Issues
Speakers: Elizabeth Andrion, Erin McGrath, Dave Grimaldi, Matthew Berry, and Alex Hoehn-Saric
To RSVP: [Click here](#) or go to the [FCBA Website – Calendar of Events](#).

Event: CLE Seminar co-hosted by the Video Programming and Distribution Committee
Date/Time: Thursday, November 1, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m.
Location: Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP, 1500 K Street, NW
Topic: Hot Issues in Advertising
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To register: [Click here](#) or go to the [FCBA Website – Calendar of Events](#) or use the form on [page 22](#).

Privacy and Data Security Committee

Event: Fall ABA/FCBA Privacy and Data Security Symposium
Date/Time: Tuesday, October 9, 5:00 – 7:30 p.m.
Location: Santa Clara University School of Law, Santa Clara, CA
Topic: Privacy in Motion. If you plan to attend the IAPP Privacy Academy in San Jose, please join us. The keynote speaker will be the Honorable Catherine J.K. Sandoval, Commissioner, California Public Utility Commission. This event will feature two sessions focused on mobile issues.
For more information: See [page 9](#).
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Transactional Practice Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch
Date/Time: Wednesday, October 10, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.
Location: Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP, 1500 K Street, NW, Conference Room 11-C
Topic: Issues in the Negotiating and Drafting of Media Transaction Contracts: "A Thorny Thicket"
Overview: The Panel will address commonly arising issues in media transactions. Among the issues to be discussed will be covenants not to compete, choice of law and venue provisions, indemnification clauses, warranty and survival issues, and business interruption provisions. A substantial portion of the luncheon will be reserved for questions from the audience.
Speakers: Howard Weiss (moderator), Partner, Fletcher, Heald & Hildreth; Michael Basile, Partner, Dow Lohnes; Steve Lovelady, Senior Counsel, Fletcher, Heald & Hildreth
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Video Programming and Distribution Committee

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Location: Wiley Rein LLP, 1776 K Street, NW

Topic: Meet the Commissioners' Media Legal Advisors: Current Media Law Issues

Speakers: Elizabeth Andrión, Erin McGrath, Dave Grimaldi, Matthew Berry, and Alex Hoehn-Saric

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

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Location: Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP, 1500 K Street, NW

Topic: Hot Issues in Advertising

For more information: See [page 4](#).

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Wireless Telecommunications Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch co-hosted by the Young Lawyers Committee

Date/Time: Tuesday, October 16, 12:15 p.m.

Location: Arnold & Porter, LLP, 555 12th Street, NW

Topic: The History of Spectrum Aggregation, Competitive Analysis of the Wireless Industry, and the Spectrum Screen. The wireless industry's continued growth has led the Federal Communications Commission to change how it defines wireless competition as it fulfills its regulatory obligations. Bryan Tramont, Managing Partner, Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP will lead us through the history of spectrum aggregation and its impact on the FCC's competitive analysis of the wireless industry. The brown bag will also briefly touch on the expected spectrum screen NPRM and related issues regarding mobile broadband spectrum bands and wireless competition.

Speaker: Bryan Tramont, Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP

For more information: Contact Justin Faulb at JFaulb@eckertseamans.com or Trey Hanbury at Trey.Hanbury@hoganlovells.com.

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Location: TBD

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

Location: Davis Wright Tremaine LLP, 1919 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 800

Topic: High Cost and Low-Income USF Reform One Year Later: A Progress Report

For more information: See [page 5](#).

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Young Lawyers Committee

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New England Chapter

Event: Brown Bag Lunch

Date/Time: Friday, November 16, 12:00 – 1:30 p.m.

Location: Connecticut Public Utility Regulatory Authority, Ten Franklin Square, New Britain, CT 06051

Topic: An informal lunch with available Commissioners and staff of the newly reorganized CT Public Utilities Regulatory Authority to allow Authority leadership and staff to meet the New England members of the FCBA and to discuss current information about the Authority, its overall telecommunications and cable case load, and its policies, practices and website. The FCBA has in the past held similar sessions with the Authority's predecessor, the Massachusetts Department of Telecommunications and Cable, the Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission and the Rhode Island Division of Public Utilities and Carriers.

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

Northern California Chapter

Event: An Evening with FCC Commissioner Mignon Clyburn

Date/Time: Wednesday, October 10, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Location: Law Firm of Davis Wright Tremaine LLP, 505 Montgomery Street, Suite 800, San Francisco, CA

To register: [Click here](#) or go to the [FCBA Website – Calendar of Events](#) or use the form on [page 22](#). *Registration fees cover reception featuring beverages and appetizers prior to presentation and discussion.

International Telecommunications Committee to Volunteer at Martha's Table on October 28

On **Sunday, October 28, 2012**, from **10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**, members of the FCBA's International Telecommunications Committee 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.

Please mark your calendars, bring your friends and children, and participate in this great volunteer effort. To volunteer, contact **Joy Ragsdale**, Co-Chair, International Committee: joy.ragsdale@fcc.gov.

The FCBA volunteers on the **last Sunday of every month**, so mark your calendars now. If you are able to volunteer on **October 28, November 25, or December 30**, or a future date, please contact **Howard Weiss** at 703-812-0471, weiss@fhhlaw.com.

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. We will be experimenting with some new presentation technology in future CLE seminars, which require more technical support than we have needed in the past.

In general terms, we need conference rooms that can seat at least 30 (more if possible) people at tables for brown bag lunches and committee meetings and conference rooms that can seat a minimum of 60 for CLE seminars. Firms and companies hosting brown bag lunches provide beverages and desserts; firms and companies hosting CLE seminars provide beverages and snacks. 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, video projection capabilities for PowerPoint presentations, and access to the internet for presentations by speakers. If your firm or company has the needed conference room facilities and capabilities and would be willing to host future FCBA activities, please email **Stan Zenor**, stan@fcba.org, or **Kerry Loughney**, kerry@fcba.org.

Fall ABA/FCBA Privacy and Data Security Symposium Tuesday, October 9, 5:00 – 7:30 p.m. Santa Clara University School of Law, Santa Clara, CA

The FCBA Privacy and Data Security Committee and the ABA Communications Law Forum present, “Privacy in Motion,” the inaugural Fall Privacy & Data Security Symposium hosted by Santa Clara University School of Law in Santa Clara, California. If you plan to attend the IAPP Privacy Academy in San Jose, please join us. The keynote speaker will be the Honorable Catherine J.K. Sandoval, Commissioner, California Public Utility Commission. This event will feature two sessions focused on mobile issues.

To register, [click here](#) or go to the [FCBA Website – Calendar of Events](#) or use the form on [page 22](#).

Agenda

1) MOBILE PRIVACY: DESIGNING FOR THE FUTURE

Moderator: **Joanne McNabb**, Director of Privacy Education and Policy, Privacy Enforcement and Protection Unit, California Department of Justice, Office of the Attorney General

Advancements in digital technology continue to change the way the world communicates via mobile devices and applications. How do the principles established in the White House’s Consumer Privacy Bill of Rights and the FTC’s 2012 Privacy Report relate to the development of new services and applications via mobile devices? Which best practices are the most important or productive? What role do state and/or federal governments have in privacy design? How can privacy by design principles best address children’s privacy?

2) MOBILE PRIVACY: NAVIGATING THE CHANGING LANDSCAPE OF LAWS AND LAWSUITS

Moderator: **S. Jenell Trigg**, Member, Lerman Senter PLLC

Mobile communications, marketing and services, including LBS, are governed by an alphabet soup of statutes and regulations: TCPA, COPPA, CAN-SPAM, CPNI, etc. To complicate compliance even further, numerous class action lawsuits in state and federal courts have addressed issues and nuances that the Federal Communications Commission, Federal Trade Commission, and state regulatory agencies or legislatures have not. What are the legal rules of the road for mobile communications and marketing? How best can a service provider or app developer mitigate the legal risks?

Confirmed Panelists:

Laura Berger, Attorney, Federal Trade Commission

Eric Goldman, Professor of Law, Director of the High Tech Law Institute, Santa Clara University School of Law

Alexandra Robert Gordon, Deputy Attorney General, California Department of Justice, Office of the Attorney General

John Heitmann, Partner, Kelley Drye & Warren LLP

Travis LeBlanc, Special Attorney General, California Department of Justice, Office of the Attorney General
Kevin Mahaffey, Founder and CTO, Lookout Mobile

James Nguyen, Partner, Davis Wright Tremaine LLP

Lee Tien, Senior Staff Attorney, Electronic Frontier Foundation

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Levine Sullivan Koch & Schulz, LLP

A DVD including the handouts and video of the program will be available shortly

after the event. Please contact the FCBA for more information.

December 13-14 PLI/FCBA 30th Annual Institute on Telecommunications Policy & Regulation

For the 30th 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 13-14, at the Washington Hilton, 1919 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Washington, DC.

This year, the Institute will include keynote addresses by FCC Commissioner **Jessica Rosenworcel**. Other high-level communications policymakers, including FCC Commissioners **Robert M. McDowell**, **Mignon L. Clyburn**, and **Ajit V. Pai**, have been invited to speak at the Institute. **Anna Gomez**, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Communications and Information and Deputy Administrator, National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA), will open the second day of the conference. Other highlights include a Congressional staff panel and three substantive panels featuring industry experts dealing with recent developments in wireline, wireless, and privacy issues.

Julius P. Knapp, Chief of the Office of Engineering and Technology, **Julie Veach**, Chief of the Wireline Competition Bureau, and **Ruth Milkman**, Chief of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, will provide attendees with tutorials on their respective areas.

The Institute will feature another spirited debate on a major policy initiative of the FCC, with FCBA President-Elect, **Joseph Di Scipio**, as moderator. **Kathleen Q. Abernathy**, **Mark D. Schneider**, and **Peter D. Shields** of the FCBA’s

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Conference Planning Committee will serve as Institute co-chairs. In addition, a number of FCBA members will moderate or participate on the various program segments.

A registration form for the 1½ day seminar is on [page 27](#). As noted, a registration fee discount is available to FCBA members.

PRACTISING LAW INSTITUTE IN COOPERATION WITH THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS BAR ASSOCIATION PRESENT: THE 30TH ANNUAL INSTITUTE ON TELECOMMUNICATIONS POLICY & REGULATION

Thursday, December 13

9:15 a.m.

WELCOME

Laura Phillips, President, Federal Communications Bar Association

9:30 a.m.

FEATURED SPEAKER

The Honorable Jessica Rosenworcel, Commissioner, Federal Communications Commission

10:00 a.m.

CONGRESSIONAL STAFF PANEL: HOT TOPICS FROM CAPITOL HILL PERSPECTIVE

- Major legislative developments in 2012, including a new nationwide public safety network, cybersecurity, and various FCC auctions
- The legislative agenda for the remainder of the 112th Congress
- The potential impact of the Presidential elections on communications policy and the FCC

FCBA Co-Moderators:

Antoinette Cook Bush, Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

Regina M. Keeney, Lawler, Metzger, Keeney & Logan, LLC

11:00 a.m.

NETWORKING BREAK

11:15 a.m.

TECHNOLOGY OVERVIEW

Julius P. Knapp, Chief, Office of Engineering and Technology, Federal Communications Commission

12:00 p.m.

DEVELOPMENTS IN WIRELINE COMMUNICATIONS: A SUMMARY OF THE YEAR'S HIGHLIGHTS

Julie Veach, Chief, Wireline Competition Bureau, Federal Communications Commission

12:30 p.m.

LUNCHEON AND FEATURED SPEAKER

2:00 p.m.

WIRELINE PANEL: HOT TOPICS AND ISSUES IN WIRELINE TELECOM POLICY

- The FCC's reform of its high cost universal service program
- The FCC's reform of intercarrier compensation
- The FCC's reform of its low income universal service programs
- Other important issues, including the appeal of the Open Internet Order, special access reform, the 10th Circuit decision upholding the Phoenix Forbearance Order, universal service contribution reform, forbearance from the Section 652 cable-CLEC acquisition restriction, disabilities access for advanced services, and FCC consumer protection initiatives

FCBA Co-Moderators:

Kathleen Q. Abernathy, Frontier Communications Corporation

Thomas Jones, Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP

3:00 p.m.

DEVELOPMENTS IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS: A SUMMARY OF THE YEAR'S HIGHLIGHTS

Ruth Milkman, Chief, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, Federal Communications Commission

3:30 p.m.

NETWORKING BREAK

3:45 p.m.

WIRELESS PANEL: HOT TOPICS AND ISSUES IN WIRELESS TELECOM POLICY

- FCC and Congressional actions during the past year with respect to the reallocation of private and government spectrum for commercial use and the 700 MHz band, including implementation of incentive auctions of broadcast spectrum and the new FirstNet public safety broadband network, and proposals affecting Mobile Satellite Services spectrum proposals
- Wireless regulatory requirements and related proceedings, including "net neutrality," next generation E-911 capability, wireless cramming and bill shock, data roaming, and disability access
- Other wireless regulatory requirements and competition policy developments and proceedings, including spectrum caps, license acquisition and renewals, spectrum caps, developments on mergers and wireless market analysis and matters affecting the delivery of mobile broadband service

FCBA Co-Moderators:

Michelle Farquhar, Hogan Lovells US LLP

Mark D. Schneider, Sidley Austin LLP

4:45 p.m.

FEATURED SPEAKER

5:15 p.m.

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Friday, December 14

9:00 a.m.

FEATURED SPEAKER

Anna Gomez, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Communications and Information and Deputy Administrator, National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA)

9:30 a.m.

PRIVACY 360° - CONTINUING OBLIGATIONS AND EMERGING FRAMEWORKS ON ALL FRONTS

- Pathways to compliance in developing areas, such as online advertising, mobile services, information security, and cross-border transfers
- Status and projected effectiveness of government-facilitated multistakeholder models and voluntary, but enforceable, industry codes of conduct
- Likely scope and outcome of proposed federal consumer privacy law(s)
- Evolving enforcement rationales and remedies: Tough new trends in 2012

FCBA Co-Moderators:

Peter D. Shields, Wiley Rein LLP

Natalie G. Roisman, Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP

10:30 a.m.

NETWORKING BREAK

10:45 a.m.

FEATURED SPEAKER

11:15 a.m.

DEBATE

FCBA Moderators:

Joseph Di Scipio, President-Elect, Federal Communications Bar Association

12:00 p.m.

ADJOURN

Save the Date of Thursday, November 8, 2012 for the 23rd Annual FCBA Charity Auction

LOCATION:

The Capital Hilton
1001 16th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20005

*Proceeds to benefit the Transitional Housing Corporation
and the FCBA Foundation*

To donate auction items, fill out the Auction Donation Form
on [page 25](#) of this newsletter.

Donation forms are due Monday, October 15!

To volunteer, contact Auction Chair Brendan Carr
at FCBAAuction@gmail.com. Volunteers are needed now!!

If you have any questions, please contact Kerry Loughney, 202-293-4000,
kerry@fcba.org.

RAFFLE TICKETS WILL BE ON SALE SOON

Grand Prize:

55" Cinema Screen, 3D, Smart LED TV and 3D, Wi-Fi Home Theater System
Courtesy of LG Electronics USA

THE AUCTION COMMITTEE WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE FOLLOWING SPONSORS OF THIS YEAR'S EVENT!

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Davis Wright Tremaine LLP
Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP
Google Inc.
Hogan Lovells US LLP

National Association of Broadcasters
Sidley Austin LLP
T-Mobile USA, Inc.
Wiley Rein LLP
Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP
Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP
Wiltshire & Grannis LLP

THE FCBA CHARITY AUCTION IS ON FACEBOOK AND TWITTER: LIKE US, THEN FOLLOW US!

Help spread the word about the FCBA's November 8, 2012 Charity Auction and stay connected as the auction process moves forward!

"Like" the Charity Auction Facebook page (<http://goo.gl/9cnrq>) and "Follow" us on Twitter (@FCBACharity).

You'll get easy access to information about **silent and live auction** prizes to help plan your bidding strategy, learn about upcoming **volunteer opportunities** with our beneficiary—Transitional Housing Corporation, and find out how to participate in the **online auction**.

Spotlight on the Beneficiary: THC—Housing Families, Transforming Lives September Service Event

As part of the 2012 Charity Auction Committee's commitment to furthering the mission of this year's beneficiary, there was a service event with THC on Saturday, September 8. The Committee wishes to express its gratitude to the many FCBA members, plus their friends and families (including Daniel Brenner, Brendan Carr, Machalagh Carr, Grace Koh, Joe Bechtold, Jared Cornfeld, Elliot Cornfeld, James Kleier Jr., Bronwyn Proffit-Higgins, and Ginny Dick), that turned out, pitched in, and helped make the event a success!

The day presented a wonderful opportunity to help THC continue its efforts to break the cycle of poverty and homelessness that plagues many families in this area. The task for the day was simple and rewarding—help one homeless family (a mother and her two little girls) move in to temporary housing and begin furnishing a second apartment for another homeless family that would be moving in to the building in the coming days. As the morning began, volunteers met up with THC's volunteer coordinators at a storage unit to collect furniture for the two families. Believe it or not, it does take three or four telecommunications lawyers to figure out the difference between a bedside table and an end table! And it took two more lawyers to make sure there were the right number of chairs, sofas, bed frames, and lamps.

Once the inventory of furnishings was sorted out, volunteers followed the moving van to Partner Arms 2, one of THC's two assisted housing facilities, where they began moving items into the apartments. While volunteers were hauling boxes full of sheets and comforters up to the elevators, they ran into the family that was moving in that day. They began setting up the little girls' beds while their very grateful mother



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started to tidy the kitchen. They didn't stay too long, because the family wanted to get settled, but they brought a few things for the girls to welcome them into their new home: books, crayons and drawing paper, and a stuffed bear. There were big smiles all around.

Volunteers also received a tour of the building and learned more about the youth enrichment programs and job training opportunities that THC offers the many homeless families they assist.

The 2012 Charity Auction Committee hopes you can get involved in the next event with THC and learn a little more about this great charity. Please keep an eye out for announcements on the FCBA website and in your inbox.

THC—Housing Families, Transforming Lives Service Event to be held on October 16

As a part of our engagement with this year's FCBA Charity Auction beneficiary (THC—Housing Families, Transforming Lives), the Privacy and Data Security, Young Lawyers, and Charity Auction Committees are presenting a family online safety training to THC residents. The one-hour training on **Tuesday, October 16, from 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.** will focus on ways that families can be safe online and address some common questions about how parents can help ensure that their kids have a positive experience on the Internet. The committees are looking for volunteers to help present the training and to work one-on-one with families who have specific questions about Internet usage during the session. If you're interested in participating or would like more information, please contact **Rob Sherman** (robsherman@fb.com) or **Brendan Carr** (Brendan.Carr@fcc.gov).

Charity Auction – Prize Donations Needed!

The Auction Committee is looking for “priceless” prizes for this year's FCBA Charity Auction (i.e., tickets to exclusive events, behind-the-scenes tours, and other unique prizes that can't be obtained anywhere else!). Please consider whether you have any ideas or connections that would be helpful in procuring such items. “Priceless” prizes are always some of the most popular additions to our event. The Auction Committee truly appreciates the tremendous support and enthusiasm shown by members of the bar with respect to the annual Charity Auction. Your generosity in the form of donations, volunteering, and participation in auction bidding is what makes this event so successful year after year. If you would like to make a donation, please use the **Auction Donation Form** on [page 25](#) of this newsletter. Contributions are tax deductible, to the extent permitted by law.

The 23rd Annual Charity Auction will be held on **Thursday, November 8, 2012**, at the **Capital Hilton, 1001 16th Street, NW, Washington, DC**, from **7:00 – 10:00 p.m.** If you have any questions about the auction, please contact **Brendan Carr** (703-307-1778, brendancarr@gmail.com) or **Kerry Loughney** (202-293-4000, kerry@fcba.org).

Charity Auction – Call for Volunteers

The 2012 FCBA Charity Auction is just around the corner – **Thursday, November 8** – and the Auction Committee is looking for volunteers to help make this year's event a success! Volunteering is a fun and rewarding opportunity to give back and make new friends in the bar. To volunteer, send an e-mail to the Auction Committee at FCBAuction@gmail.com. Please indicate whether you are able to help by selling raffle tickets, volunteering on the night of the auction, and/or soliciting prize donations. Thank you for your support!

CHARITY AUCTION

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has established a great track record of giving DC families the tools and support they need to break the cycle of poverty and establish economic independence in safe and stable housing environments.

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, and raffle drawings. Attendees should expect surprises and new and exciting prizes building on last year's record-setting event (more than \$137,000 raised), including vacation packages; electronics; tickets to Verizon Center events, concerts, theater shows, and various sporting events (including Redskins, Wizards, Capitals, and Nationals games); dinners; lunches; spa packages; and gift certificates from area businesses.

Over the past 22 years, the Charity Auction has raised more than \$1.2 million for DC-based organizations, including Pediatric AIDS/HIV Care, Inc., the D.C. 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, and Sitar Arts Center.

If you have any questions about the auction, please contact **Brendan Carr** (703-307-1778, brendancarr@gmail.com) or **Kerry Loughney** (202-293-4000, kerry@fcba.org).

If you are interested in donating a prize, use the **Auction Donation Form** on [page 25](#) of this newsletter. Contributions are tax deductible, to the extent permitted by law.

Membership and Marketing Committee

The FCBA Membership and Marketing Committee for 2012-2013 is co-chaired by **Jim Blitz**, **Ryan Wallach**, **Davina Sashkin**, and **Peter Corea**. The committee's general mission is to propose and implement ideas and plans aimed at increasing and maintaining a robust and sustaining level of FCBA membership. Given the current economic environment and the evolving communications landscape, the committee's co-chairs anticipate that membership recruitment and retention will present both opportunities and challenges.

This year's Committee is studying options to encourage existing FCBA members to bring in new members while looking to improve the value that the FCBA provides to its members. In addition, the committee intends to undertake initiatives to contact and reengage former members, increase FCBA membership and participation among lobbyists and legislative practitioners, and broaden FCBA membership to include a broader range of professionals and practitioners in other fields that are increasingly affected by changes in communications law and policy.

If you would like to share any ideas to improve or build upon our past membership processes, please contact the co-chairs: Jim Blitz (jim.blitz@siriusxm.com); Ryan Wallach (Ryan_Wallach@comcast.com), Davina Sashkin (sashkin@fhhlaw.com), and Pete Corea (petercorea@comcast.net).

Atlanta Chapter

The Atlanta Chapter, which is chaired by **Carolyn Roddy** and **Kennard Woods**, offers policy luncheon programs each year. These events are co-sponsored by the Center for Advanced Communications Policy (CACP) of the Georgia Institute of Technology (Georgia

Tech) and are often held on the Georgia Tech campus.

Chapter events provide local FCBA members and the telecommunications and technology communities in the Southeast with an opportunity to meet with federal and state industry policy leaders and discuss trends, new applications and regulatory changes. The Chapter also offers a platform to related government educational efforts, such as the FCC's program on digital television conversion.

The programs are free and, if a luncheon event, box lunches are provided by CACP at or below cost upon request. In recent months the Chapter's events included the following:

February 2012 – Telehealth in Georgia: Implications for Health Care and Telecommunications Industry. Speakers: Dr. Mark Braunstein, Associate Director, Health Systems Institute, Georgia Tech; Paul Guy, Executive Director, Georgia Partnership for Telehealth; and Kevin Doran, Sales Engineering Director, Georgia Windstream Communications. State Senator Chip Rogers moderated the program. The National Association of Telecommunications Professionals was an additional co-sponsor.

May 2012 – Twenty-First Century Communications Video Accessibility Act of 2010: Compliance and Opportunities for the Telecom Industry, Manufacturers and Individuals with Disabilities. Speakers: Karen Peltz Strauss, Deputy Chief, Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau, FCC; Matt Gertz, Counsel, External and State Affairs, CTIA - The Wireless Association; and Julie Kearney, Vice-President, Regulatory Affairs, Consumer Electronics Association. Ronnie London, Davis, Wright, Tremaine, Washington, DC, moderated the program.

Attendance at Chapter events ranges from 35 to 100 industry participants, FCBA members, academics, government officials and technology experts.

The next Atlanta Chapter program will examine the impact of broadband stimulus and USF reform on broadband deployment in Georgia. The program is tentatively scheduled for the late fall or early winter.

Midwest Chapter

Midwest Chapter co-chairs **Lisa Washburn** and **Sara Cole** are working with the chapter's steering committee to develop its 2012-2013 calendar of events. As in the past, the Chapter expects to host several events to highlight current communications issues of interest to a broad spectrum of members. Those events will include speakers from government, industry, and private practice.

In 2011-2012, the Chapter hosted two Chicago events. Last September the Chapter hosted a cocktail reception with FCC Media Bureau Chief Bill Lake and Peter Doyle, Chief of the Audio Division. The reception was sponsored by the law firm of Kelley Drye, and scheduled in conjunction the National Association of Broadcasters' Annual Radio Show. Approximately 20 Midwest Chapter members attended, along with a number of Washington, DC communications and media law attorneys who were in Chicago for the NAB Radio Show. In January, the Chapter hosted a "brown-bag" lunch program featuring guest speaker Jason DeHaan, Chief Information Officer for the City of Chicago. The lunch provided an interactive forum for discussing how the City has analyzed and used technology to serve its citizens and support its departments. Attendees at this program also learned about the City's effort to close the "digital divide" by expanding technology resources to residents of underserved neighborhoods.

Program ideas, speaker suggestions, and other expressions of interest from current and potential new members are always welcome; please contact Sara Cole of TDS Telecommunications (sara.cole@tdstelecom.com) or Lisa Washburn of Tribune Company (ewashburn@tribune.com).

Herbert E. Forrest (1923-2012)

Herbert E. Forrest, President of the Federal Communications Bar Association from 1982-83, and the oldest serving lawyer at the U.S. Department of Justice at his retirement on March 31, 2012, passed away on August 22, 2012. He was 88 years old.



Herb was born in New York City and was raised during the challenging years of the Depression. His parents were Russian immigrants who came to Ellis Island in the early 1900s. As a young man, Herb enlisted in the U.S. Army in World War II and served with a field artillery unit in the South Pacific. After the war, he moved to Washington, D.C. and graduated from George Washington University and George Washington University Law School, finishing first in his law school class in 1952. While attending college and law school, he worked as a printer at the U.S. Bureau of Printing and Engraving.

Herb was a law clerk to Chief Judge Bolitha Laws of the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia. He was a partner in the firm of Welch, Mott and Morgan, where he practiced from 1955 to 1965. He was also a partner at Steptoe and Johnson from 1965 to 1987, where he began and headed its Telecommunications Practice. Among other clients, he was known for his FCC regulatory work on behalf of the Southern Pacific Railway Company and its communications subsidiary. He also worked on antitrust litigation involving AT&T.

After 35 years in private practice in 1987, at the age of 63, Herb joined the U.S. Department of Justice, as a lawyer in the Federal Programs Branch of the Civil Division. He represented the U.S. Government for another 25 years of his

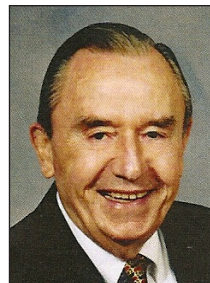
life. Culminating a varied and active legal career, Herb considered it one of the highest honors he ever achieved to serve his country in this way. He was especially proud when he became the oldest serving lawyer at the Justice Department during the last year of his life.

Herb was a fun-loving, soft spoken, collegial man with a quick wit prompted by circumstances. He had a strong appetite for knowledge and culture. Herb and his wife Marilyn were prolific travelers, including trips to Libya and Iran in his 80s. When some of his family expressed concern about his adventurous choice of travel destinations, he responded: "if not now, when?"

Herb met his beloved wife of 59 years, Marilyn, on a blind date in New York City. They were engaged after their third date. Herb is survived by Marilyn, of Bethesda, Maryland, two sons, a sister, five grandchildren, and a great grandson.

John D. Lane (1921-2012)

John Dennis Lane, President of the Federal Communications Bar Association in 1991-92, died peacefully at 90 years of age on August 18, 2012. In addition to his active communications practice and leadership role in the FCBA, he was otherwise active in the legal community.



Those activities included several terms as a member of the American Bar Association's Committee on the Federal Judiciary, in which capacity he participated in evaluations of Presidential nominees for judicial appointments and testified before Congressional committees reviewing such appointments. His testimony included one hearing on appointment of a Chief Justice of the

United States. During the administration of President Clinton, he was appointed to the office of White House Counsel to advise the President on the selection of judicial nominees.

John served as the ABA's representative to the United Nations, participating in the UN Conference in Rome in 1998 that established the International Criminal Court. He enjoyed sharing such experiences, and his legal knowledge, with students at Columbus School of Law of the Catholic University of America, where he held the title of Distinguished Practitioner.

John was a native of Connecticut but graduated from the School of Foreign Service of Georgetown University. He later served with the Marines in the Pacific during World War II, then returned to Georgetown where he completed Law School and earned his degree. After a brief stint at IRS, he joined the staff of the U.S. Senator from Connecticut Brien McMahon, until the Senator's untimely death in 1952.

At that time he formed his own law firm, which later became Hedrick & Lane with partner Cleve Hedrick, and in 1982 by merger became Wilkes, Artis, Hedrick & Lane. Among his notable clients was the Association of Public Safety Communications Officials (APCO).

According to an In Memoriam piece recently published by APCO, John "led APCO through numerous battles to secure radio spectrum for public safety, and advised individual state and local governments in precedent-setting cases." It said he "is fondly regarded by every living APCO International past president."

Bob Gurs of Fletcher Heald, who worked with John Lane at Wilkes Artis from the mid-1980's to 1999, says he "was known as the 'father' of the prime time access rule, which preserved local TV stations' programming options and limited network power." He described John as "a master of advocacy, knowing how

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In MEMORIAM

JOHN D. LANE

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to turn a phrase in a way that shed the best light on his client's position." And he echoed a comment by Frank Mullin, FCBA President in 1972-73, that John "had a real gift for friendship."

Ramsey Woodworth practiced law with John for 30 years, from 1969 to 1999. He remarked about his mentor's representation of a long list of "some of the most prestigious clients in the United States and abroad," and on John's personal "hands on" approach to the work he did for those clients.

John Lane was preceded in death last year by his beloved wife Elizabeth. He is survived by their five children, all residents of the Washington D.C. Metropolitan Area; by eleven grandchildren; and by a brother and sister in Connecticut.

JOB Bank

TO RESPOND TO JOB BANK LISTINGS

If the employer is listed, send the information requested directly to the employer. If you are responding to a **BLIND BOX** listing, send **ONE COPY** of the information requested to Kerry Loughney, Federal Communications Bar Association, 1020 19th Street, NW, Suite 325, Washington, DC 20036-6101, or **EMAIL** it to kerry@fcba.org. Please clearly indicate the Blind Box number to which you are responding. If you are applying to a Blind Box, you may enclose a separate note to the FCBA specifying any organization to which you do not wish your application to be forwarded. Responses to Blind Box listings can be accepted only from FCBA members.

TO LIST A JOB

Complete a Job Bank Form and send or fax the Form and the appropriate payment to Kerry Loughney, Federal Communications Bar Association, 1020 19th Street, NW, Suite 325, Washington, DC 20036-6101. In addition, please email the text of the ad to kerry@fcba.org. Listings and payment received by the 15th day of each month will appear in the next month's newsletter. If possible, ads should not exceed 75 words. Please call the FCBA, (202) 293-4000, for a Job Bank Form. (No headhunters please).

LAW FIRM / CORPORATE

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Cable/Telecommunications/Broadband Experienced Counsel – Entrepreneurial firm seeks motivated, experienced communications attorney (5+ years) for DC office. Firm's practice focuses on cable, telecommunications, and broadband regulatory, licensing and transactional work. The firm emphasizes team work and offers excellent opportunities for direct client contact and significant responsibility within an informal and collegial work environment. Requirements include superior writing, research and interpersonal skills, strong

attention to detail, and a demonstrated ability to perform in a fast-paced setting. Industry and regulatory experience strongly preferred. Competitive pay and benefits.

To apply, qualified candidates should submit cover letter, resume and a writing sample to: Kerry Loughney, FCBA, 1020 19th Street, NW, Suite 325, Washington, DC 20036-6101, or email to kerry@fcba.org. Please clearly indicate the Blind Box number to which you are responding.

10.12.2

Communications Regulatory Associate

– Vibrant international law firm seeks an associate with 3-5 years' experience for our well-established communications regulatory group in our Washington DC office, to participate in a broad range of matters including cable television, broadcast, telecommunications, copyright and new media/technologies. Specific responsibilities include:

- Advise cable clients on a wide variety of issues arising under Part 76 of the Federal Communications Commission's (FCC) rules, including: retransmission consent and must carry, market modifications, program access and carriage, network non-duplication and syndicated exclusivity, navigation devices, closed captioning, and public file obligations; draft and file pleadings with the FCC, prepare legal research and strategy memoranda, and provide day-to-day operational guidance and compliance counseling;
- Advise broadcast clients regarding compliance with FCC rules, including licensing, children's programming, indecency, political advertising, assignments and transfers and interference;
- Counsel cable operators of all sizes regarding issues arising under the statutory cable compulsory copyright license, including: advocacy before the U.S. Copyright Office, creating and implementing pro-active strategies in anticipation of potential audits,

responding to inquiries from the Copyright Office and copyright holders, identifying potential areas for copyright cost savings, and preparing semi-annual statements of account;

- Draft comments and pleadings in FCC rulemaking and administrative proceedings;
- Perform regulatory due diligence and assist in developing future compliance strategies for media clients in connection with transactions and financings;
- Defend cable operators and broadcasters in FCC Enforcement Bureau proceedings;
- Prepare client advisories for cable operators, broadcasters, and other media clients regarding decisions and actions of interest by courts, the FCC, and the Copyright Office.

Superior academic credentials, writing skills and references required. Opportunity to work in close-knit practice group atmosphere with significant client contact, coupled with AM LAW top-100 firm support. Please submit resume, transcript and writing sample. Competitive salary and benefits.

Applications for this opening will only be accepted via online self-apply: <https://selfapply.eapdlaw.com/viRecruitSelfApply/Default.aspx>.

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10.12.3

Experienced Attorney – Fletcher, Heald & Hildreth, PLC is seeking an associate with 3-5 years' experience for our growing wireless and wireline telecommunications and Internet practices. Superior academic credentials, writing skills and references required. Small-firm collegiality with large-firm infrastructure. Competitive salary and benefits. Virginia Bar membership expected within one year. Send resume to george@fhhlaw.com. Principals only.

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10.12.4

Fellowships in Media Law & Policy – The Institute for Public Representation (IPR) at Georgetown Law invites applications for Fellowships in Media Law and Policy. IPR provides *pro bono* legal representation to media reform organizations, civil rights groups, children's advocates, and other non-profit organizations in matters before the FCC, FTC and federal courts. IPR Fellows take substantial responsibility on cases, supervise and teach law students, work closely with a faculty mentor, and earn an LLM. The paid fellowships begin in August 2013 and run for two years. Applications are due December 3, 2012. For more information visit www.instituteforpublicrepresentation.org.

10.12.5

Public Policy Manager – Motorola Mobility LLC seeks a Public Policy Manager to focus on wireless and spectrum-related matters at the FCC and other federal government agencies. Newly created position provides strategic thinking, tactical advice, and external advocacy on major policy developments. Law degree and 5+ years of relevant experience preferred; position located in Washington, DC. Complete job specifications and instructions for submitting applications can be found at <http://www.motorolacareers.com/search-jobs.aspx>.

10.12.6

State Public Policy Director – Motorola Mobility LLC seeks a State Public Policy Director based in its Chicago headquarters, focusing on the Chicago/Illinois and Sunnyvale/California regions. The person in this newly created position will engage in external advocacy on behalf of the Company, interacting with political constituencies, other tech companies, and NGOs. Strategic thinking and tactical advice also will be necessary to deal with political developments. Law degree preferred. Candidates should have 10+ years of relevant industry experience (government experience a plus). Complete job specifications and instructions for submitting applications can be found at <http://www.motorolacareers.com/search-jobs.aspx>.

GW Law School Is The New Host Institution of the FCLJ

Last summer, the FCBA Law Journal Committee decided to seek a new host institution for the Federal Communications Law Journal (FCLJ), the official academic journal of the FCBA. The George Washington University Law School was chosen as the next school to hold this distinction. The Journal is officially under the control of GW Law School and future issues will be produced there beginning in Fall 2012.

The FCLJ editorial team at GW Law is now seeking and accepting article submissions for possible publication in the upcoming Volume 65 of the FCLJ.

Members interested in submitting articles may contact Senior Articles Editor, **Avonne Bell** (fcljarticles@law.gwu.edu). Articles can also be submitted through ExpressO.

For general inquiries or questions about the FCLJ please contact Editor in Chief, **Dennis Holmes** (fclj@law.gwu.edu).

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The D.C. Bar offers a free, confidential program for lawyers and law students who are experiencing problems, such as addiction, mental health symptoms or stress, which interfere with their personal or professional lives. Telephone or face-to-face consultations with licensed counselors are available. The program also provides mentors. Here is a link to a more detailed description of the counseling opportunities that are offered: http://www.dcbar.org/for_lawyers/bar_services/counseling/about.cfm.

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- ☐ **Tuesday, October 9, 5:00 – 7:30 p.m. – Fall ABA/FCBA Privacy and Data Security Symposium.** Location: Santa Clara University School of Law, Santa Clara, CA.
Cost: \$135.00 for Private Sector FCBA/ABA Members; \$50.00 for Government/Academic/Transitional FCBA/ABA Members; \$25.00 for Student FCBA/ABA Members; \$205.00 for Non-FCBA/ABA-Members
Registrations and cancellations due by 5:00 p.m., Friday, October 5, 2012.
- ☐ **Wednesday, October 10, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. – Northern California Chapter Program and Reception with FCC Commissioner Mignon Clyburn.** Location: Davis Wright Tremaine LLP, 505 Montgomery Street, Suite 800, San Francisco, CA
Cost: \$15.00 for FCBA Members; \$25.00 for Non-FCBA Members; \$10.00 for Government Employees
Registrations and cancellations due by 12:00 Noon, Tuesday, October 9, 2012.
- ☐ **Tuesday, October 23, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. – CLE Seminar on Nuts and Bolts of Applications for Approval of Assignments or Transfers of Licenses in the Broadcast, Cable, and Satellite Industries.** Location: Mayer Brown LLP, 1999 K Street, NW.
Cost: \$135.00 for Private Sector Members; \$50.00 for Government/Academic/Transitional Members; \$25.00 for Student Members; \$205.00 for Non-Members
Registrations and cancellations due by 12:00 Noon, Monday, October 22, 2012.
- ☐ **Thursday, October 25, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. – CLE Seminar on Developing Rules for the Broadcast Incentive Auction.** Location: TBD.
Cost: \$135.00 for Private Sector Members; \$50.00 for Government/Academic/Transitional Members; \$25.00 for Student Members; \$205.00 for Non-Members
Registrations and cancellations due by 12:00 Noon, Wednesday, October 24, 2012.
- ☐ **Monday, October 29, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. – CLE Seminar on Why Every Lawyer Should Understand the Basic Concepts of Enterprise Risk Management (Erm) – 2012.** Location: Wiley Rein LLP, 1776 K Street, NW.
Cost: \$135.00 for Private Sector Members; \$50.00 for Government/Academic/Transitional Members; \$25.00 for Student Members; \$205.00 for Non-Members
Registrations and cancellations due by 12:00 Noon, Friday, October 26, 2012.
- ☐ **Thursday, November 1, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. – CLE Seminar on Hot Issues in Advertising.** Location: Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP, 1500 K Street, NW.
Cost: \$135.00 for Private Sector Members; \$50.00 for Government/Academic/Transitional Members; \$25.00 for Student Members; \$205.00 for Non-Members
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- ☐ **Thursday, November 15, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. – CLE
Seminar on High Cost and Low-Income USF Reform
One Year Later: A Progress Report.** Location: Davis
Wright Tremaine LLP, 1919 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW,
Suite 800.
Cost: \$135.00 for Private Sector Members; \$50.00 for
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FCBA FALL RECEPTION: MEET AND GREET THE FCC AND NTIA BUREAU AND OFFICE CHIEFS *Registration*

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The 23rd Annual Charity Auction, benefiting Transitional Housing Corporation and the FCBA Foundation, will be held on Thursday, November 8, at the Capital Hilton, 1001 16th Street, NW, beginning at 7:00 p.m. Admission is free.

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26TH ANNUAL CHAIRMAN'S DINNER *Registration*

Thursday, December 13, 2012

**HILTON WASHINGTON & TOWERS
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**RECEPTION - 6:00 P.M.
DINNER - 7:30 P.M. - INTERNATIONAL BALLROOM**

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Calendar

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October 10	Legislative and Young Lawyers Committees Happy Hour
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May 17-19	Annual Seminar, The Hotel Hershey, Hershey, PA



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