

## FCBA Fall Reception with the FCC and NTIA Bureau and Office Chiefs to be held on October 24

The FCBA annual fall reception with the **FCC and NTIA Bureau and Office Chiefs** will be held on **Tuesday, October 24, 6:00-8:00 p.m.** The reception will be held at the J.W. Marriott Hotel, 1331 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C.

Sponsorships of the event are available for \$500 and \$250, and include registrations to the reception. Sponsors will receive recognition in the newsletter and acknowledgement at the event. Individual tickets to the reception may also be purchased. Please use the **registration form on page 25**.

FCBA thanks the **Fall Reception Sponsors** listed on page 4.

## 8th Annual Communications Law 101 Seminar to be held on November 1

On **Wednesday, November 1, 2006**, the FCBA will present its annual "Comm Law 101" CLE Seminar, from **9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.**, at the Wiley Rein & Fielding Conference Center, 1776 K Street, N.W. This all-day event is targeted at attorneys who are relatively new to practice and will feature recognized private sector and government experts in the field. The program has applied for CLE credit. The goal of the Comm Law 101 seminar is to provide a practical overview of communications law and the communications industry, explore some of the most important legal and technology issues that impact the industry, and identify some key practical skills for communications attorneys. Use form on page 26 to register.

**9:00 – 9:15 am**

### WELCOME

FCBA President **Jennifer Warren**, Lockheed Martin Corporation

**9:15 – 9:30 am**

### KEYNOTE

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FCC Commissioner Robert M. McDowell

## FCBA Luncheon with FCC Commissioner McDowell on November 15

Commissioner **Robert M. McDowell** will be the FCBA's guest speaker at a **Wednesday, November 15** luncheon at the Mayflower Hotel, 1127 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. The doors will open for registration and networking at 11:30 a.m. and the luncheon will begin at 12 noon. To register, please use the form on page 24.

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**Topic:** Reconsideration of the Media Ownership Rules  
**Location:** Dow Lohnes PLLC, 1200 New Hampshire Avenue, NW, Suite 800

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### Professional Responsibility Committee CLE Seminar

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### Wireless Telecommunications Practice Committee Lunch

**Date/Time:** Thursday, October 26, 12:15 p.m.  
**Topic:** Meet the FCC Wireless Advisors  
**Location:** Latham & Watkins, 555 Eleventh Street, NW, 10th floor

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## PRESIDENT'S Message

### DEAR MEMBERS,

It was great to see so many of you at our kick-off event on September 7 with both **Commissioners Deborah Taylor Tate** and **Robert McDowell**. They and their staff helped over 500 members of the FCBA enjoy a wonderful evening outdoors until well after the *official* reception hours. Looking ahead, we have several more great FCBA-wide events for the Fall. On October 24, we are hosting our Annual Fall Reception, which provides an excellent opportunity to meet and greet the Bureau and Office Chiefs – this year from both the FCC and NTIA. On November 15, we are having our first keynote luncheon for this FCBA year, featuring **Commissioner Robert McDowell**. And on November 16, the *ad hoc* Charity Auction Committee, chaired by the Young Lawyers Co-Chairs, **Natalie Roisman** and **Chris Fedeli**, will present the 17th FCBA Charity Auction. The Auction is one of the FCBA's most successful events. Last year's Charity Auction beneficiary, KEEN, has selected the FCBA to receive its 2006 Corporate award; the funds raised at the Charity Auction enabled KEEN to open two new sports programs for children with disabilities in Southeast D.C.



I am particularly proud of our members' generosity year after year. Our annual Charity Auction is just one of many opportunities, principally through our Foundation, for the FCBA community to give back to our larger local community, and each year we do so with much enthusiasm and dedication. There are several other ways to volunteer for, contribute to, or participate in local charitable activities organized by the FCBA. On a monthly basis, the FCBA Foundation seeks volunteers for Martha's Table and McKenna's Wagon, each rewarding in their own way. At Martha's Table, our volunteers prepare and package food for delivery to the needy in the D.C. community. McKenna's Wagon is a mobile soup and sandwich wagon that goes "on location" to deliver the food prepared at Martha's Table. For those who have volunteered for either, it is a rewarding experience and a great way to help in the D.C. community.

I hope you individually or in groups are able to experience these wonderful FCBA volunteer opportunities. And I look forward to seeing you on November 16 at our Annual Charity Auction. We need your donations, and of course, please don't forget your checkbooks or credit cards!

Jennifer A. Warren



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## FCBA Membership Renewal

The **third round** of dues invoices for the FCBA's 2007 fiscal year (July 1, 2006 – June 30, 2007) were mailed the last week in September. **Please note that the deadline was JULY 31, 2006.** Remember to renew your membership as soon as possible; if the FCBA office does not receive your renewal by November 1, you will not be listed in the directory. Also included in the mailing is a committee and chapter sign-up sheet form. A donation to the FCBA Foundation while renewing your membership is always appreciated.

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**9:30 – 10:45 am**

**TECHNOLOGY WORKSHOP –  
GETTING YOUR HEAD IN THE  
CLOUD: HOW IP NETWORKS  
WORK.**

With **Lauren Van Wazer**, FCC (Moderator); **Jeff Goldthorp**, FCC (invited); **Rob Kubik**, Motorola; others TBD.

With Internet applications reaching into all of the FCC's (and the bar's) "stovepipes," an understanding of IP networks is all the more critical to today's communications practitioners. Ever wonder what lies in the Internet "cloud"? This workshop focuses on what lies behind the "cloud." This workshop will also help demystify some of the common Internet terms.

**10:45 – 11:00**

**BREAK**

**11:00 – 12:15**

**MEDIA OWNERSHIP AND  
CONTENT REGULATION:  
DIVERSITY, SCARCITY AND  
PUBLIC INTEREST**

With **Jack Goodman**, WilmerHale (Moderator); **Anne Swanson**, Dow Lohnes; **Andrew Schwartzman**, Media Access Project; **Jennifer Tatel**, Sidley Austin; other TBD.

The media landscape looks completely different today than it did 20 years ago. The changes keep on coming – entry by telephone companies into video, continued growth of satellite and cable, the creation of new distribution

platforms over the internet. What affect will these changes have on existing players and how will these changes affect FCC regulation? Should the FCC continue to restrict broadcast ownership? How should the public interest model function in this new environment? And what are the limits on the FCC's ability to regulate media content?

**12:15 – 1:45 pm**

**LUNCH – EFFECTIVE  
ADVOCACY AT THE FCC**

With **Bryan Tramont**, Wilkinson Barker Knauer (Moderator); **Chris Wright**, Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis; **Cheryl Tritt**, Morrison & Foerster; **Jim Casserly**, Willkie, Farr & Gallagher; **Julie Kearney**, CEA.

What distinguishes good comments from bad comments? How do you most effectively present your case in meetings with staff? What are the roles of the press, Capitol Hill and the Executive Branch? How do you help the FCC decide your way and protect yourself for appeal?

**2:00 – 3:15 pm**

**REGULATING TELECOM AND  
INTERNET SERVICES: WHO IS  
REGULATED, AND WHAT DO  
THEY HAVE TO DO?**

With **David Sieradzki**, Hogan & Hartson LLP (Moderator); **Rick Whitt**, NetsEdge Consulting; others TBD.

From "net neutrality" to universal service to consumer protection, the same questions keep coming up. Which service providers are subject to "common carrier" regulation and other

telecommunications requirements? What does that mean, as a practical matter? How did the current complex and uncertain situation come to pass, and how are legislators and regulators likely to change it going forward?

**3:15-3:30 pm**

**BREAK**

**3:30-4:45 pm**

**SPECTRUM RIGHTS:  
ALLOCATIONS, RIGHTS V.  
COMMONS, RELIANCE V.  
FLEXIBILITY**

With **Mark Schneider**, Sidley Austin (Moderator); **Julius Knapp**, FCC; **Paula Boyd**, Microsoft; **Dean Brenner**, QUALCOMM.

How do you allocate spectrum as between competing and conflicting uses? The core concepts discussed here are interference protection, reliance and flexibility, property rights and commons principles. Issues of interference and innovation will be explored. Why do you have auctions? How does technology enable commons?

**4:45-5:00 pm**

**WRAP-UP**

\*affiliations are for identification purposes only.

**Attendees are invited to the Young Lawyers Committee's monthly happy hour following the program at Restaurant Kolumbia, 1801 K Street NW, from 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.**

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### October 11th, 6:00 - 8:30 p.m. Reconsideration of the Media Ownership Rules

*Presented by the Diversity and Mass Media Committees*

The FCBA Diversity and Mass Media Committees will co-sponsor a CLE Seminar from 6:00 – 8:30 p.m. on October 11, 2006, on the Commission's current media ownership rules, the pending proceeding and whether or not the current rules are necessary in the public interest. The program will be held at the law offices of Dow Lohnes PLLC, 1200 New Hampshire Avenue, NW, Suite 800, Washington, DC.

Panelists will discuss the purpose and goals of the rules, whether limits are necessary, and what issues/developments should the FCC consider in evaluating the rules. The audience will also have a chance to ask the panelists questions.

#### Agenda

**6:00 – 6:05**

#### **WELCOME & INTRODUCTION**

**Parul Desai**, Assistant Director, Media Access Project

**Rudy Brioche**, Legal Advisor, Commissioner Jonathan S. Adelstein, Federal Communications Commission  
Moderator: **Rosemary C. Harold**, Deputy Bureau Chief, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission

**6:05 – 6:50**

#### **LOCAL RADIO OWNERSHIP RULE**

Panelists:

**David Honig**, Executive Director, Minority Media and Telecommunications Council

**John F. Garziglia**, Member, Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice, PLLC

**John E. Fiorini**, Partner, Wiley Rein & Fielding LLP

**6:50 – 7:35**

#### **LOCAL TELEVISION AND RADIO-TELEVISION CROSS OWNERSHIP RULES**

Panelists:

**Angela Campbell**, Professor, Institute for Public Representation, Georgetown University Law Center

**Kathryn R. Schmeltzer**, Partner, Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP

**Jonathan Blake**, Partner, Covington & Burling LLP

**7:35 – 7:45**

#### **BREAK**

**7:45 – 8:30**

#### **NEWSPAPER-BROADCAST CROSS OWNERSHIP RULE**

Panelists:

**Dr. Mark N. Cooper**, Director of Research, Consumer Federation of America

**David Fleming**, Senior Legal Counsel, Gannett Co., Inc., General Counsel, Gannett Broadcasting

**Andrew Jay Schwartzman**, President and CEO, Media Access Project

**Richard Kaplar**, Vice President, The Media Institute

See page 24 for registration information.

### October 16th - Client Creation, Conflicts and Confidentiality in the Administrative Process

(Note: This is a repeat of the June 12, 2006 CLE Seminar)

*Presented by the Professional Responsibility Committee*

The Professional Responsibility Committee will hold a continuing legal education seminar entitled "Client Creation, Conflicts and Confidentiality," on Monday, October 16, from 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. at the Wiley Rein & Fielding LLP Conference Center, 1776 K Street,

NW. The Seminar will feature discussion of a number of issues faced by lawyers and law firms in the administrative practice. The seminar will focus particularly on issues being addressed as FCBA members attempt to expand their client bases in an era of industry consolidations and technology convergences, where the interests of vertically integrated clients often encounter internal positional conflicts.

The seminar will feature a brief overview of the principle sections of the DC Bar's Code of Professional Responsibility, noting areas where the DC rules differ from those applicable to practice in the Commonwealth of Virginia. Following this brief overview a distinguished panel of ethics experts will discuss a variety of hypothetical situations often faced by FCBA members in the creation and management of client relationships. Participating in this panel discussion will be **Tim Bloomfield** of Holland & Knight, immediate past Chair of the DC Board on Professional Responsibility, **Barry Cohen** of Crowell & Moring, a past chair of the DC Bar's Legal Ethics Committee, and **Thomas Spahn** of McGuire Woods, Chair of the Virginia Judicial Ethics Advisory Committee. Opportunities will also be provided for attendees to ask questions of our distinguished panel. Please register by Thursday, October 12, 2006.

#### Agenda

**6:00-6:05**

#### **WELCOME, REVIEW OF PROGRAM AND INTRODUCTION OF PANELISTS**

**Frank Jazzo**, **Eric Soriano**, **Scott Tollefsen**

**6:05-6:40**

#### **PANEL DISCUSSION OF HYPOTHETICAL SITUATIONS**

**Tim Bloomfield**, **Barry Cohen**, **Tom Spahn**, **Larry Movshin**

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## COMMITTEES AND CHAPTERS *in the Spotlight*

### Access to Records Committee

In August, the Access to Records Committee initiated discussions with staff from the FCC's Office of Managing Director regarding several CDBS outages. The Committee intends to continue those discussions and is looking forward to assisting the FCC in finding solutions and determining what users should do in the event of future outages. If you have any comments, suggestions, or questions, please contact **Tony Lin** at [tony.lin@pillsburylaw.com](mailto:tony.lin@pillsburylaw.com), 202-663-8452, **Ken Keane** at [kkeane@duanemorris.com](mailto:kkeane@duanemorris.com), 202-776-5243 or **Chris Bjornson** at [crbjornson@mintz.com](mailto:crbjornson@mintz.com), 202-434-7477.

### Membership and Marketing Committee

The Membership and Marketing Committee is co-chaired by **Peter Corea** of the FCC's Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, **Tarah Grant** of Hogan & Hartson LLP, **Julie M. Kearney** of the Consumer Electronics Association, and **Bryan N. Tramont** of Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP. The committee's mission is to propose and implement ideas and plans aimed at increasing and maintaining FCBA membership.

With respect to initiatives to increase FCBA membership numbers, the committee kicked off the year by focusing on the FCBA's paralegal and law student membership categories. The committee chairs reached out to contacts at a number of law firms and law schools to encourage them to promote FCBA membership to others within their organization.

With respect to initiatives to maintain FCBA membership numbers and make FCBA membership more valuable to its existing members, the committee is planning to conduct a membership survey this fall. The membership survey will be a shorter and more focused version of the membership survey that the FCBA conducted five years ago and which was sent to all FCBA members. Unlike the prior survey, this year's survey will be sent only to a small pool of participants, selected to provide a representative sampling of a number of different perspectives (e.g., a few government employees who have never been FCC members, a few private practice attorneys who didn't renew their FCBA memberships, a few non-attorneys who may have never heard about the FCBA before but would be good membership candidates, a few long-term FCBA who are active in the bar, etc.). The Membership and Marketing Committee hopes that this targeted survey will provide insight into what individuals find most beneficial about FCBA

membership and what can be changed to make the organization and its activities even more appealing to members and prospective members.

Please feel free to contact the Membership and Marketing Committee co-chairs if you have ideas with respect to maintaining and increasing FCBA membership: [peter.corea@fcc.gov](mailto:peter.corea@fcc.gov), [tsgrant@hhlaw.com](mailto:tsgrant@hhlaw.com), [jkearney@ce.org](mailto:jkearney@ce.org), and [btramont@wbklaw.com](mailto:btramont@wbklaw.com).

### Atlanta Chapter

After the summer break, the Atlanta Chapter is looking forward to the coming year and is excited about the addition of new Co-Chair **Nancy Kumar** with Southern Company.

As customer privacy and data security breaches continue to present challenges for traditional telecommunications carriers and businesses in general, the Chapter is currently planning a November event focusing on how both in-house and outside counsel are addressing challenges presented by customer privacy requirements, including the FCC's CPNI rules.

Statewide video franchises will be one of the issues before the Georgia General Assembly during its upcoming session. The Chapter is also looking forward to presenting another January legislative luncheon where members can hear the perspective of their state legislators on this and other issues.

The Atlanta Chapter also plans to reach out to other local telecommunications associations during the coming year. If there are particular events or ideas you would like to suggest, or for more information about the Atlanta Chapter, contact Chapter Co-Chairs **Ron Jackson** at [rvjackson@wstecomlaw.com](mailto:rvjackson@wstecomlaw.com), **Rickard Keck** at [RKeck@duanemorris.com](mailto:RKeck@duanemorris.com), and **Nancy Kumar** at [NKHABERK@southernco.com](mailto:NKHABERK@southernco.com).



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# COMMITTEE AND CHAPTER *Events*

## Cable Practice Committee

**Event:** Brown Bag Lunch

**Date/Time:** Friday, October 6, 12:15 p.m.

**Location:** Sidley Austin LLP, 1501 K Street, NW, 6th Floor

**Topic:** Cable Telephony: Business Opportunities and Regulatory Considerations

**Speakers:** Dan Brenner, Sr. Vice President, Law & Regulatory Policy, National Cable & Telecommunications Association; Susan Jin-Davis, VP Comcast Voice Services, Comcast Corp; and Sandy Wilson, Vice President of Public Policy, Cox Enterprises, Inc.

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## Common Carrier Practice Committee

**Event:** Brown Bag Lunch co-hosted by the IP-Based Communications Practice Committee

**Date/Time:** Tuesday, October 17, 12:15 p.m.

**Location:** Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street, SW, 6th Floor South Conference Room

**Topic:** Deploying IP-based Services in Rural Areas: a look at how IP services are being deployed in rural areas, related technological and regulatory issues, and the similarities or differences with deployment in urban areas

**Speakers:** TBA

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## Diversity Committee

**Event:** CLE Seminar co-presented by the Mass Media Practice Committee

**Date/Time:** Wednesday, October 11, 6:00-8:30 p.m.

**Topic:** Reconsideration of the Media Ownership Rules

**Location:** Dow Lohnes PLLC, 1200 New Hampshire Avenue, NW, Suite 800

**For further information:** See page 5.

## Engineering and Technical Practice Committee

**Event:** Tour the Montgomery County Public Safety Communications Center

**Date/Time:** Wednesday, October 4, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon

**Location:** Gaithersburg, MD

**More Information:** There is a 40 person limit for the tour and bus transportation will be provided for those attending. The bus will depart from and return to the FCC, 445 12th Street, S.W. Departure time: 8:30 a.m.

**Cost:** \$25.00

**To register:** use form on page 24.

## FCC Enforcement Practice Committee

**Event:** Brown Bag Lunch

**Date/Time:** Tuesday, November 28, 12:00 - 1:30 p.m.

**Location:** Arnold & Porter LLP, 555 Twelfth Street, NW, Paul Porter Room, 10th Floor

**Topic:** Telemarketing Enforcement – TCPA, CAN-SPAM, Do-Not-Call, Junk Fax and More

**Speakers:** Kris Monteith, Chief, FCC Enforcement Bureau; and Lydia Parnes, Chief, FTC Bureau of Consumer Protection

**RSVP to:** Christi Shewman by November 27 – christi.shewman@fcc.gov

## HLS/Emergency Communications ad hoc Committee

**Event:** Tour the Montgomery County Public Safety Communications Center

**Date/Time:** Wednesday, October 4, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon

**Location:** Gaithersburg, MD

**More Information:** There is a 40 person limit for the tour and bus transportation will be provided for those attending. The bus will depart from and return to the FCC, 445 12th Street, S.W. Departure time: 8:30 a.m. The Montgomery County PSCC is a secure site. All attendees must bring a picture ID.

**Cost:** \$25.00

**To register:** use form on page 24.

**Event:** Brown Bag Lunch

**Date/Time:** Friday, October 13, 12:15 – 1:45 p.m.

**Location:** Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP, 2400 N Street, NW, Lobby

**Topic:** This is the kick-off meeting for the new Ad Hoc Committee on Emergency Response and Homeland Security. At this meeting, we ask all interested FCBA members to attend to provide us insight into what events you would most be interested in us hosting over the coming year.

**For More Information and to RSVP:** Jennifer Manner, 703-390-2730 or jmanner@msvlp.com

## International Telecommunications Committee

**Event:** Brown Bag Lunch co-hosted by the IP-Based Communications Committee

**Date/Time:** Thursday, October 5, 12:00 - 1:45 p.m.

**Location:** Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP, 1333 New Hampshire Ave., N.W., 10th floor

**Speakers:** Michael Gallagher, Perkins Coie, Former Assistant Secretary, Department of Commerce, NTIA and Sally Shipman, Senior Policy Advisor Department of State

**Topic:** Internet Governance Forum

The first meeting of the Internet Governance Forum (IGF) is scheduled to take place in Athens, Greece on October 30 – November 2. Coming on the heels of the United Nations World Summit on the Information Society, the IGF will gather governments, industry and civil society members from around the world to discuss Internet access, content and security issues that could have far reaching implications for service providers and end users alike. Michael Gallagher, who served as Assistant Secretary at NTIA during the WSIS Summit, and who is appointed to the IGF Advisory Group, and Sally Shipman, Senior Policy Advisor, Department of State will provide an overview of the IGF and what issues the communications industry should be focused on at the first IGF and beyond.

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\*RSVPs requested. The security policy in this building requires us to have the names of the attendees in advance.

**Event:** Brown Bag Lunch

**Date/Time:** Thursday, November 2, 2006, 12:00-2:00 p.m.

**Location:** Skadden, Arps, 1440 New York Avenue, N.W., 11th Floor

**Topic:** VoIP and Broadband Developments in Europe and Asia

**Speakers:** Moderator: Mark C. Del Bianco, Law Office of Mark Del Bianco; Christian Dippon, Vice President, NERA Economic Consulting; Peter Waters, Partner, Gilbert+Tobin (Australia) and Arculli, Fong and Ng (Hong Kong); Karl J. Weaver, Mobile Device Specialist, Newport Technologies; and Jean-marc Escalettes, President, France Telecom Long Distance USA.

**Co-Sponsor:** Public Utility Research Center (PURC), University of Florida Warrington College of Business

**RSVP:** By October 30 to Jennifer Ullman at jennifer.ullman@verizon.com, 202-515-2432. Please see page 11 for further information.

## IP-Based Communications Committee

**Event:** Brown Bag Lunch co-hosted by the International Telecommunications Committee  
**Date/Time:** Thursday, October 5, 12:00 - 1:45 p.m.

**Location:** Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP, 1333 New Hampshire Ave., N.W., 10th floor

**Speakers:** Michael Gallagher, Perkins Coie, Former Assistant Secretary, Department of Commerce, NTIA and Sally Shipman, Senior Policy Advisor Department of State

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## COMMITTEE AND CHAPTER *Events*

### **Topic:** Internet Governance Forum

The first meeting of the Internet Governance Forum (IGF) is scheduled to take place in Athens, Greece on October 30 – November 2. Coming on the heels of the United Nations World Summit on the Information Society, the IGF will gather governments, industry and civil society members from around the world to discuss Internet access, content and security issues that could have far reaching implications for service providers and end users alike. Michael Gallagher, who served as Assistant Secretary at NTIA during the WSIS Summit, and who is appointed to the IGF Advisory Group, and Sally Shipman, Senior Policy Advisor, Department of State will provide an overview of the IGF and what issues the communications industry should be focused on at the first IGF and beyond.

### **For More Information and to RSVP:**

Fionna Alexander, falexander@ntia.doc.gov or Brian Cute, bcute@verisign.com no later than October 3

\*RSVPs requested. The security policy in this building requires us to have the names of the attendees in advance.

### **Event:** Brown Bag Lunch co-hosted by the Common Carrier Practice Committee

**Date/Time:** Tuesday, October 17, 12:15 p.m.

**Location:** Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street, SW, 6th Floor South Conference Room

**Topic:** Deploying IP-based Services in Rural Areas: a look at how IP services are being deployed in rural areas, related technological and regulatory issues, and the similarities or differences with deployment in urban areas

**Speakers:** TBA

**RSVP to:** Andy Morentz, amorentz@gci.com

### **Legislative Committee**

### **Event:** Joint Legislative Practice and Young Lawyers Committee Happy Hour

**Date/Time:** Thursday, October 12, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

**Location:** Lounge 201, 201 Massachusetts Avenue NE, 202-544-5201.

**Other info:** Come join the YLC and Legislative Practice Committee for a happy hour at Capitol Hill martini bar Lounge 201. Recommended drinks include Berry-Bull Tinis and Lime in the Coconut. For more information, contact Paula Timmons, paula@paulatimmonsconsulting.com, 202-255-1627 or Chris Fedeli, cfedeli@crblaw.com, 202-828-9874.

### **Mass Media Practice Committee**

### **Event:** Brown Bag Lunch

**Date/Time:** Tuesday, October 10, 12:15 - 2:00 p.m.

**Location:** Fleischman and Walsh, L.L.P., 1919 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 600

### **Topic:** The National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA) and the Digital Television Transition

**Speaker:** Meredith Attwell Baker, Senior Advisor, NTIA

**For more information or to RSVP:** Erin Dozier, edozier@sheppardmullin.com, 202-772-5312.

### **Event:** CLE Seminar co-presented by the Diversity Committee

**Date/Time:** Wednesday, October 11, 6:00-8:30 p.m.

**Topic:** Reconsideration of the Media Ownership Rules

**Location:** Dow Lohnes PLLC, 1200 New Hampshire Avenue, NW, Suite 800

**For further information:** See page 5.

### **Event:** Joint Mass Media Practice and Young Lawyers Committee Brown Bag Lunch

**Date/Time:** Wednesday, October 18, 12:15 p.m.

**Location:** National Association of Broadcasters, 1771 N Street, N.W.

**Topic:** "Meet the Bureau Chief." The Young Lawyers and Mass Media Practice Committees will co-host this brown bag lunch with guest speaker Donna Gregg, Chief of the FCC's Media Bureau.

**RSVP to:** Erin Dozier, edozier@sheppardmullin.com, 202-772-5312 or Chris Fedeli, CFedeli@crblaw.com, 202-659-9750.

### **Professional Responsibility Committee**

### **Event:** CLE Seminar

**Date/Time:** Monday, October 16, 6:00-8:15 p.m.

**Topic:** Client Creation, Conflicts and Confidentiality in the Administrative Process

\*Note this is a repeat of the June 12 CLE

**Location:** Wiley Rein & Fielding LLP, 1776 K Street, NW

**For further information:** See page 5.

### **Transactional Practice Committee**

### **Event:** Brown Bag Lunch

**Date/Time:** Thursday, October 12, 12:30 - 1:45 p.m.

**Location:** Paul, Hastings, Janofsky & Walker LLP, 875 15th Street, The Washington Conference Room

**Topic:** Introduction to Capital Markets — Have you ever wondered what "capital markets" really means? The speakers will discuss the various forms of financing available to communications companies - angel, VC, mezzanine, private equity, traditional loans, public offerings, and the issues associated with each.

**Speakers:** Tara Giunta, Partner - Paul, Hastings, Janofsky & Walker LLP; Rebecca Arbogast, Vice President - Stifel, Nicolaus & Company, Inc.; Carlyle Group speaker invited

**RSVP to:** Christine Crowe, ccrowe@wbklaw.com, 202-383-3334

### **Wireless Telecommunications Practice Committee**

\*Please note the new time and place for Wireless Committee meetings: fourth Thursday of the month at Latham & Watkins, 555 Eleventh Street, N.W.

### **Event:** Luncheon Panel — Meet the FCC Wireless Advisors

**Date/Time:** Thursday, October 26, 12:15 p.m.

**Location:** Latham & Watkins, 555 Eleventh Street, N.W., 10th floor

**Topic:** The five FCC wireless advisors will participate in a panel on current wireless issues at the Commission.

**Confirmed speakers:** Fred Campbell (Office of Chairman Martin), Barry Ohlson (Office of Commissioner Adelstein), Bruce Gottlieb (Office of Commissioner Copps), Aaron Goldberger (Office of Commissioner Tate), Angela Giancarlo (Office of Commissioner McDowell)

**Cost:** \$15.00

**Note:** Drinks and food provided.

**To register:** use form on page 24.

### **Young Lawyers Committee**

### **Event:** Joint Young Lawyers and Legislative Practice Committee Happy Hour

**Date/Time:** Thursday, October 12, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

**Location:** Lounge 201, 201 Massachusetts Avenue NE, 202-544-5201.

**Other info:** Come join the YLC and Legislative Practice Committee for a happy hour at Capitol Hill martini bar Lounge 201. Recommended drinks include Berry-Bull Tinis and Lime in the Coconut. For more information, contact Paula Timmons, paula@paulatimmonsconsulting.com, 202-255-1627 or Chris Fedeli, cfedeli@crblaw.com, 202-828-9874.

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## COMMITTEE AND CHAPTER *Events*

**Event:** Young Lawyers Committee Auction  
Volunteers Brown Bag Lunch

**Date/Time:** Tuesday, October 31, 12:15 - 1:45 p.m.

**Location:** Wiley Rein & Fielding LLP  
Conference Center, 1776 K Street, N.W.

**Other info:** With just two weeks until the Charity Auction on November 16, this brown bag lunch is the perfect time to learn about how you can help the night of the Auction. Meet the volunteer coordinators and other volunteers. For more information or to volunteer, email fcbavolunteers06@gmail.com or contact Josh Turner, jturner@wrf.com, 202-719-4807, Katrina Gleber, kgleber@lsl-law.com, 202-416-1093, or Christina Langlois, clanglois@nualumni.com, 703-597-2265.

**Event:** Young Lawyers Committee Comm  
Law 101 Happy Hour

**Date/Time:** Wednesday, November 1,  
5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

**Location:** Restaurant Kolumbia, 1801 K  
Street NW, 202-331-5551.

**Other info:** Calling all first year associates: after comm law 101 gets out, be sure to stop by for comm law 202 a.k.a happy hour. Tonight's drink special: five dollar digital multicast martinis. For more information, contact Chris Fedeli, cfedeli@crblaw.com, 202-828-9874 or Natalie Roisman, nroisman@akingump.com, 202-887-4493.

### Florida Chapter

**Event:** 2006 Florida Telecom and Energy  
Legislative Update

**Date/Time:** Thursday, November 16,  
9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

**Location:** Mary Brogan Museum of Art &  
Science, Tallahassee, FL

**RSVP to:** Will Cox at wcox@abelband.com or  
Beth Keating at Beth.Keating@akerman.com.

**For more Information:** see page 24.

**Save the Date:** Thursday, December 7, 2006

**Location:** White & Case LLP, White & Case  
LLP, Wachovia Financial Center, Suite 4900,  
200 South Biscayne Boulevard, Miami, FL  
33131-2352

**Topic:** "The Year in Telecommunications  
Legislation: Developments at the federal level,  
in Florida, and Nationwide."

\*Please look to upcoming newsletters for  
further information.

### Pacific Northwest Chapter

**Event:** Reception co-hosted by Davis, Wright  
Tremaine, the Law Office of Angela Wu, and  
Miller Mash

**Date/Time:** Thursday, October 26,  
5:00 - 7:30 p.m.

**Location:** The home of Co-Chair Angela Wu

**More Info:** You are invited to a Pacific  
Northwest Chapter reception to kick-off the  
year! Come catch up with other folks in  
telecommunications/technology and get an

update on the events we have planned for the  
year.

**For further information and to RSVP:**  
Angela Wu, awuesq@mac.com. Please RSVP by  
Friday, October 13.

### Texas Chapter

**Event:** Brown Bag Lunch Meeting

**Date/Time:** Friday, October 20,  
12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m.

**Location:** Public Utility Commission of  
Texas, 1701 N. Congress Avenue, 7th Floor,  
Travis Building, Hearing Room Gee, Austin, TX  
78701

**Topic:** Inter-carrier Compensation –  
A Discussion of the Missoula Plan

**Speaker:** Kevin Zarling, Senior Counsel  
Embarq

**RSVP to:** Toni House by October 19 –  
thouse@phonelaw.com

**Event:** Brown Bag Lunch Meeting

**Date/Time:** Friday, November 17,  
12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m.

**Location:** Public Utility Commission of  
Texas, 1701 N. Congress Avenue, 7th Floor,  
Travis Building, Hearing Room Gee, Austin, TX  
78701

**Topic:** Remarks by Public Utility  
Commissioner Julie Parsley

**Speaker:** Commissioner Julie Parsley

**RSVP to:** Toni House by November 16 –  
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## CLIENT CREATION CLE

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### ISSUES ASSOCIATED WITH CLIENT CREATION

What must a "retainer letter" include?  
What can it include:

- advanced waivers;
- agreements re confidentiality;
- agreements re handling of future conflicts?

What level of conflict diligence is required?

### 6:40-7:30

#### DETERMINING AND RESOLVING CONFLICTS

(There will be a 10 minute break at approximately 7 pm)

**Tim Bloomfield, Barry Cohen, Tom Spahn, Peter Connolly**

- Difference between "ethical conflicts" and business conflicts
- Difference between waivable and non-waivable conflicts
- Use of "Ethical Screens"

### 7:30-8:00

#### PROTECTING CLIENT CONFIDENTIALITY AMONG COMPETITORS

**Tim Bloomfield, Barry Cohen, Tom Spahn, Ted Frank**

### 8:00-8:15

#### Q&A FROM THE AUDIENCE

See page 24 for registration information.

### Charity Auction Committee

The Charity Auction's Non-Communications Prizes Subcommittee would greatly appreciate your help! Please share your suggestions for prizes you would like to see auctioned off or businesses we could contact in our prize solicitation efforts. Think about your personal connections to any businesses you frequent, and let us know if you can assist us in obtaining a great prize for the auction!

Or, if you would like to join the more than 40 subcommittee volunteers who are "pounding the pavement" in an effort to contact nearly 700 area businesses, we would be delighted to have your assistance. Even if you can only contact a few businesses, your efforts will go a long way to benefit this year's charitable organization, Fair Chance. Email [FCBA AuctionPrizes@gmail.com](mailto:FCBA AuctionPrizes@gmail.com).

### Engineering and Technical Practice and HLS/Emergency Communications Committees

#### Tour the Montgomery County Public Safety Communications Center on October 4

The Engineering and Technical Practice Committee and Ad Hoc Committee on HLS/Emergency Communications have arranged for a tour of the Montgomery County Public Safety Communications Center located in Gaithersburg, Maryland on **Wednesday, October 4, 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon**. During the tour, you will have an opportunity to see the physical arrangement of call-takers and dispatchers, listen to police and fire incidents being dispatched on a

trunked digital radio system, and discuss interoperability challenges and successes, as well as the challenges of cell phone E911 location technology.

There is a 40 person limit for the tour and bus transportation will be provided for those attending. The bus will depart from and return to the FCC, 445 12th Street, S.W. Departure time: 8:30 a.m.

The Montgomery County PSCC is a secure site. **All attendees must bring a picture ID.** There will be an attendance/registration fee of \$25.00 to cover cost of the bus transportation. While a limited number of personal cars can be accommodated in a Visitors Lot at the center, the attendance fee nonetheless applies to those planning to drive their personal cars. The Visitors Lot location will be provided to registered attendees upon request.

Please use the form on page 24 to register.

### International Telecommunications Committee Panel Discussion and Lunch on November 2

The International Committee of the FCBA, in partnership with the Public Utility Research Center (PURC), at the University of Florida Warrington College of Business, will host a panel discussion on VoIP and broadband developments in Europe and Asia. The event will be held on **Thursday, November 2, 2006**, at Skadden, Arps, 1440 New York Avenue, N.W., 11th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20005. The program will run from **12:00 noon to 2:00 p.m.**

#### Panel Session:

*Moderator*

**Mark C. Del Bianco**, Law Office of Mark Del Bianco

*"Mobile Broadband Issues and Convergence in Europe and Asia"*

**Christian Dippon**, Vice President, NERA Economic Consulting

*"How Broadband and VoIP are Reshaping the French and European Telecom Markets"*

**Jean-Marc Escalettes**, President of France Telecom Long Distance USA LLC and VP of International Carriers Services & Sales, Americas

*"Asia as a Continent of Contrasts"*

**Peter Waters**, Partner, Gilbert + Tobin (Australia) and Arculli, Fong and Ng (Hong Kong)

*"VoIP in Asia"*

**Karl J. Weaver**, Greater China & India Wireless Market, Mobile Device Specialist, Newport Technologies

RSVP by October 30 to **Jennifer Ullman** at [jennifer.ullman@verizon.com](mailto:jennifer.ullman@verizon.com), 202-515-2432.

For more information or questions, please contact **Mark Del Bianco**, International Committee Co-Chair at [mark@markdelbianco.com](mailto:mark@markdelbianco.com), 301-933-7216 or **Jennifer Ullman** at [jennifer.ullman@verizon.com](mailto:jennifer.ullman@verizon.com), 202-515-2432.

### Transactional Practice Committee to present Fall CLE

Be on the look-out ~ The Transactional Practice Committee will sponsor a CLE this Fall on issues associated with private equity and lending deals. Industry experts will address the implications of the FCC's attribution, control, foreign ownership, anti-collusion, and debt versus equity rules and policies in the context of these financing arrangements. Please look to the website and upcoming newsletters for further information.

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## Florida Chapter

### 2006 Florida Telecom and Energy Legislative Update on November 16

The Florida Chapter of the Federal Communications Bar Association (FCBA), the University of Florida Public Utility Research Center (PURC), and the Florida Bar Public Utilities Law Committee will present a 2006 Florida Legislative Update program on **Thursday, November 16, 2006**, from **9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.**, in Tallahassee, Florida at the Mary Brogan Museum of Art & Science ([www.thebrogan.org](http://www.thebrogan.org)). Confirmed speakers include representatives from Building Owners and Managers (BOMA) International/ Florida Real Access Alliance, Comcast, Embarq, the Edison Electric Institute, Florida Digital Network, the Florida Energy Office of the Florida Department of Environmental Protection, the Florida Public Service Commission Staff, MDU Communications, Progress Energy, Sprint Nextel, and Vonage. Panelists will discuss recent Florida telecom and energy legislation, including telecom rate rebalancing, universal service, real estate/telecom negotiations, renewable energy, and plant and transmission line siting, as well as policy making predictions in light of the November elections. The lunch program will feature a lively discussion of ethical issues involved in the Maryland Public Service Commission's consideration of the FP&I/Constellation merger. CLE credits, including an ethics credit, will be available for all attorneys. For more information about this event, contact Florida FCBA Chapter Co-Chairs, **Will Cox** at [wcox@abelband.com](mailto:wcox@abelband.com) or **Beth Keating** at [Beth.Keating@akerman.com](mailto:Beth.Keating@akerman.com). Please use page 24 to register.

### Agenda:

**Thursday, November 16, 2006,**  
**9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.**

- I. State Telecom Legislation and Related Policy Issues - S 142 (Two Panels)
  - A. Rate Rebalancing and Universal Service
    1. ILEC Rate Rebalancing in Florida
    2. Universal Service - Impact of New Technologies (VOIP/Wireless)
  - B. ILEC Carrier of Last Resort Responsibilities for Multi-Tenant Buildings/ Exclusive Contracts
- II. Luncheon – Ethics Case Study on Constellation / FPL Merger Review by the Maryland Public Service Commission
- III. State Energy Legislation - S 888 (Two Panels)
  - A. Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Initiatives
  - B. Transmission Line and Power Plant Siting

### Save the Date ~ December 7, 2006

The Florida FCBA Chapter will present “The Year in Telecommunications Legislation: Developments at the federal level, in Florida, and Nationwide.” The program will discuss telecom bill re-write efforts occurring at the federal level, as well as telecom legislation in Florida and California. Location: White & Case LLP, White & Case LLP, Wachovia Financial Center, Suite 4900, 200 South Biscayne Boulevard, Miami, FL 33131-2352. Please look to upcoming newsletters for further information.

## Rocky Mountain Chapter

The University of Colorado School of Law and the FCBA Rocky Mountain Chapter co-sponsor 2 programs – October 10 and November 2.

### October 10th - Confronting Cable's Technological Frontier

**Tuesday, October 10, 2006, from 3:00 to 7:30 p.m.** at the Cable Center in Denver, CO. Over the next 5-10 years, the cable industry faces what may well be its most formidable set of opportunities and challenges. The increasing adoption of digital technologies, and the disruptive set of forces unleashed by the Internet, will undoubtedly reshape the industry. This transformation promises new product opportunities, ranging from Digital Video Recorders (DVRs), new functionalities such as a “start over” service (enabling consumers to restart programs), and services that integrate wireless devices into a digital home experience (e.g., programming a DVR from afar).

The exciting opportunities confronting the industry present a series of technological and business challenges. Firms must consider whether to embrace a maze of new technologies that leverage network, hardware, and software innovations. In practice, the difficulties and expense of upgrading cable systems and their associated technologies (i.e., set-top boxes)—as well as the challenge of selling consumers on new technologies—is often a brake on innovation. Moreover, in many cases, firms must negotiate a set of complex legal and business relationships before rolling out new products and functionalities.

The innovations now being developed for the cable platform, particularly those using broadband as a facilitator of consumer product offerings, are often pioneered by upstart firms. The digital video recorder (e.g., a Tivo), the remote viewing device (e.g., a Slingbox), and Voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP) all emerged from the efforts of entrepreneurs acting outside of the established firms. Consequently, for established firms, remaining at the cutting edge of innovation and being open to adopting the innovations of outside firms will increasingly present business strategy challenges.

The opportunity to provide content in new forms and allow users a greater

degree of control over their viewing experience is a byproduct of the digital age. At the same time, concerns about digital piracy threaten to kill the golden goose. How firms embrace digital technology and provide valuable enhancements to their existing content as well as develop protections against piracy remains a fundamental question for network operators and program developers. **Registration information available at <http://www.silicon-flatirons.org>.**

### *Schedule of Events*

**3:00-3:10**

#### **WELCOME & OVERVIEW**

**Jana Henthorn**, Vice President, Programs and Education, The Cable Center

**3:10-4:20**

#### **TECHNOLOGICAL CHANGE AND NETWORK INNOVATION**

**Dick Green**, CEO of Cablelabs  
**Tom Lookabaugh**, CEO of NGNA  
**David Ellen**, Deputy General Counsel, Cablevision

**4:20-5:30**

#### **STRATEGIES FOR REMAINING INNOVATIVE AND WELCOMING INNOVATION**

**Tryg Myhren**, Former Chairman of American Television and Communications (ATC)  
**Steve Halstead**, Managing Director, Centennial Ventures  
**Rich Grange**, CEO, New Global Telecom  
**Ryan McIntyre**, Principal, Mobius Venture Capital; co-founder Excite

**5:30-6:40**

#### **CONTENT IN A DIGITAL AGE**

**Decker Anstrom**, President and COO of Landmark Communications, Inc.  
**Chris Moseley**, EVP of Marketing for the Hallmark Channel  
**Evan Shapiro**, EVP and GM of IFC (Independent Film Channel)  
**Barbara Jaffe**, SVP of New Technology for HBO

**6:40-7:30**

#### **RECEPTION**

### **November 2nd - Network Convergence**

**Thursday, November 2, 2006, from 3:00 to 7:20 p.m.** at the University of Colorado School of Law. Increasingly, consumers will be able to communicate with one another and access information across networks (wireless, wireless, broadband, satellite, etc.) in a seamless manner. According to some technologists, consumers will soon engage in widespread content and service shifting, accessing video programs stored on their digital video recorders (DVRs) from their laptops, receiving emails on their television set, and programming their DVRs from their mobile phones.

To facilitate these and other innovations, technologists are developing a number of emerging technologies. These technologies include the IP Multimedia Subsystem (IMS) (which supports multi-media applications across networks), multiple-mode phones (such as those that allow access to wi-fi networks where available and cellular networks where not), and ancillary terrestrial component (ATC) systems (which seamlessly integrate satellite and terrestrial wireless networks). In the midst of these technological changes, there are a number of questions about whether and how an integrated architecture will develop.

From a business perspective, the onset of network convergence could create significant opportunities both for the established network providers and independent applications developers. There are, however, a number of challenges in making this vision a reality. For starters, many carriers complain that the Internet rests on a fragile foundation—recall the Level 3/Cogent dispute over “peering”—and that current strategies have failed to develop sustainable approaches. More

generally, many are concerned about whether open standards will enable consumers to switch between providers and whether applications will be largely dedicated to certain platforms. Finally, some question whether compelling applications will be developed at all and whether established firms will welcome independent firms (think Tivo and SlingMedia).

For policymakers, the emerging phenomenon of network convergence promises the death knell to traditional silo-based regulation. To date, for example, legacy approaches continue to follow new technologies—such as the requirement that Voice over IP (VoIP) providers offer E-911 access along the same lines offered by established firms. When VoIP conversations rely on wi-fi networks or TV programs are downloaded from the Internet and then transferred to a TV or another device, the effort to translate old rules to new technologies is bound to break down. **Registration information available at <http://www.silicon-flatirons.org>.**

### *Schedule of Events*

**3:00-3:10**

#### **WELCOME & OVERVIEW**

**Phil Weiser**, Executive Director, Silicon Flatirons Program

**3:10-4:10**

#### **THE TECHNOLOGICAL AND BUSINESS REALITIES OF NETWORK CONVERGENCE**

**Carlos Kirjner**, Partner, McKinsey  
**Don Kasica**, CEO, Boldtech Systems  
**Roger Koenig**, Founder and CEO, Carrier Access  
**Stephen Meer**, CTO, Intrado

**4:10-5:10**

#### **INTEROPERABILITY, OPEN STANDARDS, AND APPLICATIONS COMPETITION**

**Kathleen Ham**, Vice President, T-Mobile  
**Blair Levin**, Managing Director, Stifel Nicholas

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### Successful FCBA Fall Reception held on September 7

More than 500 FCBA members attended the early fall reception on Thursday, September 7, 2006 at the Washington Hilton where they had the opportunity to meet and greet FCC Commissioners **Deborah Taylor Tate** and **Robert McDowell** and their staffs. FCBA members mingled with our special guests, enjoying the outside setting on the hotel's Terrace for the reception, throughout the evening.





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### December 14-15, 2006: 24th Annual Telecommunications Conference

On December 14-15, at The Washington Hilton Hotel, our Association and the Practising Law Institute will co-sponsor their 24th annual Institute on "Telecommunications Policy and Regulation." The Conference will be highlighted by the appearance of three FCC members: Chairman **Kevin Martin** (as keynoter), Commissioner **Michael Copps**, and new Commissioner **Robert McDowell**. Additionally, Assistant Secretary of Commerce and NTIA Administrator **John Kneuer** will provide remarks. **Edward Whitacre**, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of AT&T, also will be the featured Luncheon Speaker on December 14.

Other highlights of the program include three substantive panels on developments in, respectively, wireline telephony, wireless telecommunications, and the communications future. In addition, a Congressional staff panel – featuring **Lisa Sutherland** (R) and **James Assey** (D) of the Senate Commerce Committee, and **Colin Crowell** (D) of the House Commerce Committee – will discuss legislative matters. The conference also will feature tutorials by **Thomas Navin**, Chief of the FCC's Wireline Bureau, **Catherine Seidel**, Acting Bureau Chief of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, and **David Farber**, Professor of Computer Science and Public Policy at Carnegie Mellon University.

Once again, the seminar's agenda will include a debate – this year, on "Network Neutrality : What Does It Really Mean?", with **Gigi Sohn**, President and Co-Founder of Public Knowledge, facing off against **Scott Cleland**, Chairman, NETCompetition.org, and with **Diane Cornell**, Vice President, Government

Affairs, Inmarsat as moderator. The Institute will also host a panel discussion on Homeland Security, moderated by **Nancy Victory**, former NTIA chief.

FCBA President **Jennifer Warren** will open the program, and **Kathleen Abernathy**, **Henry Rivera**, **Clark Wadlow** and **Dick Wiley**, of the FCBA's Conferences Committee, will serve as Institute co-chairs. In addition, a number of Association members will moderate various program segments.

A registration form for the 1½ day seminar, which is always very well attended, is on page 27. As noted, a registration fee discount is available to Association members.

### Practising Law Institute in cooperation with the Federal Communications Bar Association present: the 24th Annual Institute on Telecommunications Policy and Regulation

*Thursday, December 14*

**9:00 a.m.**

#### **WELCOME**

**Jennifer A. Warren**, President, Federal Communications Bar Association  
**Howard G. Maurer**, Program Attorney, Practising Law Institute

**9:15 a.m.**

#### **CONVERSATION:**

with **Kevin J. Martin**, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission  
*Moderator:*

1. **Richard E. Wiley**, Wiley Rein & Fielding LLP

**9:45 a.m.**

#### **CONGRESSIONAL PANEL:**

1. **James M. Assey**, Senate Commerce Committee (D)
2. **Colin Crowell**, House Commerce Committee (D)
3. **Lisa Sutherland**, Senate Commerce Committee (R)

*FCBA Co-Moderators:*

1. **R. Clark Wadlow**, Sidley Austin LLP
2. **Gerard J. Waldron**, Covington & Burling

**10:45 a.m.**

#### **BREAK**

**11:00 a.m.**

#### **WIRELINE TUTORIAL**

**Thomas J. Navin**, Chief, Wireline Competition Bureau, Federal Communications Commission

**11:30 a.m.**

#### **PANEL #1: DEVELOPMENTS IN WIRELINE TELEPHONY**

*FCBA Co-Moderators:*

1. **Henry M. Rivera**, Vinson & Elkins LLP

2. **Riley K. Temple**, Halprin Temple

*Panelists:*

1. **Michelle M. Carey**, Legal Advisor to FCC Chairman Kevin Martin
2. **Earl W. Comstock**, President & Chief Executive Office, COMPTel
3. **Paul Glenchur**, Telecom Analyst, Stanford Washington Research Group
4. **Robert W. Quinn, Jr.**, Senior Vice President, Federal Regulatory, AT&T, Inc.

5. **Curtis Stamp**, Commissioner, Iowa Utilities Board

6. **Lisa Zaina**, Executive Director, Independent Telephone & Telecommunications Alliance (ITTA)

**12:30 p.m.**

#### **LUNCHEON**

**Edward E. Whitacre, Jr.**, Chairman & Chief Executive Officer, AT&T, Inc.

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**2:00 p.m.**

## **WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS TUTORIAL**

**Catherine W. Seidel**, Acting Bureau Chief, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, Federal Communications Commission

**2:30 p.m.**

## **PANEL #2: DEVELOPMENTS IN WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS**

*FCBA Co-Moderators:*

1. **Kathleen Q. Abernathy**, Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP
2. **Karen Brinkmann**, Latham & Watkins LLP

*Panelists:*

1. **William A. Anaya**, Director, Telecom Strategy & Legislative Counsel, Motorola, Inc.
2. **Carolyn W. Brandon**, Vice President, Policy, CTIA-The Wireless Association
3. **Paula Ford**, Regulatory Counsel, Microsoft Corporation
4. **Aaron N. Goldberger**, Legal Advisor to FCC Commissioner Deborah Tate
5. **Peter K. Pitsch**, Director of Communications Policy, Intel Corporation
6. **Thomas J. Sugrue**, Vice President, T-Mobile USA, Inc.

**3:30 p.m.**

## **BREAK**

**3:45 p.m.**

## **TUTORIAL ON INTERNET DEVELOPMENTS**

**David J. Farber**, Distinguished Career Professor of Computer Science and Public Policy, Carnegie Mellon University

**4:30 p.m.**

## **CLOSING REMARKS**

**John M.R. Kneuer**, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Communications and Information, National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA)

**5:00 p.m.**

## **ADJOURNMENT**

## *Friday, December 15*

**9:00 a.m.**

## **OPENING REMARKS**

**Michael J. Copps**, Commissioner, Federal Communications Commission

**9:30 a.m.**

## **PANEL #3: DEVELOPMENTS IN HOMELAND SECURITY**

*FCBA Moderator:*

**Nancy J. Victory**, Wiley Rein & Fielding LLP

*Panelists:*

1. **Dr. Peter M. Fonash**, Deputy Manager, National Communications System, Department of Homeland Security
2. **Robert M. Gurss**, Director, Legal & Government Affairs, APCO International
3. **Kenneth P. Moran**, Director, Office of Homeland Security, Federal Communications Commission

**10:15 a.m.**

## **BREAK**

**10:30 a.m.**

## **DEBATE: "NETWORK NEUTRALITY: WHAT DOES IT REALLY MEAN?"**

*Debators:*

**Scott C. Cleland**, Chairman, NETCompetition.org

vs.

**Gigi B. Sohn**, President and Co-Founder, Public Knowledge

*Moderator:*

**Diane J. Cornell**, Vice President, Government Affairs, Inmarsat Inc.

**11:15 a.m.**

## **PANEL #4: TELECOMMUNICATIONS FUTURE**

*FCBA Co-Moderators:*

1. **Michele C. Farquhar**, Hogan & Hartson LLP
2. **Richard E. Wiley**, Wiley Rein & Fielding LLP

*Panelists:*

1. **Dale N. Hatfield**, Director, Interdisciplinary Telecommunications Program, University of Colorado at Boulder

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

3. **Blair Levin**, Managing Director, Stifel Nicholas

4. **Robert M. Pepper**, Senior Managing Director, Global Advance Technology Policy, Cisco Systems, Inc.

5. **William L. Smith**, Chief Technology Officer, BellSouth Corporation

6. **Alexandra M. Wilson**, Vice President, Public Policy, Cox Enterprises, Inc.

**12:15 p.m.**

## **CLOSING REMARKS**

**Robert M. McDowell**, Commissioner, Federal Communications Commission

**12:45 p.m.**

## **ADJOURNMENT**

## **FCBA and Davis Wright Tremaine host enjoyable reception**

On August 1, 2006, the FCBA joined Davis Wright Tremaine in hosting a reception at the San Francisco Cartoon Art Museum in coordination with the NARUC convention.

Throughout the course of the 3 hour event, around 90 attendees strolled through and enjoyed art, conversation and food. Former FCC Commissioner **Rochelle Chong** was among the guests. A local caricaturist was seated just inside one of the galleries and sketched willing participants...by the end of the evening, there was a gallery of familiar faces on the walls! Each guest was then able to take their sketch with them as a reminder of the evening.



## 17th Annual Charity Auction to Benefit Fair Chance

The Young Lawyers Committee and the FCBA Foundation will hold the 17th Annual Charity Auction on **Thursday, November 16, 2006**, at the Marriott at Metro Center, 775 12th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., from **7:00 to 9:30 p.m.** Admission is free and the event is open to the public.

This year's auction proceeds will benefit **Fair Chance**. Fair Chance's mission is to ensure that children in at-risk communities in Washington, D.C. have the same opportunities as children in other neighborhoods to learn and grow. Fair Chance strengthens innovative community-led youth and family programs working on the front lines of poverty in D.C., helping them become sustainable and effective organizations. Fair Chance's partners are providing critical services including mentoring, tutoring, literacy, arts education, workforce and job skills development, and adolescent and family health programs. Through free, yearlong partnerships, Fair Chance provides these organizations with the tools and resources they need to make a positive and lasting difference in their communities.

The Charity Auction is one of Washington, D.C.'s premier "must-attend" events for the communications industry. The event features a live auction, silent auctions, raffles, and food and drinks. As in the past, prizes are expected to include vacation packages, electronics products, tickets to various sporting events (including Redskins, Wizards, Capitals, and Nationals games), Verizon Center events, theater tickets, dinners, lunches, spa packages, and gift certificates from area businesses. If you are interested in donating a prize or becoming a sponsor to the auction, an **Auction Donation Form** is on page 28 of this newsletter.

Over the past sixteen years, the Charity Auction has raised over \$650,000 for

DC-based organizations including Pediatric AIDS/HIV Care, Inc., the D.C. Children's Advocacy Center, STEP/Have a Dream, the Spanish Education Development Center, the Charitable Coalition for Children with Cancer, and Kids Enjoy Exercise Now, which last year received over \$77,000.00 in auction proceeds.

If you have any questions about the auction, please contact **Natalie Roisman**, (202) 887-4493, [nroisman@akingump.com](mailto:nroisman@akingump.com) or **Kerry Loughney**, (202) 293-4000, [kerry@fcba.org](mailto:kerry@fcba.org).

## Volunteer Outreach for Martha's Table – October 29th

Many of us are stretched for time these days, but why not consider spending a few hours on a Sunday to help the FCBA Foundation's partner charities? For several years now, the FCBA has been providing volunteers to Martha's Table and McKenna's Wagon. These organizations rely on the good work of our members each month, so grab a friend, colleague or family member and join your fellow FCBA volunteers!

Martha's Table feeds hundreds of hungry, homeless adults and children on the streets of Washington daily, through its mobile soup kitchen. Children and friends are also welcome. We will begin at 10:00 am and work until 1:00 pm. 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.

The FCBA volunteers on the **last Sunday of every month**, so mark your calendars now. For more information, contact **Howard Weiss** at 703-812-0471 — [weiss@fhhlaw.com](mailto:weiss@fhhlaw.com).

## McKenna's Wagon Seeking Volunteers for October 22nd

McKenna's Wagon is a mobile soup and sandwich wagon that goes "on location" to deliver food to the needy. For those who have volunteered, it has been a wonderful experience and a great way to help the needy in the D.C. community.

The Wagon is a white van that is loaded up with sandwiches, snacks and soup. We meet at Martha's Table at 4:45 pm in comfortable clothes and shoes. 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.

Upon arrival we get assignments (some of us will distribute snacks and sandwiches, others will serve soup), and put on aprons before we depart in the van to 5th and New York Ave., NW (near the new Convention Center). We are driven by one of our experienced volunteers and the trip to distribution location takes about 10-15 minutes.

We serve about 30-75 people per visit including a few mothers who come for food for their families. The area is well patrolled by police. The food distribution is conducted in an efficient, calm and orderly fashion and many of the people we serve are quite appreciative of our efforts. Once we serve all of the food, we do a clean up of the immediate area. Total time for the distribution takes about one hour and we usually return to Martha's Table by or before 6:30 pm.

We would love to have you join us on one of our upcoming food runs which are always on the **4th Sunday of the month**. If you are able to volunteer on **October 22** or a future date, please contact Marlo Go at [MGo@ctia.org](mailto:MGo@ctia.org) or **Tom VanWazer** at [tvanwazer@sidley.com](mailto:tvanwazer@sidley.com).



## Foundation Mystics Event

The Foundation hosted its 2006 scholarship winners and their volunteer mentors at a Mystics game in July. The FCBA Foundation would like to thank NAB, NBC and Verizon for donating the use of their suites and all those who volunteered to serve as a mentor, the number of which exceeded the number of mentors necessary. A good time was had by all.



## Save The Date! 17th Annual FCBA Charity Auction

**PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT  
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**NOVEMBER 16, 2006**

**7:00 TO 9:30 P.M.**

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WASHINGTON, D.C.**

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Fair Chance's mission is to ensure that children in at-risk communities in Washington, D.C. have the same opportunities as children in other neighborhoods to learn and grow. Fair Chance strengthens innovative community-led youth and family programs working on the front lines of poverty in D.C., helping them become sustainable and effective organizations. Fair Chance's partners are providing

critical services including mentoring, tutoring, literacy, arts education, workforce and job skills development, and adolescent and family health programs. Through free, yearlong partnerships, Fair Chance provides these organizations with the tools and resources they need to make a positive and lasting difference in their communities.

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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

### 10.06.1

**Associate** – Our Washington, D.C. office has an immediate opening for a first or second year associate, with experience or demonstrated commitment to telecommunications. If you are interested in a diverse global practice, involving wireline, wireless, and satellite regulatory issues, this is the job for you. The ideal candidate will be academically distinguished and possess excellent writing and analytical skills. For immediate consideration, please send cover letter and resume to Elaine C. Gregg, Squire, Sanders & Dempsey L.L.P., 1201 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 500, Washington, DC 20004, FAX (202-626-6780) or e-mail to: **egregg-WSH@ssd.com**. No phone calls please. All inquiries will be held in strict confidence. EOE

### 10.06.2

**Senior Counsel, Legal and Regulatory Affairs, Cablevision** – The Senior Counsel will play a major role in the development, coordination, and implementation of positions on regulatory policy issues involving local, state, and federal matters that substantially impact Cablevision's regulated businesses. He/she will also be responsible for a range of issues relating to Cablevision's local franchising

efforts, including providing legal advice, assistance, and oversight in the negotiation of the Company's franchise agreements.

Specific responsibilities include: developing strategies on policy issues; assisting in the implementation of regulatory policies by drafting appropriate documentation and by participating in the management of the company's involvement in proceedings before state and federal agencies; representing Corporate Government Affairs on key local franchising matters; coordinating the regulatory filings associated with requests for consent to acquire or sell cable systems; working with in-house and outside counsel; and drafting relevant documents such as FCC forms and draft resolutions.

Qualified candidates must have: 4 years of legal experience as counsel on federal, state or local cable, video or related policy issues and/or legal experience in cable franchising; understanding of federal, state, and local legislative, regulatory and political processes including bill drafting and review; ability to write legal pleadings on complex policy issues and effectively deliver the positions of the company in public hearings and proceedings; strong negotiation and communication skills; experience in preparing and presenting legal issues to high-level corporate executives. Send resumes to: **execrec@cablevision.com**.

### 10.06.3

#### **Senior Telecom Counsel, Legal And Regulatory Affairs Position, Cablevision**

The Senior Counsel will play a major role in the development, coordination, and implementation of positions on policy matters that substantially impact Cablevision's telecom businesses. Additionally, he/she will be responsible for monitoring regulatory telecom issues involving local, state, and federal governments.

Specific responsibilities include: developing strategies on policy issues; assisting in the implementation of regulatory policies by drafting appropriate documentation and by participating in the management of the company's involvement in proceedings before state and federal agencies; coordinating the regulatory filings required; working with in-house and outside counsel; and drafting relevant documents such as FCC forms and draft resolutions.

Qualified candidates must have: minimum 4 years of legal experience as counsel on federal, state or local telecom issues either in house, at a government agency or law-firm; understanding of federal, state and local legislative, regulatory and political processes including bill drafting and review; ability to write legal pleadings on complex policy issues and effectively deliver the positions of the company in public hearings and proceeding; strong negotiation and communication skills; experience in preparing and presenting legal issues to high-level corporate executives. Send

resumes to: **execrec@cablevision.com**.

### 10.06.4

**Senior Regulatory Counsel** – LIN TV Corp.-NYSE:TVL – will oversee FCC, SEC and other regulatory compliance for this publicly held broadcast company as well as develop and implement regulatory policy positions on issues that impact LIN's business. Specific responsibilities include: assisting the General Counsel and outside counsel in preparing SEC and FCC filings; assisting in the development and implementation of regulatory policies, drafting appropriate documentation and representing the company in proceedings before federal agencies; drafting and coordinating all regulatory filings; and advising and overseeing television station personnel regarding FCC and other regulatory matters. Qualified candidates must have 3-4 years of legal experience as counsel on FCC matters; television broadcasting preferred. Candidates must possess strong negotiation and communication skills; experience in preparing and presenting legal issues to all levels of personnel, including television station employees to high-level corporate executives. Relocation to Providence, Rhode Island corporate headquarters required. Excellent opportunity to join a dynamic organization offering counsel on legal, business and policy issues on regulatory matters. Please send cover letter and resume to **denise.parent@lintv.com**. No phone calls please.

### 10.06.5

**Telecommunications Paralegal** – Paul, Hastings, Janofsky and Walker LLP, a successful, expanding international law firm, is seeking an experienced telecommunications paralegal to join the firm's diverse Media and Telecommunications Practice Group in the firm's growing 120 attorney DC office. The ideal candidate will have expertise using the FCC's CDBS, ULS, and ECFs electronic filing systems and databases, be familiar with a broad cross section of regulatory filings for media, wireless and other common carrier clients (auction and non-auction applications, annual reports, notifications, etc.) be knowledgeable about regulatory due diligence processes on telecommunication transactions, be comfortable dealing directly with clients and with FCC employees and other government representatives, and exhibit a high degree of attention to detail. Salary commensurate with experience. Submit resume to **wendyphinnypaulhastings.com**.

### 10.06.6

**VP, Law and Public Policy** – National Internet company seeks attorney with 10-15 years telecommunications and Internet-related experience. Excellent opportunity to join a dynamic organization offering counsel on legal, business, and policy issues including regulatory

proceedings, legal research, and contract review. Superior writing, research and interpersonal skills a must. Industry and regulatory experience preferred. Submit resume, cover letter, writing sample and references to [kerry@fcba.org](mailto:kerry@fcba.org). Please note this is a Blind Box Ad.

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#### 10.06.7

##### **Fellow/Staff Attorney in Communications**

**Law** – The Institute for Public Representation, a public interest law firm and clinic at Georgetown University Law Center, is accepting applications for a two-year fellowship/staff attorney position. The Institute represents consumer, civil rights, and other advocacy groups before the FCC and the courts with the goal of making communications media accessible, diverse, and responsive to community needs. The staff attorney supervises law students working on communications projects while earning an LL.M. The position pays an annual stipend of

at least \$46,155. To find out more, visit [www.law.georgetown.edu/clinics/ipr](http://www.law.georgetown.edu/clinics/ipr). To apply, send a resume, law school transcript, two letters of recommendation, a statement of interest and a writing sample to Angela Campbell, Institute for Public Representation, Georgetown University Law Center, 600 New Jersey Ave. N.W., Washington, D.C. 20001. Applications must be postmarked by December 1, 2006 and the position starts in August 2007.

#### 10.06.8

##### **Professor of Telecommunications Law –**

**Professor of Telecommunications Law** - The University of Nebraska College of Law is seeking entry-level applicants for a tenure-track position in Telecommunications Law. This position is part of a new program in space and telecommunications law at the University of Nebraska. The Law College is seeking applicants with a superior academic record and a strong commitment to scholarship and teaching in the telecommunications field. Prior work experience in the telecommunications field, including private practice, government, or international organizations, is also desired. The

faculty member will teach a domestic telecommunications course, an international telecommunications course, and one or two additional upper-level courses that fit the interests and experience of the candidate.

Review of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the positions are filled. General information about the Law College is available at [www.unl.edu/lawcoll](http://www.unl.edu/lawcoll). The University of Nebraska is committed to a pluralistic campus community through affirmative action and equal opportunity and is responsive to the needs of dual career couples. We assure reasonable accommodation under the Americans with Disabilities Act. Please send resume and cover letter by regular mail or email to: Professor Susan Poser, Chair, Faculty Appointments Committee, University of Nebraska College of Law, Lincoln, NE 68583-0902. Phone: 402-472-8374; E-mail: [sposer1@unl.edu](mailto:sposer1@unl.edu); Fax: 402-472-5185.

### NOVEMBER LUNCHEON

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**Robert M. McDowell** was nominated by President George W. Bush to a seat on the Federal Communications Commission on February 6, 2006, for the remainder of the term expiring June 30, 2009. He was unanimously confirmed by the United States Senate on May 26, 2006, and sworn in as FCC Commissioner on June 1, 2006.

Commissioner McDowell brings to the FCC approximately sixteen years of private sector experience in the communications industry. Immediately prior to joining the FCC, Commissioner McDowell was senior vice president and assistant general counsel for COMPTTEL, an association representing competitive facilities-based telecommunications service providers, emerging VoIP providers, integrated communications companies, and their supplier partners, where he had responsibilities involving advocacy efforts before Congress, the White House and executive agencies. He has served on the North American Numbering Council (NANC) and on the

board of directors of North American Numbering Plan Billing and Collection, Inc. (NBANC).

Prior to joining COMPTTEL in February 1999, McDowell served as the executive vice president and general counsel of America's Carriers Telecommunications Association (ACTA), which merged with COMPTTEL at that time.

McDowell was graduated cum laude from Duke University in 1985. After serving as chief legislative aide to a member of the Virginia House of Delegates, he attended the Marshall-Wythe School of Law at the College of William and Mary. Upon his graduation from law school, McDowell joined the Washington, D.C., office of Arter & Hadden, a national law firm based in Cleveland.

Extensively involved in civic and political affairs, McDowell has served on numerous boards and commissions. He was appointed by Virginia Governor George Allen to the Governor's Advisory Board for a Safe and Drug-Free Virginia,

and to the Virginia Board for Contractors, to which he was reappointed by Governor Jim Gilmore. A veteran of several presidential campaigns, he was counsel to the Bush-Cheney Florida Recount Team in 2000. His work during the 1992 presidential campaign is cited in the *Almanac of American Politics*, 1994. Among his other endeavors, McDowell has twice been a candidate for the Virginia General Assembly. He currently serves as Chairman of the Board of the McLean Project for the Arts.

McDowell is admitted to practice law before the courts of the Commonwealth of Virginia, the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia, the U.S. Courts of Appeals for the District of Columbia, First, Fourth and Fifth Circuits and the U.S. Supreme Court. He resides in Fairfax County, Va., on the farm where he grew up, with his wife Jennifer and their two children.

Please join us in welcoming the Commissioner on November 15th.

### Leonard H. Marks

**Leonard H. Marks**, the 23rd President of the FCBA (1959-1960) and for three years thereafter a member of the House of Delegates of the American Bar Association, died in Washington DC on August 11, 2006, at the age of 90. A graduate of the University of Pittsburgh (B.A. 1935) and its Law School (LL.B. 1938), Leonard served on the staff of the Federal Communications Commission as Assistant to the General Counsel from 1942 to 1945. In 1946, Marcus Cohn and Leonard Marks joined forces to form the Washington communications law firm Cohn and Marks (now Cohn and Marks LLP.) Leonard was long-time counsel (pro bono) to the National Association of Educational Broadcasters and was appointed in 1963 by President John F. Kennedy to the Board of the Communications Satellite Corporation (COMSAT) which he helped to incorporate. Leonard also began a long association as FCC counsel and family confidant to Lady Bird Johnson and her husband, Lyndon Baines Johnson, the Majority Leader of the United States Senate and later Vice President and ultimately the 36th President of the United States.

In 1965, President Johnson appointed Leonard to the post of Director of the

United States Information Agency and included Leonard in meetings of his cabinet during the troubled years of the war in Vietnam. (Leonard liked to recall that when his appointment to USIA was announced, Soviet Ambassador Anatoly Dobrynin issued a statement that the Soviet leadership was pleased by the appointment. Leonard was puzzled by this and once asked Dobrynin why, and Dobrynin responded, "A Marks is always welcome in the Kremlin." He also recalled an exchange with Senator William J. Fulbright who was ever vigilant that USIA not engage in propaganda; in a 1961 hearing, Fulbright asked Marks to define the difference between fact and propaganda, and Leonard responded: "If I say you are Chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, that's a fact; if I say you are the finest Chairman in the history of the U.S. Senate, that's propaganda." Fulbright shot right back: "No, Mr. Marks, you're wrong. That's also a fact!")

At the conclusion of the Johnson presidency and of his service at USIA in 1968, Leonard returned to Cohn and Marks but also served as Ambassador and Chairman of the International Plenipotentiary Conference on Communications Satellites, Washington, DC, which formed INTELSAT, and was later appointed by

President Nixon as Chairman, President's Advisory Commission on International Education and Cultural Affairs (1974-1978); by President Reagan as Chairman of the U.S. Delegation to the International Telecommunications Union Conference on High Frequency Broadcasting (1984 and 1987); by Secretary of State George Schultz as Chairman, US Reform Observation Panel for UNESCO (1985); and by Secretary of State James Baker as Chairman, Commission on Security and Co-operation in Europe, London Information Forum (1989) and as Chairman of the U.S. Department of State's International Communications Advisory Committee (1989-94.) Until recently, Leonard had served as General Counsel to the World Press Freedom Committee, and was instrumental in its international campaign against insult laws; Chair of the Executive Committee of the Foreign Policy Association; Fund for the Endowment of Diplomatic Reception Rooms, Department of State; International Rescue Committee, President; Center for Strategic and International Studies, Chairman of the Executive Committee; Academy of Diplomacy, Chairman of the Executive Committee; International Media Fund; and longtime Chairman and Chairman Emeritus of the Freedom Broadcasting Foundation, Inc., formerly the Radio Free Europe/Radio Liberty Fund, Inc. Leonard Marks was married to Dorothy Ames Marks for 54 years until her death on November 19, 2001; he is survived by two sons, Stephen Marks of Arnold MD and Robert Marks of Greenwich CT, and five grandchildren.

### 11th Annual FCBA Golf Tournament

Planning is now underway for the 11th Annual FCBA Robert E. Lee Charity Golf Tournament to benefit the FCBA Foundation. Any members interested in joining the Golf Committee to help pull together next June's event should contact Committee Chair Glenn Reynolds at [glenn.reynolds@bellsouth.com](mailto:glenn.reynolds@bellsouth.com).

### What's the Password?

Many of you have noticed that while trying to log into the FCBA's Online Membership Directory: [http://www.fcba.org/directory\\_login.shtml](http://www.fcba.org/directory_login.shtml), that a password is required. The password can be located **every month on page two** of the **FCBA News**, and will appear at the bottom of the masthead. The masthead is the box containing the list of the FCBA's Executive Committee members. **The password changes on the 10th of every month.**

# COMMITTEE AND CHAPTER *Event Form*

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

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| <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Wednesday, October 4 – Tour of Montgomery County Public Safety Communications Center</b>, Gaithersburg, MD. A bus will depart from and return to the FCC. Departure time: 8:30 a.m.<br/>Cost: \$25.00</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Wednesday, October 11 – CLE on the FCC's Media Ownership Rules</b> – Dow Lohnes PLLC, 1200 New Hampshire Avenue, NW, Suite 800, 6:00 – 8:30 p.m.<br/>Cost: \$75.00 for Private Sector Members; \$50.00 for Government/Academic/Student Members; \$125.00 for Non-Members<br/><i>Registrations and cancellations due by 5:00 p.m., Monday, October 9, 2006</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Monday, October 16 – CLE on Conflicts and Confidentiality in the Administrative Process</b>, Wiley Rein &amp; Fielding Conference Center, 1776 K Street, NW, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m.<br/>Cost: \$75.00 for Private Sector Members; \$50.00 for Government/Academic/Student Members; \$125.00 for Non-Members<br/><i>Registrations and cancellations due by 5:00 p.m. Thursday, October 12, 2006</i></p> | <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Thursday, October 26 – Wireless Luncheon - Meet the FCC Wireless Advisors</b>, Latham &amp; Watkins, 555 Eleventh Street, NW, 10th floor, 12:15 p.m.<br/>Cost: \$15.00<br/><i>Registrations and cancellations due by Noon, Tuesday, October 24, 2006</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Wednesday, November 15 – FCBA Luncheon featuring Commissioner Robert M. McDowell</b>, Mayflower Hotel, 1127 Connecticut Avenue, NW, 12:00 noon<br/>Cost: \$48.00 for Private Sector Members; \$35.00 for Government/Academic/Student Members; \$70.00 for Non-Members. Tables of 10 available for \$480.00<br/><i>Registrations and cancellations due by 5:00 p.m., Thursday, November 9, 2006</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Thursday, November 16, 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. - Florida Telecom and Energy Legislative Update</b> - Mary Brogan Museum of Art &amp; Science, 350 S. Duval Street, Tallahassee, FL<br/>Cost: \$85.00 for Private Industry; \$45.00 for Government/Academic/Student<br/><i>Registration and cancellations due by 5:00 p.m., Monday, November 13, 2006</i></p> |
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**PAYMENT MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN THE DAY OF THE EVENT. PHONE REGISTRATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

**PLEASE FAX THIS FORM TO:** Ann Henson, Federal Communications Bar Association, Fax: (202) 293-4317

**CLE CREDIT:** FCBA will be requesting accreditation from the State Bars of Virginia and California for continuing legal education credit. If approved, forms for Virginia and California will be available at the Seminar Registration Desk. Please note that FCBA does not obtain CLE credit for other states. The FCBA will, however, assist with applications to other states, but attorneys must apply individually for credit courses and submit any forms and payments necessary directly to the state bar. The number of credits corresponds with the number of hours of course time, i.e., a two-hour seminar equals 2.0 hours of credit.

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# FALL RECEPTION *with the FCC Bureau and Office Chiefs* REGISTRATION

**Tuesday, October 24, 2006**

**J.W. MARRIOTT HOTEL, 1331 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW, WASHINGTON, D.C.  
6:00 TO 8:00 P.M.**

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## PLEASE RESERVE THE FOLLOWING:

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## PLEASE LIST NAMES OF ALL ATTENDEES

(all guests' names must be received by mail, fax, or e-mail no later than Thursday, Oct. 19):

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**NO TICKETS WILL BE MAILED.  
RESERVATIONS WILL BE CONFIRMED  
AT THE REGISTRATION DESK AT THE  
RECEPTION.**

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

# COMMUNICATIONS LAW 101 CLE Seminar Registration

**Wednesday, November 1, 2006**  
**9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.**

**WILEY REIN & FIELDING CONFERENCE CENTER**  
**1776 K STREET, N.W.**  
**WASHINGTON, DC**

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Organization \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_ \$95.00 government, non-profit, law student FCBA members rate  
\_\_\_\_\_ \$195.00 corporate or private sector FCBA members rate (including lawyers and paralegals)  
\_\_\_\_\_ \$395.00 non-member rate  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total Amount

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## Two ways to register:

### FAX

**(CREDIT CARD REGISTRANTS ONLY):**

(202) 293-4317

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### MAIL

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# 24th Annual **TELECOMMUNICATIONS POLICY** and **REGULATION CONFERENCE REGISTRATION**

CO-SPONSORED BY THE FCBA AND THE PRACTISING LAW INSTITUTE

**Thursday, December 14 and Friday, December 15, 2006**

**THE WASHINGTON HILTON, 1919 CONNECTICUT AVENUE, N.W., WASHINGTON, D.C.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

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Address \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ I am a member of the FCBA and/or PLI (Registration Fee is \$1,165.50)

\_\_\_\_\_ I am not a member of the FCBA or PLI (Registration Fee is \$1,295.00)

\_\_\_\_\_ I wish to obtain state bar CLE credit for this program from \_\_\_\_\_ (name of state)

## Four ways to register:

### MAIL THIS FORM AND A CHECK MADE PAYABLE TO THE "PRACTISING LAW INSTITUTE" TO:

Practising Law Institute  
810 7th Avenue  
New York, NY 10019

#### PHONE:

(800) 260-4PLI

#### FAX:

(800) 321-0093

#### WEB SITE:

<http://www.pli.edu>

#### HOTEL:

(202) 483-3000

**FCC STAFF:** receive a full scholarship to the Telecommunications program. Each attendee must enclose a \$25 application fee, payable to PLI, to receive the scholarship. The requests for scholarships should be sent to Scholarship Committee, PLI, 810 Seventh Avenue, New York, NY 10019 (fax: 212-824-5871)

**PLI'S SCHOLARSHIP/FINANCIAL HARDSHIP POLICY:** Full and partial scholarships to attend programs are available to judges, judicial law clerks, law professors, attorneys 65 and older, law students, pro bono attorneys, librarians and paralegals who work for non profit organizations, legal services organizations or government agencies, unemployed attorneys and others with financial hardships. To apply, send your request on your employer's letterhead, stating the reason for your interest, along with the completed registration form on this brochure, to the PLI Scholarship Committee. All applications must be accompanied by a \$25 non-refundable application fee (applicants may pay by check or credit card) and must be submitted four weeks before the date of the program. Students must submit a copy of their student ID card.



# 17TH ANNUAL CHARITY AUCTION *Donation Form* - NOVEMBER 16, 2006

## TO DONATE A PRIZE, PLEASE FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Write a letter or certificate on your letterhead which includes a detailed description of the prize and a list of all restrictions (e.g. blackout dates, attendance specifications, etc.), and instructions on how the winner is to receive the prize.
2. Complete a copy of this prize donation form. If donating more than one prize, please submit a donation form for each prize.
3. List the donor (individual and/or company name) as it should appear in the auction prize book.
4. All prizes are valid through November 16, 2007, unless otherwise specified.

Donor (as it should appear in the prize book) \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

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Donor Estimate of Fair Market Value (required) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Acknowledgement should be sent to (name, if different from contact person, and address) \_\_\_\_\_

Donation Obtained By (name of FCBA Member, if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE MAIL OR FAX THIS FORM NO LATER THAN  
MONDAY, OCTOBER 30 TO:**

**Kerry Loughney**

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E-mail: [kerry@fcba.org](mailto:kerry@fcba.org)

The 17th Annual Charity Auction, benefiting Fair Chance, will be held on Thursday, November 16, at the Marriott at Metro Center beginning at 7:00 p.m. Admission is free.

**ALL DONATIONS MUST BE DELIVERED TO THE FCBA OFFICE  
NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3.**

Prize donations of any value may be "bundled" with other prizes for the live or silent auction. Prize donations valued at the sponsorship level of \$1500 or greater will receive additional recognition. The Auction Committee may offer any prize donation valued at less than \$25 as a raffle prize.

## Calendar

<b>October 4</b>	Engineering and Technical Practice and HLS/Emergency Communications Committee "Tour the Montgomery County Public Safety Communications Center"
<b>October 5</b>	International Telecommunications and IP-Based Communications Committee Brown Bag Lunch
<b>October 6</b>	Cable Practice Committee Brown Bag Lunch
<b>October 10</b>	Mass Media Practice Committee Brown Bag Lunch
<b>October 10</b>	Silicon Flatirons/Rocky Mountain Chapter Seminar on Confronting Cable's Technological Frontier, Denver, CO
<b>October 11</b>	CLE on the Reconsideration of the Media Ownership Rules
<b>October 12</b>	Transactional Practice Committee Brown Bag Lunch
<b>October 12</b>	Legislative and Young Lawyers Committee Happy Hour
<b>October 13</b>	HLS/Emergency Communications <i>ad hoc</i> Committee Brown Bag Lunch
<b>October 16</b>	CLE Seminar on Client Creation, Conflicts and Confidentiality in the Administrative Process
<b>October 17</b>	Common Carrier Practice and IP-Based Communications Committee Brown Bag Lunch
<b>October 18</b>	Mass Media Practice and Young Lawyers Committee Brown Bag Lunch
<b>October 20</b>	Texas Chapter Brown Bag Lunch
<b>October 22</b>	Volunteer for McKenna's Wagon
<b>October 24</b>	FCBA Fall Reception with FCC and NTIA Bureau and Office Chiefs
<b>October 26</b>	Pacific Northwest Chapter Reception
<b>October 26</b>	Wireless Telecommunications Practice Committee Lunch
<b>October 29</b>	Volunteer for Martha's Table
<b>October 31</b>	Young Lawyers Committee Auction Volunteers Brown Bag Lunch
<b>November 1</b>	Annual Communications Law 101 CLE Seminar
<b>November 1</b>	Young Lawyers Committee Comm Law 101 Happy Hour
<b>November 2</b>	International Telecommunications Committee Brown Bag Lunch
<b>November 2</b>	Silicon Flatirons/Rocky Mountain Chapter Seminar on Network Convergence, Boulder, CO
<b>November 15</b>	Luncheon with Commissioner Robert M. McDowell
<b>November 16</b>	17th Annual Charity Auction
<b>November 16</b>	2006 Florida Telecom and Energy Legislative Update
<b>November 17</b>	Texas Chapter Brown Bag Lunch
<b>November 28</b>	FCC Enforcement Practice Committee Brown Bag Lunch
<b>December 7</b>	Florida Chapter "The Year in Telecommunications Legislation"
<b>December 14-15</b>	24th Annual PLI and FCBA Conference

### ROCKY MOUNTAIN

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**Tom Moore**, Founder, WildBlue  
**Tom Wheeler**, Partner, Core Capital;  
 former President, CTIA and NCTA

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**BREAK**

**5:20-6:20**

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 Qwest Communications  
**Linda Kinney**, Vice President, Law &  
 Regulation, Echostar  
**Jennifer Manner**, Vice President, MSV  
**Barry Ohlson**, Legal Advisor,  
 Commissioner Jonathan Adelstein

**Joe Waz**, Vice President and Chief  
 Policy Counsel, Comcast

**6:20-7:20**  
**RECEPTION**