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FCBA Luncheon featuring Private Equity Panel to be held on October 2

On Tuesday, October 2, the FCBA will present a luncheon panel featuring former FCC Chairman William Kennard of The Carlyle Group, Julie Richardson of Providence Equity Partners, Jamie Rubin of One Equity Partners, and Tom Wheeler of Core Capital Partners. The panelists will discuss current financial trends, such as how the growth in private equity is changing the face and direction of the telecommunications and media industries, as well as the role that regulatory and legislative factors play in the decisions of private equity firms. The event, moderated by Blair Levin of Stifel Nicolaus, will be held at the Mayflower Hotel, 1127 Connecticut Avenue, NW. The doors will open for registration and networking at 11:30 a.m. and the luncheon will begin at 12 noon. Please use the form on page 16 to register.

William E. Kennard joined The Carlyle Group in May 2001 as Managing Director. The Carlyle Group is a global private equity

firm with over \$71.4 billion under management. At The Carlyle Group, Mr. Kennard specializes in investments in the telecommunications and media sectors. Since joining Carlyle, Mr. Kennard has played key roles in Carlyle's investments in Dex Media, Inc. (yellow pages publisher), Casema Holding, BV (European cable TV system), Hawaiian Telcom (local telephone company) and Insight Communications (U.S. cable television system). Mr. Kennard serves on the boards of directors of The New York Times Company, Hawaiian Telcom and Insight Communications.

Before joining The Carlyle Group, Mr. Kennard served as chairman of the FCC from November 1997 to January 2001. During his tenure, he shaped policies that created an explosion of new wireless phones, brought the Internet to a majority of American households, and resulted in bil-

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FCBA Fall Reception with the FCC and NTIA Bureau and Office Chiefs to be held on October 25

The FCBA is pleased to announce its annual fall reception with the FCC and NTIA Bureau and Office Chiefs on October 25, 6:00-8:00 p.m. The reception will be held at the Capitol Hilton, 1001 16th Street, NW, 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 17.**

This Month's Key Events

Cable Practice and Mass Media Committees Brown Bag

Date/Time: Friday, September 7, 12:15 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. **Location:** Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP, 1875 K Street, Suite 200

Topic: Consumers, Cable Operators, Broadcasters, Whose DTV Transition Is It?

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Intellectual Property Practice Committee Brown Bag Lunch

Date/Time: Monday, September 17, 12:15 - 1:45 p.m.

Location: Dow Lohnes PLLC, 1200 New Hampshire Ave, NW **Topic:** 20th Century Fox v. Cablevision: The Remote DVR case

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Wireline Practice Committee Brown Bag Lunch

Date/Time: Tuesday, September 18, 12:00 – 2:00 p.m. Location: Wiley Rein LLP, 1776 K Street, NW Topic: Special Access ▶ SEE PAGE 5

Privacy and Data Security Committee Brown Bag Lunch

Date/Time: Monday, September 24, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

Location: Hogan & Hartson, 555 13th Street, NW

Topic: Why Privacy Matters to Your Company or Clients

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Cyberspace Committee and Wireless Committees Lunch

Date/Time: Thursday, September 27, 12:15 – 2:00

Location: Sidley Austin LLP, 1501 K Street NW, 6th Floor Topic: "700 MHz Auction: Will the Reality Match the Hype?"

Name:

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PRESIDENT'S Message

DEAR MEMBERS:

This fall is promising to be an active one at the FCBA, offering a combination of luncheons, receptions, CLEs, and brown bag educational sessions. The first luncheon of the year on **October 2nd** will feature a panel of private equity investors active in the communications arena, who will fill us in on how they look at the telecom and media industries and the role private equity firms play in the market. On **October 10th**, the International Telecommunications Committee is organizing a panel introducing telecom attaches from foreign



embassies, followed by a reception at the spectacular new House of Sweden on the Georgetown waterfront. The annual reception to meet and greet FCC and NTIA Bureau and Office Chiefs will take place on **October 25th**.

There will also be full slate of educational sessions offered by FCBA committees and chapters throughout the fall – and it's about to get even easier to sign up for these events. FCBA members will soon be able to enjoy the convenience of registering for events online, thanks to software upgrades currently being implemented and tested by the FCBA office. We'll soon be e mailing around information on how to use this new functionality.

This year's *ad hoc* Speakers Committee, comprised of **Ruth Milkman**, **Henry Rivera** and **Bryan Tramont**, planned the October luncheon, and are working on future breakfast and luncheon events for this year. I know they would welcome your ideas for speakers or topics. I have also asked **Anna Gomez**, **Mark Schneider** and **Ryan Wallach** to serve as an *ad hoc* Sponsorship Committee, and they will be coordinating sponsor outreach efforts for FCBA events.

As a former FCC staffer, a focus for me this year will be on continuing the FCBA's efforts to ensure that our activities are as relevant and accessible as possible to our Government members. To that end, the FCBA provides substantial discounts for membership dues and prices for attending CLEs, receptions and other events, as well as scholarships to the Annual Seminar. This year the Executive Committee has already implemented an additional CLE discount for Government lawyers that have graduated recently, and we are considering ways to expand the successful scholarship program for the Annual Seminar, which will be in nearby Cambridge Maryland next May. I would like to do some brainstorming in the near future about ideas for improving the FCBA's services for Government members, and I encourage those of you in Government to contact me with any ideas you have along these lines.

I look forward to seeing you all at this fall's events.

Diane J. Cornell

FCBA Membership Renewal

The **second round** of dues invoices for the FCBA's 2008 fiscal year (July 1, 2007 - June 30, 2008) were mailed the third week in August. **Please note that the deadline was JULY 31, 2007.** Remember to renew your membership as soon as possible, and save the Association the expense of mailing reminder notices. Also included 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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CLE Seminars

October 2nd, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. Buying and Selling Political Time in a Hot Election Season

Presented by the Mass Media Committee

Those who sell TV and radio time to political candidates know only half of the equation behind campaigns' advertising decisions. On Tuesday, October 2, 2007 from 6:00 - 8:15 p.m., a Mass Media Committee CLE seminar will offer insights on the other halfthanks to the participation of two prominent media buyers, Kyle Osterhout, of Media Strategies & Research, and Kyle Roberts, of Smart Media Group. Osterhout represents Democratic candidates at both the state and federal level, including the Hillary Clinton presidential campaign in the 2008 cycle. Roberts has represented Republican candidates at the gubernatorial and federal level in 48 states, including Senator John Thune's successful 2004 campaign against incumbent Tom Daschle. Osterhout and Roberts also have directed ad-buying efforts for a wide range of issue advocacy groups and associations.

Joining them on the CLE panel will be the FCC's specialists on the political programming rules, Bobby Baker and Hope Cooper. The four will engage in a lively discussion about political adbuying practices and the FCC rules that affect them, with an emphasis on the equal opportunities rules, reasonable access mandates, and "lowest unit charge" rate requirements. panelists also will discuss the media buyers' perspectives on how they interact with the FCC staff, the common problems the buyers encounter in purchasing time, and the steps that stations can take to avoid disputes.

Moderators **David O'Connor**, of Holland & Knight, and **Jack Goodman**,

of WilmerHale, will open the floor to a broader range of political programming issues. Those include topics specific to this election cycle—such as the stillevolving dates for the early primaries and caucuses, which are pushing the 45-day windows for "lowest unit charge" political ad rates well into holiday ad season in many states. The seminar schedule also reserves a substantial amount of time for questions from attendees.

The CLE will take place at Dow Lohnes PLLC, 1200 New Hampshire Avenue, NW, Suite 800. **To register**, please use the form on **page 16**.

Agenda

6:00 - 6:05

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS AND INTRODUCTION OF PANELISTS AND MODERATOR

Intro

Rosemary Harold, FCC

Moderators:

David O'Connor, Holland & Knight LLP and **Jack Goodman**, WilmerHale

6:05 - 6:15

OVERVIEW OF FCC PROCESS IN HANDLING POLITICAL PROGRAMMING MATTERS

Bobby Baker, Federal Communications Commission

6:15 - 6:25

NUTSHELL OVERVIEW OF KEY

Hope Cooper, Federal Communications Commission

6:25 - 6:45

OVERVIEW OF POLITICAL MEDIA BUYING

Kyle Roberts, Smart Media (represents Republican candidates and issue advertisers)

Kyle Osterhout, Media Strategies (represents Democratic candidates and issue advertisers)

6:45 - 7:05

QUESTIONS TO MEDIA
BUYERS POSED BY BOBBY
BAKER ABOUT THEIR
PROCESS AND ITS ULTIMATE
INTERACTION WITH FCC
WHEN PROBLEMS SURFACE

7:05 - 7:15 BREAK

THE PANEL

7:15 – 7:45 MODERATOR QUESTIONS TO

7:45 - 8:15
QUESTION & ANSWER
SESSION

Save the Date!

The 21st Annual Chairman's Dinner honoring FCC Chairman Kevin J. Martin, will be held **December 5, 2007** at the Washington Hilton Hotel. Watch the FCBA News this fall for the dinner reservation form.

COMMITTEE AND CHAPTER Events

Cable Practice Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch co-hosted by the Mass Media Practice Committee Date/Time: Friday, September 7,

12:15 p.m.- 1:30 p.m.

Location: Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP,

1875 K Street, Suite 200

Topic: Consumers, Cable Operators, Broadcasters, Whose DTV Transition Is It? **More Info:** Join the Cable Practice and Mass Media Practice Committees for a panel discussion about what February 17, 2009 the deadline for broadcasters' cessation of analog broadcasts — should mean for cable subscribers and operators. Speakers representing the broadcast and cable industries will discuss their respective industry's positions on the end of broadcasters' transition to digital, how it will affect consumers, and what digital must-carry obligations cable operators should have after the broadcasters' transition, including whether the FCC should adopt its latest proposals to revise its must-carry rules and material degradation standard.

Speakers: Diane Burstein, Vice President and Deputy General Counsel, NCTA. David L. Donovan, President, Association for Maximum Service Television

For Further Information, Contact:

William Cook (William_Cook@aporter.com), Steven Morris (Smorris@NCTA.com), Jessica Rosenworcel

(Jessica_Rosenworcel@commerce.senate.gov), or Ryan Wallach (rwallach@willkie.com).

Please RSVP To: Ryan Wallach at rwallach@willkie.com

Event: Brown Bag Lunch co-hosted by the

Young Lawyers Committee

Date/Time: Friday, September 28,

12:15 - 1:30 p.m.

Location: Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP,

1875 K Street, Suite 200

Topic: Translating the Set Top Box Debate and Visualizing the Living Room of the Future **More Info:** As of July all new set top boxes

must rely on removable security as the FCC opens a rulemaking concerning imposing plugand-play rules to allow interactive cable network applications like video-on-demand to work directly with new digital television sets. Industry representatives will discuss the FCC's set top box policy and the effect it will have on your living room.

Speakers: TBD Contact: Ryan Wallach

(rwallach@willkie.com), Chris Fedeli (chrisfedeli@dwt.com) or Tarah Grant

(tsgrant@hhlaw.com)

Cyberspace Committee

Event: Luncheon co-hosted by the Wireless Telecommunications Committee

Date/Time: Thursday, September 27, 12:15 - 2:00 p.m.

Location: Sidley Austin LLP, 1501 K Street

NW, 6th Floor

Topic: "700 MHz Auction: Will the Reality

Match the Hype?"

Speakers: Christopher Guttman-McCabe, Vice President, Regulatory Affairs, CTIA - The Wireless Association; Harlin R. McEwen, Chairman, Communications & Technology Committee, International Association of Chiefs of Police; Janice Obuchowski, Chairman, Frontline Wireless; Richard S. Whitt, Washington Telecommunications and Media Counsel, Google, Inc.

To register: Use form on page 16.

Diversity Committee

Event: Planning Meeting/Brown Bag Lunch Date/Time: Thursday September 13,

12:00 – 2:00 p.m.

Location: Wiley Rein LLP, 1776 K Street, NW **Topic:** Discussion re planning events for the

upcoming year **RSVP to:** Parul Desai,

pdesai@mediaaccess.org, 202-454-5683

Engineering and Technical Practice

Event: Brown Bag Lunch

Date/Time: Friday, September 21,

12:15 - 1:30 p.m.

Location: Wiley Rein LLP, 1750 K Street, NW,

10th floor conference room

Topic: Understanding Technical Basics

Involved in FCC Regulation

Speakers: Dr. Robert Kubik, Motorola, Inc.; FCC Office of Engineering and Technology

Speaker (invited)

RSVP to: Christy Hammond,

chammond@wileyrein.com, 202.719.7365

FCC Enforcement Practice Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch

Date/Time: Tuesday, September 25,

12:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Location: Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP, 1875 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW **Topic:** Kick Off meeting for Enforcement Committee Members. Come share ideas for CLE, speakers, and topics and meet fellow committee members.

RSVP to: Kerry Loughney, kerry@fcba.org

Event: Brown Bag Lunch Date/Time: Tuesday, October 23,

12-2:00 p.m.

Location: Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP, 1875 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW **Topic:** Meet the FCC's Enforcement Bureau **Speakers:** Front office managers and division

RSVP to: Kerry Loughney, kerry@fcba.org

Intellectual Property Practice Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch (drinks and dessert

Date/Time: Monday, September 17,

12:15 - 1:45 p.m.

Location: Dow Lohnes PLLC, 1200 New Hampshire Ave, NW (Large Conference Room). **Topic:** 20th Century Fox v. Cablevision: The

Remote DVR case Speakers: TBA

RSVP to: Kerry Loughney, kerry@fcba.org

International Telecommunications Practice Committee

Event: Panel Discussion with Telecom Attaches from Foreign Embassies &

Networking Reception

Date/Time: Wednesday, October 10, 2007,

6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Location: House of Sweden – 2900 K Street,

NW, Washington, DC

Topic: Panel Discussion with Telecom

Attaches & Evening Reception

Remarks By: The Honorable Michael C.

Copps, Commissioner, Federal Communications Commission and Ambassador David A. Gross, U.S. Department of State, U.S. Coordinator for International Communications and Information Policy **To Register:** Use form on page 16.

Legislative Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch

Date/Time: Friday, September 14,

12:15 - 1:45 p.m.

Location: National Association of Broadcasters, 1717 N Street, NW **Topic:** Internet tax moratorium

Speakers: TBA

RSVP to: Kelly Cole, kcole@nab.org

Mass Media Practice Committee

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1:30 p.m.

Location: Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP,

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Event: Brown Bag Lunch (drinks and dessert provided)

Date/Time: Monday, September 17, 12:15 -1:45 p.m.

Location: Wiley Rein LLP, 1776 K Street, NW Topic/Speaker: FCC Media Bureau Chief Monica Desai and members of the Bureau's front-office staff will provide an overview of matters pending before them.

RSVP to: Kerry Loughney, kerry@fcba.org

Event: CLE Seminar

Date/Time: Tuesday, October 2, 6:00 – 8:15

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

Topic: Buying and Selling Political Time in a

Hot Election Season

Speakers: Bobby Baker, FCC; Hope Cooper, FCC; Kyle Roberts, Smart Media; and Kyle

Osterhout, Media Strategies **To register:** Use form on page 16.

Privacy and Data Security Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch

Date/Time: Monday, September 24, 12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

Location: Hogan & Hartson, 555 13th Street, NW, Litigation Center Moot Court Room (located one level below the main lobby)

Topic: Why Privacy Matters to Your Company

More Info: Privacy and data security issues are hot topics these days. Come join the Privacy and Data Security Committee for its inaugural brown bag lunch to learn why privacy matters to your company or clients.

For Further Information: Contact Lisa Chandler Cordell (lcordell@fh-law.com); Yaron Dori (YDori@HHLAW.com); Ronnie London (ronnielondon@dwt.com; or S. Jenell Trigg (strigg@lsl-law.com)

RSVP to: Lisa Cordell, lcordell@fh-law.com

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

Date/Time: Wednesday, October 17, 12:15 p.m.-1:30 p.m.

Location: Hogan & Hartson LLP, 555 Thirteenth Street NW (in the first floor Litigation Center).

Topic: The FTC and the FCC: Do They See Eye-to-Eye?

More Info: More and more the communications industry finds itself in the crosshairs of policy debates encompassing not just traditional areas of communications law but those within the regulatory purview of the Federal Trade Commission as well. Join the YLC for a panel discussion regarding areas being addressed by both the FTC and the FCC, including marketing directed toward children, telemarketing, net neutrality, and privacy.

Speakers: TBD Contact: Ronnie London (ronnielondon@dwt.com), Chris Fedeli (chrisfedeli@dwt.com), or Tarah Grant (tsgrant@hhlaw.com)

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2:00 p.m.

Location: Wiley Rein LLP, 1776 K Street, NW

Topic: Special Access

Speakers: Robert Mayer, USTelecom, Colleen Boothby, Levine, Blaszak, Block & Boothby, Counsel to the Ad Hoc Telecommunications Users Committee, Jonathan Nuechterlein, Wilmer, Cutler Pickering Hall and Dorr LLP

RSVP to: Vicki Chedester, Victoria.l.chedester@verizon.com, 202-515-2528

Young Lawyers Committee

Event: Young Lawyers Committee "Welcome

to the Bar" Happy Hour

Date/Time: Thursday, September 20, 2007,

6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Location: Morton's Steakhouse (Downtown), 1050 Connecticut Ave.

More Info: Join us in welcoming 2007 graduates and other new associates to the bar! Appetizers are discounted for the event.

Contact: Amy Mushahwar

(asmushahwar@hhlaw.com), Chris Fedeli (chrisfedeli@dwt.com), or Tarah Grant (tsgrant@hhlaw.com)

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COMMITTEE AND CHAPTER Events

Event: Annual Charity Auction

Date/Time: Thursday, November 15, 7 p.m.-

9:30 p.m.

Location: Marriott at Metro Center, 775 12th

Street, NW

More Info: Proceeds from this year's FCBA Charity Auction will benefit Kid Power DC. www.kidpowerdc.org, which provides extracurricular educational and civic instruction to underprivileged elementary school students in DC. As in previous years, there will be a silent auction, a live auction, and a raffle, with prizes donated from local businesses and members of the communications bar. Admission is free and the event is open to the public—bring your friends and family!

Contact: Chris Fedeli (chrisfedeli@dwt.com), or Tarah Grant (tsgrant@hhlaw.com)

Florida Chapter

Event: CLE Seminar

Date/Time: Thursday, September 27, 2007,

9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Location: The Brogan Museum, 350 S. Duval

Street, Tallahassee, FL

Topic: 2007 Florida Telecom Legislative

Update

For more information: Contact Beth Keating, beth.keating@akerman.com or David Konuch, dkonuch@miami.whitecase.com.

To register: See page 18.

Midwest Chapter

Event: Midwest Chapter Steering Committee

Date/Time: Thursday, September 13th, 2007 **Location:** Globalcom, Inc. - Chicago

Topic: 2007-2008 Planning

Speakers: Steering Committee Members

New York Chapter

Event: Networking Cocktail Reception and upstate kickoff for FCBA NY Regional Chapter **Date/Time:** Thursday, September 6, 6:00 –

8:00 p.m.

Location: PAETEC headquarters, 600 Willowbrook Office Park, Fairport, NY

RSVP to: John Messenger,

john.messenger@paetec.com, 585-340-2772

Event: Networking Cocktail Reception and downstate kickoff for FCBA NY Regional Chapter

Date/Time: Wednesday, September 19, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Location: Wolf, Block, Schorr and Solis-Cohen LLP, 250 Park Avenue (between 46th

and 47th Streets) in Manhattan **RSVP to:** Barry Skidelsky,

bskidelsky@mindspring.com, no later than Noon Eastern on Friday, September 14

Texas Chapter

Event: Brown Bag Lunch

Date/Time: Friday, September 28, 12:00 –

1:00 p.m.

Location: Hearing Room Gee, Public Utility Commission of Texas, 1701 N. Congress Avenue, Austin, TX

Topic: "Legal and Regulatory Developments

Associated with 911 Service"

Speaker: Richard Muscat, Director of Regulatory Affairs - Bexar Metro 911 District **RSVP to:** Toni House, thouse@phonelaw.com,

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In **MEMORIAM**

Louis Clark Stephens (1913-2007)

Louis Stephens, attorney at the FCC for 35 years in various senior staff positions, later private a communications lawyer and an FCBA member in the early 1990's, died on May 30 at the age of 93 of esophageal cancer.

Fluent in five languages, Louis served as Senior Legal Advisor and International Law Advisor to the Broadcast Bureau. now the Media Bureau. He was several times detailed to the State Department to serve as principal attorney for the United States on delegations to international conferences to negotiate spectrum usage treaties. He represented the United States at conferences in Geneva, Switzerland; Fortaleza and Rio de Janeiro, Brazil; Lima, Peru; and Mexico City.

While at the Commission from 1954 to 1989, he also served as Chief of Legal

Services in the Rules and Standards Division of the Broadcast Bureau. He made major contributions to the development of educational television, was also Director of a special FCC study of broadcast conglomerates, and was a Legal Advisor to Commissioner Benjamin Hooks.

Following his service at the FCC, Louis worked for several years at the firm of Pepper & Corazzini. He participated while there with Vince Pepper on cases before the Commission, the Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit, and the United States Supreme Court.

A native of New York City, Louis received a B.A. degree from Roanoke College and a J.D. from George Washington University Law School, where he was a Law Review Editor. He also did post-graduate work in international law at the University of

He served in World War II, enlisting as an Army Private and later being commissioned as a Lieutenant, then promoted to Captain. He provided air transport for troops in Europe.

After completion of his military service and prior to his years at the FCC, Louis was Legal Advisor at the European Headquarters in London of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration, and was General Counsel at the UNRRA's Displaced Persons Headquarters in Paris. He was also Deputy General Counsel and General Counsel to the International Refugee Organization in Geneva. He successfully fought for the right of homeless children to choose where they would settle rather than letting the government make that choice for them. He returned to the United States in 1952 to become Regional Director of the Office of Price Stabilization. In 1954 he joined the staff of the FCC.

Louis is survived by his wife of 40 years, Regina Stephens of McLean, Virginia, by two children, two grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

FCBA LUNCHEON

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lions of dollars of investment in new broadband technologies. At the same time, he implemented bold new policies to bridge the digital divide in the United States and around the world. Mr. Kennard is a graduate of Stanford University and Yale Law School.

Julie G. Richardson is a Managing Director of Providence Equity Partners and leads the New York office. Ms. Richardson is currently a director of Open Solutions, SunGard Data Systems and USIS. Prior to joining Providence in 2003. Ms. Richardson served as Vice Chairman of JP Morgan's investment banking division and Chairman of the firm's Telecom, Media and Technology group. Prior to joining JP Morgan in 1998, Ms. Richardson was a Managing Director at Merrill Lynch, where she spent over 11 years. She received a Bachelor of Business Administration from the University of Wisconsin-Madison, and spent a year studying finance at the Stanford Graduate School of Business. Ms. Richardson serves on the Dean's Advisory Board of the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

James S. Rubin is a Managing Director of One Equity Partners, New York, NY. Prior to joining One Equity Partners in 2001, Mr. Rubin was a Vice President with Allen & Company, a New York merchant bank specializing in media and entertainment transactions and advisory work. From 1996 to 1998, Mr. Rubin held a number of senior policy positions with the FCC under Chairman Reed Hundt. Mr. Rubin received his AB from Harvard College and JD from Yale Law School.

Mr. Rubin is a board member of Echoing Green Foundation, (Echoing Green provides first-stage funding and support to visionary leaders with bold ideas for social change), and Common Ground (Common Ground's mission is to solve homelessness). He is also a member of the David Rockefeller Fellowship.

Tom Wheeler is a Managing Director of Core Capital Partners. Mr. Wheeler sits on the boards of Core portfolio companies Roundbox, UpdateLogic and Twisted Pair Solutions. In addition, he

is on the boards of Earthlink, Helio and Telephia. Before joining Core Capital Partners, Mr. Wheeler was CEO of the Cellular Telecommunications & Internet Association (CTIA) and President of the National Cable Television Association (NCTA). Mr. Wheeler also served as CEO of new technology start-ups, including the first company to offer high speed delivery of data to home computers and the first digital video delivery service.

Presidents Clinton and Bush each appointed Mr. Wheeler a Trustee of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, where he served for 12 years. He is currently Chairman of the Kennedy Center affiliate VSA Arts, an international organization which touches the lives of over five million individuals with disabilities by providing equality of experience and accessibility to the arts. He is Chairman and President of the Foundation for the National Archives, and is the author of two books about the Civil War and Abraham Lincoln. He is a graduate of Ohio State University and the recipient of its Alumni Medal for national and international career achievement.

In accordance with the Association's Bylaws, the FCBA Executive Committee recently took the following actions:

- 1. The Common Carrier Committee was renamed the **Wireline Practice Committee** and will consider issues relating to wireline communications.
- 2. The Online Communications Practice Committee was renamed the **Cyberspace Committee** and will consider issues related to Internet-based technologies, service, and applications.
- 3. A new ad hoc committee was added, the **Ad Hoc Privacy & Data Security Committee**, which will look at privacy and data security issues in the communications industry.
- 4. The new **Ad Hoc Intellectual Property Committee** will expand the scope of the previous Ad Hoc Communications Law, Copyright & Digital Rights Committee, and will consider copyright, digital rights management, patent, and trademark issues.

If you were a member of the old committees affected by these changes, you will automatically be a member of the new committee.

You may change your committee memberships anytime during the year by sending an email message to fcba@fcba.org and indicating what committees you would like to join or what committees you would like to drop.

Young Lawyers Committee Fundraiser: FCBA Shirts for Sale!

The Young Lawyers Committee is selling FCBA polo shirts to benefit the FCBA Foundation. Perfect for business casual! The shirts are navy blue and embroidered with the FCBA logo in white and amber. Available in women's sizes S, M, and XL and men's sizes M, L, and XL for \$30 per shirt; available in men's XXL for \$32 per shirt. \$16 of the purchase price is deductible as a donation to the FCBA Foundation. To place an order, visit www.fcba.org and submit the form to the FCBA by fax (202-293-4317) or mail (1020 19th Street, NW, Suite 325, Washington, DC 20036). For additional information, please contact **Kerry Loughney** (202-293-4000; kerry@fcba.org) or **Tarah Grant** (703-610-6155; tsgrant@hhlaw.com).

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Charity Auction Committee

The 2007 Charity Auction is kicking into high gear and we need your help to make this year's auction a huge success! Please volunteer to help us solicit great prizes from local businesses—all FCBA members are encouraged to participate, regardless of experience. In addition, if you know people who work with or own businesses that might offer great prizes, let us know. The Non-Communications Prizes Subcommittee co-chairs are Mark Brennan. Devin Crock, and Karen Henein. If you are interested in volunteering some of your time, we would greatly appreciate your Please send an email to FCBAAuctionPrizes@gmail.com or contact Karen, Devin, or Mark.

International Telecommunications Practice Committee

Join members of the International Telecommunications Practice Committee on Wednesday, October 10 from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. at the House of Sweden for a panel discussion with Telecom Attaches from Foreign Embassies, opening remarks by The Honorable Michael C. Copps, Commissioner, Federal Communications Commission, closing remarks by Ambassador David A. Gross, U.S. Department of State, U.S. Coordinator for International Communications and Information Policy, and a networking



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reception. Take this opportunity to meet Telecom Attaches from various embassies. With its modern design, House of Sweden adds a distinctively Scandinavian touch to Georgetown Harbour and the waterfront. Registration is limited to 150. Please register using the form on page 16.

Law Journal Committee

As noted in prior newsletters, the Federal Communications Law Journal recently launched a new Online Forum that allows FCBA members to provide short, timely reactions to Law Journal articles and other issues of interest to the communications bar. These already include a variety of comments on the debate on network neutrality between Chris Yoo and Tim Wu published in the June 2007 issue of the Law Journal, which are available exclusively on the Law Journal's website (www.law.indiana.edu/fclj).

The recent symposium articles on the problem of interoperability in public safety communications offer the membership the opportunity to start a similar dialog. We welcome your participation in this new Forum, which is designed for your benefit as an additional avenue for Association members (and others) to exchange their views on these and other upcoming subjects. To review recent contributions to the Forum, and to learn more about how to participate, visit http:// www.law.indiana.edu/fclj/ or contact fclj@indiana.edu or any of the Law Journal Committee co-chairs (Ellen Goodman, Jamison Prime, or Bill Richardson).

The *Law Journal* also regularly publishes reviews of recent books relating to communications law issues. If you are interested in submitting such a review, please contact the staff at the e-mail address listed above.

Florida Chapter

The Florida Chapter will present a 2007 Florida Legislative Update program on Thursday, September 27, 2007, from 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. at the Mary Brogan Museum of Art & Science, 350 S. Duval Street, Tallahassee, FL, (www.thebrogan.org). Confirmed speakers include representatives from the Florida Cable Telecommunications Association and the Florida Office of the Attorney General. Panelists will discuss recent Florida statewide cable franchising and telecom legislation, as well as current developments at the FCC. CLE credits will be available for all attorneys, and breakfast is included with registration. Fees for the seminar are \$40 government/academic/student; \$60 private FCBA member; \$75.00 private non-FCBA member. For more information about this event, contact Florida FCBA Chapter Co-Chairs, Will Cox at wcox@abelband.com, Beth **Keating** at Beth.Keating@akerman.com, Konuch at dkonuch@ miami whitecase com or Pat Meehan at pmeehan@hklaw.com. See page 18 for registration form.

New York Chapter

The FCBA New York chapter invites you to attend a networking cocktail reception in Rochester on **Thursday**, **September 6**, **2007**, from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m., at PAETEC headquarters, 600 Willowbrook Office Park, Fairport, NY 14450. Please come and bring ideas for other events and programs. RSVP to **John Messenger** at John.Messenger@paetec.com.

The FCBA's New York chapter invites you to attend a networking cocktail reception in New York City on Wednesday, September 19, 2007, from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m., at the offices of law firm Wolf, Block, Schorr and Solis-Cohen LLP, 250 Park Avenue (between 46th and 47th Streets) in Manhattan. Wolf Block has graciously agreed to sponsor this event and provide the space, drinks and snacks. Although the event is free, a RSVP is required ASAP

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but no later than Noon Eastern on Friday September 14 to FCBA NY chapter co-chair **Barry Skidelsky** at bskidelsky@mindspring.com. Please come and bring ideas for other events and programs.

Rocky Mountain Chapter

September 5, 2007 "Taking Stock of the Antitrust Modernization Commission Report"

University of Colorado School of Law in cooperation with the FCBA Rocky Mountain Chapter

Wednesday, September 5, 2007, from 3:00 to 8:00 p.m. at the University of Colorado School of Law in Denver, CO. This past spring, the Antitrust Modernization Commission issued a 449 page report addressing the state of antitrust law and practice. In general, the report highlighted that the antitrust laws remain effectively positioned to address anticompetitive conduct. Notably, the report rejected calls for new strategies or institutions to address high technology markets. It did, however, highlight а number recommendations related to the intersection of antitrust and intellectual property law, including ones related to patent law reform and conduct related to standard setting bodies.

In line with its generally approving tone of current antitrust enforcement, the report did not call for any significant reforms of merger review, turning away an array of criticism of current practice. First, some commentators have suggested that the agencies abuse their leverage under the Hart Scott Rodino Act to obtain regulatory oversight or demand relief that they would not otherwise be able to achieve in court. Second, others have complained that

the antitrust authorities have allowed mergers to proceed without imposing effective remedies and that the merger remedies process is often a black box. Third, some have suggested that the impact of innovation and potential entry are overly discounted by the current Merger Guidelines and that the authorities should have a greater tolerance of mergers than traditional antitrust metrics would call into question.

This conference will evaluate the judgments of the Antitrust Modernization Commission report, examining its basic conclusion that there are no fundamental flaws in modern antitrust law and practice as well as its various suggested for reform. To do so, we will bring together some of the Commissioners who evaluated the state of antitrust law, current and former antitrust enforcers, and a number of leading antitrust practitioners. In particular, we will examine the report's conclusions within three broad headings—Rethinking Merger Review; Antitrust in the New Economy; and the Antitrust/IP Interface.

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

RETHINKING MERGER REVIEW

John Francis, Partner, Davis, Graham & Stubbs

Don Kempf, Member, Antitrust Modernization Commission

Doug Melamed, Partner, WilmerHale; former Acting Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, U.S. Department of Justice

Diana Moss, American Antitrust Institute

4:10-5:10

ANTITRUST OVERSIGHT IN THE NEW ECONOMY

Michael Katz, Professor of Economics and Business, New York University **Eugene Crew**, Townsend, Townsend, & Crew

Jim Hartley, Partner, Holland & Hart **Randy Milch**, General Counsel, Verizon Business

5:10-5:20 BREAK

5:20-6:20

THE INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY/ANTITRUST NEXUS

Karma Guillianelli, Partner, Barlit Beck Makan Delrahim, Partner, Brownstein, Hyatt, Farber & Schreck; Member, Antitrust Modernization Commission Tucker Trautman, Partner, Dorsey & Whitney

Roy Hoffinger, Vice President, Qualcomm

6:20-7:00

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Gerri Masoud, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, US Department of Justice

7:00-8:00 RECEPTION

October 10, 2007 "The Future of User Generated Content"

Co-sponsored with the Cable Center and The Communications Technology Professionals

Wednesday, October 10, 2007, from **3:00 to 7:30 p.m.** at the Cable Center in Denver, CO.

According to Time magazine, the person of 2006 was "you," reflecting its judgment that the millions of bloggers, music remixers, amateur video creators of YouTube fame, wikipedians, and Flickr photographers were mainstream fare. Many in the mainstream media are increasingly asking themselves how they can take advantage of this

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phenomenon. They also realize that this phenomenon is no passing fad, with only 3% of executives in a recent survey labeling "social media" as a temporary phenomenon. More interestingly, two-thirds of those executives were "positive" that their firms would make money off of such media, but only a quarter of them had any idea of how they would do so.

This conference will analyze the growing trends related to user generated content. In so doing, it will begin with the question of what new technologies are emerging and how they will transform traditional media and usage patterns. Secondly, it will ask what business models will emerge—both for new upstarts and established media companies—to turn this phenomenon into profitable ventures. Will, for example, established firms incorporate user-generated content into their offerings, offer the rights to their traditional content for others to remix, or both. Finally, it will examine the legal issues that arise in connection with this phenomenon, ranging from intellectual property issues to questions of consumer privacy to calls for regulation to protect children and guard against defamation in this emerging medium.

Registration information available at http://www.silicon-flatirons.org.

Schedule of Events

3:00-3:10

WELCOME & OVERVIEW

Jana Henthorn, Vice President, Cable Center

3:10-4:10

CHANGING TECHNOLOGIES, EVOLVING CONSUMER TASTES AND NEW USAGE PATTERNS

Alex Kelly, CEO, Veeker Stephanie Smeltzer, McCoy, Managing Director, Meritage Funds Chris Stasi, VP, TVN Entertainment Mark Taylor, SVP, Business Development for Content Markets Group, Level 3 Communications

4:10-5:10

THE EMERGING BUSINESS MODEL

Joel Hyatt, CEO, Current TV Drew Massey, CEO, Mania TV Ryan McIntyre, Managing Director, Foundry Group Evan Shapiro, Executive VP, Independent Film Channel

Save the Date of Thursday, November 15, 2007 for the 18th Annual FCBA Charity Auction

Proceeds to Benefit Kid Power DC

LOCATION:

Marriott at Metro Center 775 12th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

To volunteer or donate auction items, contact **Chris Fedeli** (chrisfedeli@dwt.com) or **Tarah Grant** (tsgrant@hhlaw.com).

5:10-5:20 BREAK

5:20-6:20

LEGAL ISSUES: INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, PRIVACY, AND CONSUMER PROTECTION

Ashlie Beringer, Counsel, Gibson Dunn & Crutcher

Paul Ohm, Associate Professor, University of Colorado Law School Marsha MacBride, Executive VP, NAB Dan Brenner, Vice President, NCTA

6:30-7:30 RECEPTION

Joint FCBA/NVTC Program ~ Wednesday, Sept 26th

A joint program of the FCBA and the Northern Virginia Technology Council (NVTC) General Counsel and New Media Technology Committees will be held Wednesday, September 26 from 8:00 - 9:30 a.m. at the Ritz-Carlton, 1700 Tysons Boulevard, McLean, VA. This program is entitled "Digital Media and Emerging Legal Challenges." Our world is fast becoming a digital media society, and this presents all types of challenges and opportunities for businesses. As someone touched by this new digital environment, come join us for a timely discussion about the many legal and business issues facing emerging and existing business in dealing with digital media. Registration and networking begins at 7:30 a.m. This event will cost \$45.00 for members and \$75.00 for non-members. For further information and to register, visit http://www.nvtc.org/events/ geteventinfo.php?event= COUNSEL-4.

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18th Annual Charity Auction to Benefit Kid Power DC

The Young Lawyers Committee of the Federal Communications Bar Association ("FCBA") and the FCBA Foundation will hold the 18th Annual Charity Auction on **Thursday**, **November 15, 2007**, 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.

The proceeds of this year's Charity Auction will benefit **Kid Power DC**, which provides extracurricular educational and civic instruction to underprivileged elementary school students in the District, involving them in a range of activities and events aimed at fostering intellectual and social development. You can read more about this amazing program by visiting their website at **www.kidpowerdc.org**.

The Charity Auction is one of Washington, D.C.'s premier "mustattend" 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, consumer electronics products, tickets to various sporting events (including Redskins 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, an Auction Donation Form is on page **19** of this newsletter.

Over the past 17 years, the Charity Auction has raised more than \$725,000 for D.C.-based organizations, including Pediatric AIDS/HIV Care, Inc., the D.C. Children's Advocacy Center, STEP/I Have a Dream, the Spanish Education Development Center, the Charitable Coalition for Children with Cancer,

Kids Enjoy Exercise Now ("K.E.E.N.") and Fair Chance, which last year received over \$86,000 in auction proceeds.

If you have any questions about the auction, please contact **Chris Fedeli**, 202-973-4200, chrisfedeli@dwt.com, or **Kerry Loughney**, (202) 293-4000, kerry@fcba.org.

McKenna's Wagon Seeking Volunteers for September 23rd

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. This is an especially good experience for the teens and pre-teens among us who do not have a full appreciation of the many privileges they enjoy. Community service credits are also available.

The Wagon is a white van that is loaded up with sandwiches, snacks and soup. We meet at Martha's Table at 4:45 p.m. 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 p.m.

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 September 23rd or for a future date, please contact Marlo Go at MGo@ctia.org or Tom VanWazer at tvanwazer@sidley.com.

Volunteer Outreach for Martha's Table – September 30th

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. Onstreet 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.

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What's the Password?

Many of you have noticed that while trying to log into FCBA's Online Membership Directory: 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.

TO RESPOND TO JOB BANK LISTINGS

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

TO LIST A JOB

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

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Communications and Technology Attorney -Patton Boggs seeks an attorney with at least 3 to 5 years of experience working on administrative, regulatory, legislative and other legal matters involving the programs funded through the Universal Service Fund ("USF") and administered by Universal Service Administrative Company, and one or more of its Divisions ("USAC"). Experience with the Schools and Libraries E-rate program is of particular interest. Excellent writing and analytical skills vitally important. Knowledge of legislative process and Capitol Hill experience also beneficial. Experience dealing in Department of Justice matters also a plus. Duties will include writing comments and reply comments in policy proceedings, drafting memoranda for clients, assisting with transactional work, drafting pleadings, drafting appeals and other submissions to USAC and the FCC, and preparing routine regulatory filings and applications. Candidates must have both strong academic performance and references. Contact person: Whitney Tews, Phone 202.457.6163, EMail wtews@pattonboggs.com, Fax 202.457.6315.

9.07.2

Communications and Technology Attorney - Patton Boggs seeks an attorney with a

minimum of 3 to 5 years of experience in spectrum transactions of all kinds and has meaningful experience in FCC regulatory matters and FCC rulemakings. Experience with Internet laws and evolving regulations and legislation in the field of telecomm and new information technology a plus. Experience working on behalf of wireless, wireline, E-rate. broadcasting, cable television, satellite and technology companies desirable. Excellent writing and analytical skills vitally important. Duties will include writing comments and reply comments in policy proceedings, drafting memoranda for clients, assisting with transactional work, drafting pleadings, drafting appeals and other submissions, and preparing routine regulatory filings and applications. Candidates must have both strong academic performance and references. Contact person: Whitney Tews, Phone 202.457.6163, EMail wtews@pattonboggs.com, Fax 202.457.6315.

9.07.3

Manager Government Affairs (Sprint) – State regulatory advocacy and strategy on issues impacting the Company's wireline and wireless operations within the Northeast region. This includes monitoring and/or participating in regulatory proceedings at state public utilities commission within the Northeast region on issues such as: ability to interconnect with and compete against other carriers, ILEC/CLEC regulation, state universal service, access charge reform and wireless issues. Work closely with federal regulatory team as well as the state legislative team on such telecom issues. Work closely with Legal Department on Company's compliance with state regulations.

Requirements: J.D. and admission to the bar of at least one state, regulatory/legal experience, usually 4-7 years minimum, with knowledge of telecom industry. Excellent research and writing skills. Ability to formulate strategy and manages complex regulatory or legal projects.

To learn more and to submit your interest, visit www.sprint.com/careers, click on Career Search, Search Openings, enter Requisition Number 57632.

9.07.4

Regulatory Affairs/Tariffs Consultant - John Staurulakis, Inc. (JSI), a leading national telecommunications consulting firm with headquarters in Greenbelt, Maryland is seeking a professional with solid telecommunications regulatory and tariff experience. JSI provides a wide range of telecommunications management consulting services to both existing telephone companies and new entrants to the local and long distance telecommunications industries.

Candidates for this position must have a bachelor's degree and prior working experience with a telecommunications company,

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SR COUNSEL - Telecommunication

Corporate - Office Location: Overland Park, KS - Recruiter: Jenny Illum, jenny.a.illum@embarq.com - Base \$110K-\$165K- Relocation Assistance Negotiable

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- Go to embarq.com/careers
- Click on "Submit Your Resume Now!"
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Position Description:

- The position requires superior communication skills, exemplary project management skills with a keen focus on process and project simplification and excellent people leadership and management skill.
- The person in this position represents the company before state regulatory commissions and throughout the appellate process. Also supports the FCC comment and advocacy process.
- The position requires extensive knowledge of the federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and state administrative and regulatory procedures.
- While leading a team, the person in this position must draft pleadings, formulate strategy, prepare witnesses, conduct crossexamination, engage in oral and written advocacy and otherwise manage complex

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- legal projects significantly affecting company's legal exposure or operations.
- Person must have the ability to translate company's business requirements into effective public policy advocacy.

Position Qualifications: Required:

 Job requires a level of knowledge typically gained through a combination of a college

- degree and/or relevant experience, totaling 15 years post-high school.
- JD, admission to the bar of, and in good standing in, at least one state and a minimum of 8 years directly relevant legal experience. Must be licensed in KS willing to become licensed promptly (including through reciprocity).
- Extensive knowledge of the federal
 Telecommunications Act of 1996 and state
- administrative and regulatory proceedings.Trial experience or administrative hearing practice.

COMMITTEES in the Spotlight

HLS/Emergency Communications Committee

The Homeland Security and Emergency Communications Committee is cochaired by **David Furth** of the Public Safety & Homeland Security Bureau, **Robert Gurss** of APCO and Fletcher, Heald & Hildreth, **Samir Jain** of WilmerHale, and **Scott Tollefsen**, until recently, of USA Mobility, Inc.

The Committee expects to sponsor several lunches and programs concerning ongoing developments concerning E911, emergency alerts, and other issues before the Commission relating to emergency communications. We also intend to focus on the increasingly critical intersection between communications and national security in areas such as electronic surveillance. CALEA, foreign investment in communications companies and CFIUS. cybersecurity. Committee events will generally take place on the fourth Wednesday of every month.

The Committee co-chairs encourage everyone to attend its programs, to sign up for the Committee and get involved, and to send us any comments, questions, or suggestions. Feel free to contact David at david.furth@fcc.gov, Robert at gurss@fhhlaw.com, Samir at samir.jain@wilmerhale.com, or Scott at stollefsen@earthlink.net for more information.

Diversity Committee

The Diversity Committee is looking forward to another year full of quality programming and networking opportunities. We encourage all FCBA members to join our Committee and participate in our events. Be sure to keep your calendars open the second Thursday of each month for our activities. This year we plan to build on last year's success and offer another CLE (topic TBD), conduct outreach panels to area law schools, and hold the Annual Mentoring Luncheon, along with Brown Bag discussions and other opportunities to network and build mentoring relationships.

Our kickoff event for this year is a Brown Bag Planning Meeting: **Thursday**, **September 13** at **12:00 Noon** at Wiley Rein LLP, 1776 K Street, NW. This is your opportunity to meet Committee members, help shape the coming year, and volunteer to assist with future events. Please feel free to contact any of the Committee's co-chairs, **Andrea Barbarin** (abarbarin@loctw.com), **Edgar Class** (EClass@wileyrein.com), **Parul Desai** (pdesai@mediaaccess.org), or **Riley Temple** (rkt@htgm.com) to request more information or suggest program topics.



Diversity Committee Co-Chairs: Edgar Class and Andrea Barbarin (not pictured: Parul Desai and Riley Temple)

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	Thursday, September 27, 12:15 p.m. – Joint Wireless Committee and Cyberspace Committee Luncheon, Sidley Austin LLP, 1501 K Street, NW, 6th Floor Cost: \$15.00 Registrations and cancellations due by Noon, Tuesday, September 25, 2007	Avenue, NW Cost: \$48.00 for private sector members, \$35.00 for government/academic members and \$70.00 for nonmembers. Tables of 10 available for \$480.00.	
	Tuesday, October 2, 6:00 – 8:15 p.m. – CLE on Buying and Selling Political Time in a Hot Election Season, Dow Lohnes PLLC, 1200 New Hampshire Avenue, NW, Suite 800 Cost: \$85.00 for Private Sector Members; \$50.00 for Government/Academic/Student Members; \$25.00 for Government/Academic Members 5 years or less out of school; \$135.00 for Non-Members Registrations and cancellations due by 5:00 p.m., Friday, September 28, 2007	Registrations and cancellations due by 5:00 p.m., Thursdate September 27, 2007 Wednesday, October 10 - Panel Discussion with Telecon Attaches from Foreign Embassies & Networking Reception, House of Sweden, 2900 K Street, NW, Washington, DC Cost: \$20.00 for Private Sector Members, \$10.00 for Government/Academic/Students; \$50.00 for Private Sector Non-Members. Registration limited to 150. Registrations and cancellations due by 5:00 p.m., Friday, September 28, 2007	
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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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Who Should Attend?

Communication Attorneys Company Representatives **Government Representatives** Students and Academics

Thursday September 27, 2007

9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. 8:30 registration

The Brogan Museum 350 S. Duval Street Tallahassee, FL 32301 www.thebrogan.org (850) 513-0700

Registrations and Cancellations are due by Noon, Tuesday September 26th

For more information, contact FCBA co-chairs:

> Will Cox wcox@abelband.com

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THE FLORIDA CHAPTER of the **Federal Communications Bar Association**

PRESENTS

2007 Florida Telecom Legislative Update:

Florida's Statewide Cable Franchising Law And Overview of Hot Issues at the FCC

Join us as we discuss the

Florida Consumer Choice Act of 2007

Guest Panelists Include

Charlie Dudley

Florida Cable Telecommunications Association

Mark Kraus

Florida Office of the Attorney General

- Florida and National overview of cable television franchising and related FCC action
- Overview of current FCC issues in wireline, wireless, broadband, and media



2007 Florida Telecom Legislative Update: Florida's Statewide Cable Franchising Law

Date: Thursday, September 27, 2007; 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Location: The Brogan Museum, 350 S. Duval Street, Tallahassee, FL (CLE seminar includes continental breakfast)

Registration Fee

Check one. Registration fees apply for each location:

- □ \$60.00 Private Sector FCBA Members
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SESSION I - PRIVACY & DATA SECURITY 101

SESSION II - PRIVACY & DATA SECURITY ISSUES RELATED TO ADVERTISING, MARKETING & SALES SESSION III - PRIVACY & DATA SECURITY ISSUES RELATED TO OPERATIONS AND EMPLOYEES

Cost: \$175.00 for ABA Communications Law Forum or FCBA Members

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September 11	Chapter Co-Chair Monthly Call		
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September 14	Legislative Committee Brown Bag Lunch		
September 17	Intellectual Property Practice Committee Brown Bag Lunch		
September 17	Mass Media Brown Bag Lunch		
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September 18	Wireline Practice Committee Brown Bag Lunch		
September 19	New York Chapter Networking Reception and Downstate Kickoff		
September 20	Executive Committee Meeting		
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September 21	Engineering and Technical Practice Brown Bag Lunch		
September 23 Volunteer for McKenna's Wagon			
September 24	Privacy and Data Security Committee Brown Bag Lunch		
September 25	FCC Enforcement Practice Committee Brown Bag Lunch		
September 26	Joint FCBA/NVTC Program on Digital Media and Emerging Legal Challenges		
September 27	Cyberspace and Wireless Telecom Committees Lunch		
September 27	Florida Chapter CLE Seminar on the Florida Telecom Legislative Update		
September 28	Cable Practice and Young Lawyers Committees Brown Bag Lunch		
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