FAMILY LAW 101- BASICS FOR THE NEW PRACTITIONER

This will be a two–part beginner level program which focuses on issues in family law cases from initial client contact through trial. The program will feature presentations from experienced family law attorneys and is co-sponsored by the Maryland Chapter of the American Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers, the Family and Juvenile Law Section of the Maryland State Bar Association, and the University of Baltimore School of Law Sayra and Neil Meyerhoff Center for Families, Children and the Courts.

Dates: Thursday, June 4 and Friday, June 5, 2015  
Time:  8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
Location: University of Baltimore School of Law - Room 202

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION

Please register the following person(s) for the Family Law 101- Basics for the New Practitioner

Space is limited – advance registration is requested.

Early registration is $85.00 per session or $160.00 for both sessions.

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Enclosed is a check made payable to “University of Baltimore Center for Families, Children and the Courts” in the amount of $________________. All registrations must be accompanied by total tuition payment.

Mail this registration application along with your tuition payment to Marcellus Anderson, Sayra and Neil Meyerhoff Center for Families, Children and the Courts, 1420 North Charles Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21201.

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Thursday, June 4, 2015 (moderated by Howard Soypher)

8:30 – 8:35  Welcome
Leslie Billman and Barbara Babb

8:35 - 9:45  Reference Books, Conflicts, Initial Contacts, Initial Consultation, and Retainer Agreements
Speakers: Leslie Billman and Sally Gold

9:45 - 10:00  Mini Break

10:00 - 10:15  Panel Discussion/Wrap Up by Leslie Billman and Sally Gold

10:15 - 11:30  Marital Settlement Agreements and ADR
Speakers: Mary Roby Sanders and Kristine Howanski

11:30 - Noon  Panel Discussion/Wrap Up by Mary Roby Sanders and Kristine Howanski

Noon - 1:00  Lunch on your own

1:00 - 2:15  Discovery: Interrogatories, Request for Documents, Request for Admissions, Subpoenas, Depositions, What to Do When You Don’t Get It, 5th Amendment
Speakers: Howard Soypher and Lorraine Prete

2:15 - 2:30  Break

2:30 - 2:45  Panel Discussion/Wrap Up by Howard Soypher and Lorraine Prete

2:45 - 4 p.m.  Pendente Lite (PL) Hearings and Exceptions
Speakers: Dorothy Fait and Renee Ades
Friday, June 5, 2015

8:30 - 8:35  Welcome by Vince Wills

8:35 – 10:00  **9-207 Statement**  
Speakers: Steve Krohn and Vince Wills

10:00 - 10:15  Panel Discussion/Wrap Up by Steve Krohn and Vince Wills

10:15 - 11:45  **Financial Statements, Whether to File, How to Plead**  
Speakers: Brian K. Pearlstein and Geraldine Hess

11:45 - noon  Panel Discussion/Wrap Up by Brian K. Pearlstein and Geraldine Hess

12:00 - 1:00  Lunch on your own

1:00 - 2:15  **Trial Preparation and Presentations, Modifications**  
Speakers: Christopher Nicholson and Jim Milko

2:15 - 2:30  Break

2:30 - 3:30  **Judgments, Orders, Contempt**  
Speakers: Tom Ries and Dana Williams

3:30 – 4:00  **Ethics**  
Speaker: Cheryl Hepfer