

**7:00am Registration**

**7:00am Buffet Breakfast**

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**Friends of Bill W. Meeting**

**8:30am What's New in Legal Advertising, Intake, and Lead Generation**

Cason Carter, CEO, Broughton Partners;  
Bob Goldwater, Managing Partner, Goldwater Law Firm

**9:00am Session Title TBD**

Steve Nober, CEO, CAMG

**9:15am How to Leverage Artificial Intelligence Through Every Step of Your Case**

Alex McLaughlin, VP, Product, Filevine; Pam Wickersham, Head of Product,  
Supio; Lance Entrekin, Genesis Legal AI

**10:00am Maximizing Claim Value from Case Intake Through Case Resolution**

Raymond Mieszanec, Chief Operating Officer & Co-Founder, EvenUp

**10:15am Morning Break**

**10:30am How to Build a New Project Like Ultra Processed Foods**

Mike Papantonio, Levin Papantonio

**11:00am BREAKOUT: Litigating Sexual Assault Cases – how to best handle individual and mass cases**

Moderator: Kim Dougherty, Justice Law Collaborative;  
Ashley Crowell, Meadow Law Firm; Karen Barth Menzies, KBM Law;  
Mark Chalos, Lieff Cabraser Heimann & Bernstein

**11:00am Cost Effective Financing Options to Grow Your Firm**

Jarret Prussin, CEO, Business Funding Group

**11:15am Session Title TBD**

Francesca Castagnola, Senior Managing Director,  
Juris Banking Group, Western Alliance Bank

**11:45am Reduce Fraud and Streamline Client Intake**

Joe Mangano, Director of Legal Market Development, TransUnion;  
Andy Rogers, Chief Revenue Officer, Shield Legal

**12:15pm Traditional Media**

Sarah Parisi, Rankings.io

**12:30pm Buffet Luncheon in the Exhibit Hall**

**1:30pm Structured Settlements: Planning for a Secure Financial Future After an Injury**

Manny Valdez, CSSC, Ringler

**1:45pm Settlement Administration Strategies for 2025**

Scott Denardo, Executive Vice President, Archer;  
Nicole Hamann, President, Epiq

**1:45pm BREAKOUT SESSION: Leadership Bootcamp: Building the Next Generation of MDL and JPML Leadership**

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Eli Hare, DiCello Levitt; Ava Cavaco, Nigh Goldenberg Raso & Vaughn;  
Susan Jones Knape, A Case for Women

**2:15pm Session Title TBD**

Luke Hyde, Owner, Drive Digital Ads

**2:30pm Session Title TBD**

Speaker TBD, Intake Desk

**2:45pm Integrated Vendor Partnerships**

Amanda Bermudez, National Account Executive, Lexitas

**3:00pm Session Title TBD** | RaeAnn Daly, Vice President of Customer Success, Blazeo

**3:15pm Session Title TBD** | Conrad Saam, President, Mockingbird

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**4:45pm Business of Law Track Adjourns**

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## TUESDAY AGENDA: NUTS & BOLTS OF MASS TORTS

Moderator: Amy Kuldip, Levin Papantonio

Co-sponsored by CAMG

- 7:00am Registration**
- 7:00am Buffet Breakfast**  
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- 7:00am Friends of Bill W. Meeting**
- 8:15am Welcome Remarks: Introduction to the Program**  
Amy Kuldip, Levin Papantonio
- 8:20am Who Matters in a Mass Tort MDL: The Judges, MDL and JPML Leadership**  
Seth Katz, Burg Simpson; Katherine Cornell, Cornell Law
- 8:50am Know When to Stay or Walk Away: Strategies to Evaluate a New and Emerging Mass Tort**  
Sara Papantonio, Levin Papantonio; Mildred Conroy, Simmons Hanly Conroy
- 9:30am You Found a New Project — How to Win the Marketing Challenge**  
Steve Nober, CEO, CAMG
- 10:00am Morning Break**
- 10:30am Different Marketing Approaches and Finding the Right One for Your Firm**  
Moderator: Caleb Cunningham, Levin Papantonio;  
Speakers: Susan Jones Knape, A Case for Women;  
Francesca Castagnola, Western Alliance Bank; Scott Hardy, Top Class Actions
- 11:00am BREAKOUT: Litigating Sexual Assault Cases – how to best handle individual and mass cases**  
Moderator: Kim Dougherty, Justice Law Collaborative;  
Ashley Crowell, Meadow Law Firm; Karen Barth Menzies, KBM Law;  
Mark Chalos, Lieff Cabraser Heimann & Bernstein
- 11:15am You've Got Clients and Cases: Next Steps for Building the Project**  
Caleb Cunningham, Levin Papantonio; Laura Fitzpatrick,  
Simmons Hanly Conroy; Sejal Brahmbhatt, Williams Hart Boundas
- 12:00pm Being Prepared for Settlement**  
Madeline Pendley, Levin Papantonio;  
Sara Watkins, Robert Peirce & Associates
- 12:30pm Nuts & Bolts of Mass Torts Track Adjourns**

**12:30pm Buffet Luncheon in the Exhibit Hall**

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## TUESDAY AGENDA: **TRIAL SKILLS IN MASS TORTS**

Moderators: John Givens, The Cochran Firm; Brandon Bogle, Levin Papantonio  
Co-sponsored by Filevine

- 7:00am Registration**
- 7:00am Buffet Breakfast**  
Co-sponsored by CAMG
- 7:00am Friends of Bill W. Meeting**
- 8:45am Welcome to the Trial Skills Track**  
Brandon Bogle, Levin Papantonio; John Givens, The Cochran Firm
- 9:00am Theme Gridding a Case**  
Mike Papantonio, Levin Papantonio
- 10:00am Morning Break**
- 10:30am Forever Binding: Preparing an Effective Corporate Representative Deposition**  
Lee Floyd, Breit Biniazan; Andy Childers, Childers Schlueter & Smith
- 11:00am BREAKOUT: Litigating Sexual Assault Cases – how to best handle individual and mass cases**  
Moderator: Kim Dougherty, Justice Law Collaborative;  
Ashley Crowell, Meadow Law Firm; Karen Barth Menzies, KBM Law;  
Mark Chalos, Lieff Cabraser Heimann & Bernstein
- 11:15am Nailing the Deposition of the Defense Expert**  
Jayne Conroy, Simmons Hanly Conroy; Paul Pennock, Morgan & Morgan
- 12:00pm Your A.I. Powered Second Chair for Depositions**  
Alex McLaughlin, VP, Product, Filevine
- 12:15pm Buffet Luncheon in the Exhibit Hall**
- 1:30pm Mixed Method Approach to Jury Selection**  
Rich Newsome, Newsome Melton
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Eli Hare, DiCello Levitt; Ava Cavaco, Nigh Goldenberg Raso & Vaughn;  
Susan Jones Knape, A Case for Women
- 2:15pm Session Title TBD**  
Speakers TBD
- 3:00pm Afternoon Break**
- 3:30pm Spotting a Good Mass Tort or Single Event Case at Intake**  
John Givens, The Cochran Firm; Brandon Bogle, Levin Papantonio
- 4:15pm Roundtable Discussion: Q&A with the Trial Skills Faculty – Bring Your Tough Questions**  
Brandon Bogle, Levin Papantonio; Lee Floyd, Breit Biniazan;  
Andy Childers, Childers Schlueter & Smith; John Givens, The Cochran Firm;  
Rich Newsome, Newsome Melton; Jayne Conroy, Simmons Hanly Conroy;  
Paul Pennock, Morgan & Morgan; Alex McLaughlin, Filevine
- 4:45pm Trial Skills Track Adjourns**
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## TUESDAY AGENDA: **PARALEGAL SKILLS**

Moderators: Amelia Woods, Paralegal, Levin Papantonio;

Emily Pitts, Paralegal, Levin Papantonio | *Co-sponsored by Supio*

**7:00am Registration**

**7:00am Buffet Breakfast**

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**7:00am Friends of Bill W. Meeting**

**8:30am Paralegal Track Opening Session: Rising Together: Igniting Excellence in the Paralegal Profession**

Amy Angelo, Director of Paralegal Programs, MTMP;  
Susan Staggs, Paralegal, Green Law

**9:00am Claim It or Leave It: Navigating Qualifying Claimants in Mass Tort Projects**

Kelly Osborne, Mass Torts Coordinator and Managing Paralegal,  
Childers Schlueter & Smith; Emily Pitts, Paralegal, Levin Papantonio

**9:30am Torts and Ports: Smooth Sailing for Mass Tort Client Onboarding**

Syreeta Poindexter, Esq., and Anthony Resendes, Paralegal, Babin Law

**10:00am Morning Break**

**10:30am Ethics in Action: Keeping It Legal**

Carol Moore, Certified Legal Investigator, Levin Papantonio and  
Virginia Buchanan, Esq., Levin Papantonio

**11:00am BREAKOUT: Litigating Sexual Assault Cases – how to best handle individual and mass cases**

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Ashley Crowell, Meadow Law Firm; Karen Barth Menzies, KBM Law;  
Mark Chalos, Lief Cabraser Heimann & Bernstein

**11:30am Tick Tock: Beating the Clock on Statutes of Limitations**

Amelia Woods, Paralegal, Levin Papantonio; Marlo Fischer, Esq.,  
Laminack Pirtle & Martines

**12:00pm Session Title TBD**

Sarah Merced, Mass Tort Specialist and Paralegal, Levin Papantonio and  
Ana Rodriguez, Paralegal and Mass Torts Coordinator, Levin Papantonio

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Eli Hare, DiCello Levitt; Ava Cavaco, Nigh Goldenberg Raso & Vaughn;  
Susan Jones Knape, A Case for Women

**1:45pm From Chaos to Clarity: Mastering Medical Records Management**

Debbie Pritts, BSHIM, RN, LNCC, Legal Nurse Consultant, Wallace Miller;  
Justin Bryars, Environmental Specialist, Levin Papantonio

**2:30pm Staying in the Loop: Tools and Tips for Client Status Updates**

Kelly Osborne, Mass Torts Coordinator and Managing Paralegal,  
Childers Schlueter & Smith; Susan Staggs, Paralegal, Green Law

**3:15pm Afternoon Break**

**3:45pm HIPAA Happens: Keeping Compliance Cool and Confidential**

Christina Feller, Esq., Ferrer Poirot Feller; and  
Amelia Woods, Paralegal, Levin Papantonio

**4:15pm Tuesday Paralegal Skills Track Adjourns**

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## WEDNESDAY AGENDA: **PARALEGAL SKILLS**

Moderator: Kelly Osborne, Mass Torts Coordinator and Managing Paralegal,  
Childers Schlueter & Smith | *Co-sponsored by Supio*

**7:00am Friends of Bill W. Meeting**

**8:00am Buffet Breakfast**

**9:00am MTMP Opening Session: The Poisoning of a Generation -  
Ultra Processed Foods and Disease in America**

Mike Papantonio, Levin Papantonio; Paul Pennock and  
Rene Rocha, Morgan & Morgan

**10:15am Docket Masters: Navigating PACER, LexisNexis, and Beyond**

Jason Jackson, Senior Litigation Paralegal, and Miranda Johnson,  
Senior Litigation Paralegal, Singleton Schreiber;  
Lisa Gorshe, Esq., Johnson Becker

**10:45am Morning Break**

Co-sponsored by Genesis Legal AI

**11:00am Empathy in Action: Trauma-Informed Communication Strategies  
for Paralegals**

Susanna Southworth, Of Counsel, Levin Papantonio, Liz Stevenson Licensed  
Social Worker/Paralegal and Kelly Guagenty, Licensed Social Worker/  
Paralegal, Justice Law Collaborative, LLC

**11:30am AI Unplugged: Exploring the Future, One Algorithm at a Time**

Carasusana Wall, Esq., Zoll & Knanz; Lisa Gorshe, Esq., Johnson Becker;  
Jeff Wright, Paralegal, Levin Papantonio

**12:15pm Luncheon and Keynote Address by Terry Bradshaw and Trial Lawyer Hall of  
Fame Induction Ceremony**

Co-sponsored by Broughton Partners

**2:15pm AI-Powered Paralegals: Supercharging Your Skills, Not Replacing Them**

Pam Wickersham, Head of Product, Supio

**2:30pm E-Discovery Demystified: A Paralegal's Guide to the Digital Frontier**

Mark Abramowitz, Esq., and Amanda Patterson, Paralegal, DiCello Levitt  
Carol Moore, Certified Legal Investigator, Levin Papantonio;  
Jessica Wieczorkiewicz, Esq., Wallace Miller

**3:45pm Afternoon Break**

Co-sponsored by Genesis Legal AI

**4:15pm PFAS Case Update**

Justin Bryars, Environmental Specialist, Levin Papantonio

**4:00pm Friends of Bill W. Meeting**

**4:30pm Wednesday Paralegal Track Adjourns / Paralegal Happy Hour**

**5:30pm Cocktail Party in the Exhibit Hall** | Co-sponsored by Broughton Partners

**6:45pm Evening Entertainment: A Conversation with and Musical Performance by  
Miranda Lambert**

## ATTENTION PARALEGALS!

Recharge and relax in the Paralegal Power Lounge! Whether you need to charge your devices, print important documents, or just take a breather, this dedicated space has you covered. Enjoy power strips, access to printers, complimentary sodas and snacks, and a comfortable atmosphere to unwind and network with fellow paralegals.

## THURSDAY AGENDA: **PARALEGAL SKILLS**

Moderator: Ana Rodriguez, Paralegal and Mass Torts Coordinator, Levin Papantonio  
Co-sponsored by Supio

**7:00am Friends of Bill W. Meeting**

**7:30am Buffet Breakfast**

**8:30am Women in Legal Leadership Breakfast and Panel Discussion**

Co-sponsored by A Case for Women and Grant & Eisenhofer;  
Speakers: Susan Jones Knape, A Case for Women; Elizabeth Graham, Grant & Eisenhofer; Hon. Sandra Mazer Moss (Ret.), Dispute Resolution Institute; Virginia Buchanan, Levin Papantonio

**10:00am Empowered Inside and Out: Inner Work for Legal Professional Success**

Bettina Altizer, Esq., Altizer Law

**11:00am Morning Break**

**11:15am Torts in the Spotlight: Depo Provera, Camp Lejeune & Ozempic Case Updates**

Patti Mobley, Paralegal, Bell Legal Group; Carrie Knapp, Paralegal, Bell Legal Group, Tracy Finken, Esq., Anapol Weiss; Matthew Marcin, Esq., Levin Papantonio

**12:15pm Settlement Secrets: A Deep Dive for Paralegals**

Samantha Katen, Esq., Aylstock Witkin Kreis & Overholtz; Emily Pitts, Paralegal, Levin Papantonio; and Kelly Osborne, Mass Torts Coordinator and Managing Paralegal, Childers Schlueter & Smith

**1:15pm No Settlement, No Problem: Trial Skills Every Paralegal Needs**

Sarah Merced, Mass Tort Specialist and Paralegal, Levin Papantonio; Dawn Campbell, Paralegal, Breit Biniazan Trial Lawyers

**2:00pm Conference Adjourns**

## Levin Papantonio's **PARALEGAL TEAM**



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EMILY PITTS



AMELIA WOODS



JEFFERY WRIGHT

**7:00am Friends of Bill W. Meeting**

**7:30am Buffet Breakfast**

**8:30am Camp Lejeune Litigation Update**

Brian Barr and Sara Papantonio, Levin Papantonio;

**9:00am The Poisoning of a Generation - Ultra Processed Foods and Disease in America**

Mike Papantonio, Levin Papantonio; Paul Pennock and Rene Rocha, Morgan & Morgan

**10:00am Depo-Provera Litigation Update**

Chris Paulos, Levin Papantonio; Ellen Relkin, Weitz & Luxenberg; Tracy Finken, Anapol Weiss

**10:30am Morning Break**

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**11:00am PFAS Litigation Update**

Ned McWilliams and Wes Bowden, Levin Papantonio; Gary Douglas & Rebecca Newman, Douglas & London; Scott Summy, Baron & Budd; Rob Bilott, Taft Stettinius & Hollister

**11:30am Navigating Mass Torts from the Unique Perspective of the Judiciary; Practical Guidance and Insightful Observations**

Moderator: Richard Arsenault, Neblett Beard & Arsenault; Hon. Brendan Shannon, (U.S. Bankruptcy Ct., Dist. of DE); Hon. Leigh Martin May, (U.S. Dist. Court, No. Dist. of Georgia); Hon. Ada Brown, (U.S. Dist. Court, No. Dist. of Texas); Brian Barr, Levin Papantonio; Sean Fahey, Troutman Pepper Locke

**12:15pm Luncheon and Keynote Address by Terry Bradshaw and Trial Lawyer Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony**

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**2:15pm GLP-1RA/Ozempic MDL Update**

Cameron Stephenson, Levin Papantonio

**2:45pm Hall of Fame Panel**

Moderator: Erin Copeland, Fibich Leebron Copeland Briggs; Speakers: Mike Papantonio, Levin Papantonio; Eric Kennedy, Weisman Kennedy & Berris; Jayne Conroy, Simmons Hanly Conroy; Mike Burg, Burg Simpson; Richard Arsenault, Neblett Beard & Arsenault; Elizabeth Cabraser, Lief Cabraser Heimann & Bernstein; Mark Lanier, The Lanier Law Firm

**3:30pm Afternoon Break**

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**4:00pm NEC Infant Formula Case Update**

Andy Childers, Of Counsel, Levin Papantonio; Diandra "Fu" Debrosse Zimmermann, DiCello Levitt; Tim Becker, Johnson Becker; Wendy Fleishman, Lief Cabraser Heimann & Bernstein; Jose Rojas, Levin Rojas Camassar & Reck; Je Yon Jung, May Jung Law

**4:00pm Friends of Bill W. Meeting**

**4:30pm Social Media Addiction Case Update**

Emmie Paulos, Levin Papantonio; Lexi Hazam, Lief Cabraser Heimann & Bernstein; Tom Cartmell, Wagstaff & Cartmell; Matt Bergman, Social Media Victims Law Center

**5:00pm Panel Discussion: Court-Appointed Neutrals in Mass Torts**

Moderator: Andy Childers, Of Counsel, Levin Papantonio and Childers Schlueter & Smith; Speakers: Ed Gentle, Gentle Turner & Benson; Adriane Theis, Reisman Greene Theis; Hon. David Herndon (Ret.), Herndon Resolution

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Institute; Virginia Buchanan, Levin Papantonio

**8:30am Paraquat Litigation Update**

Sarah Doles, Levin Papantonio

**9:00am Suboxone Case Update**

Sara Papantonio, Levin Papantonio; Ashlie Case Sletvold,  
Peiffer Wolf Carr Kane Conway & Wise; Erin Copeland, Fibich Leebron  
Copeland & Briggs; Trent Miracle, Flint Cooper; Alyson Beridon, Herzfeld  
Suetholz Gastel Leniski and Wall PLLC; Tim Becker, Johnson Becker

**9:30am Ethical Considerations in Sexual Abuse Cases**

Moderator: Todd Mathews, Bailey Glasser  
Speakers: Alexandra Stulpin and Dan Lapinski, Motley Rice;  
Helene Weiss, Marsh Law Firm; Lee Floyd, Breit Biniazan

**10:30am Morning Break**

**10:45am BREAKOUT: Human Trafficking Litigation Update**

Kim Adams and Matt Schultz, Levin Papantonio; Annie McAdams,  
Annie McAdams PC; Gregory Zarzaur, Gregory Zarzaur Law Firm;  
Steven Babin, Babin Law

**10:45am Chemical Hair Relaxer Case Update**

Brian Barr, Levin Papantonio; Fidelma Fitzpatrick, Motley Rice;  
Diandra "Fu" Debrosse Zimmermann, DiCello Levitt; Jennifer Hoekstra,  
Aylstock, Witkin, Kreis & Overholtz; Ben Crump, Ben Crump Law;  
Rene Rocha, Morgan & Morgan

**11:15am Oxbryta Litigation**

Laura Baughman, Weitz & Luxenberg

**11:45am Uber/Lyft Litigation**

Roopal Luhana, Chaffin Luhana; Rachel Abrams, Peiffer Wolf

**12:15pm Bard Implanted Port Catheter MDL Update**

Rebecca Phillips, The Lanier Law Firm; Adam Evans, Dickerson Oxtan;  
Michael Sacchet, Ciresi Conlin

**12:30pm Talc Litigation Update**

Chris Tisi and Cameron Stephenson, Levin Papantonio

**1:15pm Quick Hits on Mass Tort Projects**

**Valsartan** - Madeline Pendley, Levin Papantonio

**Tepezza** - Trent Miracle, Flint Cooper Cohn Thompson & Miracle

**Paragard** - Erin Copeland, Fibich Leebron Copeland & Briggs

**Gardasil** - Josh Autry, Morgan & Morgan

**2:00pm Conference Adjourns**