

Annual Meeting & Convention

July 14-17, 2016
 The Westin, Whistler, British Columbia

The registration fee includes Thursday evening cocktail reception, Friday and Saturday breakfasts, Friday night President's Party, Saturday evening Cocktail Reception and Awards Dinner, CLE program, and a souvenir for each registrant and guest.

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 Registered children's names and ages (3 -11 years only): _____

Fees

| | Before 6/14 | After 6/14 |
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| WDTL Member Only | \$425.00 | \$450.00 |
| Member & Companion | \$525.00 | \$550.00 |
| Government Member | \$250.00 | \$275.00 |
| Government Member & Comp. | \$350.00 | \$375.00 |
| Past President Only | \$250.00 | \$275.00 |
| Past President & Companion | \$350.00 | \$375.00 |
| Judge | \$100.00 | \$125.00 |

Additional Guests (each) \$200.00

Women's Networking Lunch, Saturday, July 16th. Advance registration required.
 Cost: \$30 which includes a plated lunch and beverages. \$ _____

Golf Tournament, Friday, July 15th.
 Handicap: _____
 Spouse, guest name _____ Handicap: _____

Golf fees: \$150.00 including box lunch, beverages, and cart.
 _____ player(s) @ \$150 = Total \$ _____
 (If you have a foursome, please attach those names to this registration)

Total Convention Payment: \$ _____

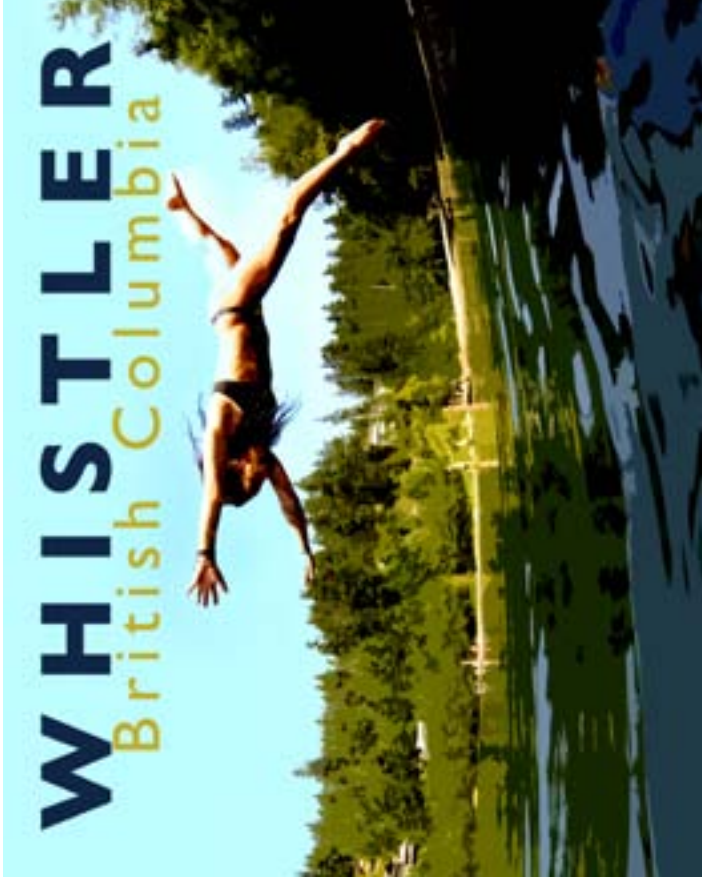
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Thursday

All functions will be in the Emerald Ballroom unless otherwise indicated

- 3:00 - 6:00 p.m.:** **Registration/Sign-up for Dine Arounds and Race Judicata**
Derek Bishop, Gordon Rees Scully Mansukhani, LLP
- 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.:** **Cocktail Reception**
Sponsored by Bohrsen Stocker Smith Luciani PLLC & Frey Buck, P.S.
- 7:30 p.m.:** **Dinner on your own or Dine Around**
- 9:30 - 11:30 p.m.:** **Young Lawyer Nightcap**
(open to all Young Lawyers & the Young at Heart)
Buffalo Bills, 4122 Village Green (First drink is on us!)
Sponsored by Foley & Mansfield

Friday

- 7:00 - 8:30 a.m.:** **Breakfast**
Sponsored by Lane Powell, PS
- 8:00 - 8:15 a.m.:** **Welcome and Announcements**
Convention Chair Jennifer Campbell, Schwabe Williamson & Wyatt
- 8:15 - 9:15 a.m.:** **Ep 1: Plight of the Defense Attorney: Rainmaking & Relationship Building: Do You Have a Plan?**
John Trimble, Lewis Wagner, LLP and Chair, DRI Law Practice Management Committee
- 9:15 - 10:15 a.m.:** **Ep 2: Turning the Tables: An Inside Perspective on the Outside Counsel/Corporate Counsel Relationship**
Jennifer Campbell, Moderator; Panel: Monica Fernandez, Holland America Group; Jolene Miller, REI; Angela Vogel, Expeditors, Inc.; Toti Walia, Multicare Health Systems
- 10:15 - 10:30 a.m.:** **Coffee Break**
Sponsored by Thenell Law Group, P.C.
- 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.:** **Ep 3: Defensible: Preparing Your Witness for Difficult Depositions and Trial**
Chris Howard, Schwabe Williamson & Wyatt
- 11:30 - 12:30 p.m.:** **Ep 4: A "Winning" Presentation of Recent Updates to the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure**
Allison Krashan, Schwabe Williamson & Wyatt, & Erin Seeberger, Bennett Bigelow & Leedom, P.S.
- 1:00 p.m.:** **Biking along the Valley Trail**
Meet in the hotel lobby for a leisurely self-guided bike ride along Whistler's Valley Trail—the best way to see Whistler's gorgeous landscape!
Chairs: Peter Ritchie and Mike Nicefaro

Golf Tournament: Whistler Golf Course

(across the street from the hotel)
Chair: George Mix
Sponsored by Mix Sanders Thompson, PLLC & Meyer, Fluegge & Tenney, P.S.

- 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.:** **Speakers' Dinner**
For our Convention Speakers
Sponsored by Schwabe Williamson & Wyatt

Evening: **Dinner on your own**

- 8:00 - 11:00 p.m.:** **President's Party - Theme: Erin Go Braugh**
Dubh Linn Gate Irish Pub, 4320 Sundial Crescent
Sponsored by: T-Scan, HSNO, ARCCA, MKA, OMAC Exponent, Advanced Medical Group, Robson Forensics, Machaon, Northwest Medical Experts, PT & C/LWG Forensics & Physicians Direct Service



Saturday

- 6:00 a.m.:** **Race Judicata: 3 mile Fun Run**
Meet your chipper run guides Derek Bishop and Erin Seeberger in the hotel lobby for an early morning run, walk or crawl to make up for last night's festivities!
- 7:00 - 8:30 a.m.:** **Breakfast**
Sponsored by Keating Bucklin & McCormack
- 8:00 - 8:15 a.m.:** **Welcome and Announcements**
Convention Chair Jennifer Campbell, Schwabe Williamson & Wyatt
- 8:15-9:15 a.m.:** **Ep 5: Framing Your Evidence: Effective Advocacy During Motion Practice**
The Honorable Matthew W. Williams, King County District Court
- 9:15 - 10:15 a.m.:** **Ep 6: Testing Your Evidence: Strategies for Presenting Your Best Case at Mediation**
Michelle Corsi, Panel member at Washington Arbitration & Mediation Service (WAMS) & Lee Smart, P.S., Inc.
- 10:15 - 10:30 a.m.:** **Break**
Sponsored by Preg O'Donnell & Gillett, PLLC
- 10:30-11:30 a.m.:** **Ep 7: The Great Burden (of Proof): Delivering Persuasive Openings and Closings**
Lisa Marchese, Davis Wright Tremaine, LLP
- 11:30-12:30 a.m.:** **Ep 8: Reservation of Rights: Defense Counsel's Ethical Obligations**
The Honorable Bradley A. Maxa, Washington Court of Appeals, Division II
- 1:00 - 2:30 p.m.:** **Women's Networking Lunch (Grill and Vine, Westin Hotel) (Advanced Registration Required)**
Keynote Speaker Robin Haynes, McNeice Wheeler, PLLC
President-elect of Washington State Bar Association
Sponsored by Sedgwick LLP & Davis Wright Tremaine, LLP
- 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.:** **Cocktail Hour and Silent Auction**
Sponsored by Nicoll Black & Feig & Thorner, Kennedy & Gano, P.S.
- 7:00 - 10:00 p.m.:** **Dinner and Dance Party**
Sponsored by Carney Badley Spellman, P.S. & Lee Smart P.S., Inc.

Sunday

- 11:00 a.m.:** **Checkout**

Hotel & Location Information

The Westin Resort & Spa is the only all-suite luxury conference hotel and spa in Whistler featuring 419 suites.

Please make your own room reservations by calling **1-888-634-5577**. Ask for the Washington Defense Trial Lawyers room block. Reservations can be made online at <https://www.starwoodmeeting.com/events/start.action?id=1605100177&key=296CBB30>

ACCOMMODATIONS:

Studio Junior Suite - \$199.00 - 239.00 (CANADIAN DOLLARS)
One Bedroom Suite - \$259.00 - 299.00 (CANADIAN DOLLARS)
Two Bedroom Suite - \$459.00 - 499.00 (CANADIAN DOLLARS)

Rooms are limited and available on a first come, first served basis. Reservations must be made by **June 14, 2016** to guarantee these special rates. Reservations made after June 14, are subject to room and rate availability. All reservations require a credit card guarantee and a deposit of the first night's room and tax. This deposit is non-refundable if canceled within 7 days of the arrival date.

PARENTS: Whistler is an especially kid friendly location to encourage you to make it a fun-family weekend! If you need private babysitting for infants or toddlers or entertainment for your children at any other time during the convention, it can be arranged by calling 1-800-766-0449.

ATTIRE: Casual resort attire is appropriate for all events. The golf course dress code requires the following: Golf shirts must have both collars and sleeves and shorts must be of moderate length. Halter tops, tank tops and all jean-type clothes are not permitted. Non-metal spikes only.

FRIDAY GOLF TOURNAMENT: Golf fees at Whistler Golf Club are \$150.00 per person including a box lunch and cart. Players of all ability are encouraged to participate! No refunds for golf tournament registration can be made after June 14. Substitutions welcome.

FRIDAY BIKE RIDE: Looking for something to do besides golf? This will be a family-friendly, self-guided bike ride along Whistler's Valley Trail. Please meet in the lobby at 1:00 p.m. Bring your bike or rent one in Whistler (best to reserve in advance). This is an "at your own pace" activity.

WDTL REFUND POLICY: Registrants canceling prior to June 14 will receive a refund less a \$50.00 handling fee. No refunds for registration can be made after June 14. Substitutions welcome.

CLE CREDITS: WA 8.00 credits approved including 1.0 ethics credits; OR CLE 8.0 credits pending.

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