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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19, 2023

7:30 A.M. REGISTRATION TABLE OPENS / CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

8:15 A.M. WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

8:30 A.M. A REVIEW OF KEY WORKERS' COMPENSATION CASE LAW

Brent E. Dye, O'Bryan, Brown & Toner, PLLC Michael Thomas Kunjoo, Wilson & McQueen PLLC Hon. Peter Naake, ALJ, Ky. Dep't of Workers' Claims

9:20 A.M. A REFRESHER ON SUBROGATION IN WORKERS' COMP PRACTICE

Ashley E. Abaray, Cooper & Friedman
Michael T. Cooper, Cooper & Friedman
E. Shane Branham, Shelton, Branham & Halbert, PLLC
Hon. John B. Coleman, ALJ, Ky. Dep't of Workers' Claims

10:05 A.M. MORNING BREAK

10:20 A.M. HOW TO PREPARE FOR AND CONDUCT A DEPOSITION TO AID YOUR CLIENT'S CASE

Jeffrey A. Roberts, Roberts Law Office R. Christion Hutson, Whitlow, Roberts, Houston & Straub PLLC Hon. Grant Roark, ALJ, Ky. Dep't of Workers' Claims

11:05 A.M. WORKERS' COMPENSATION BOARD OPINION UPDATE

Hon. Michael W. Alvey, Workers' Compensation Board

11:50 A.M. LUNCH BREAK

12:40 P.M. ADMINISTRATIVE LAW UPDATE FROM THE KENTUCKY DEP'T OF WORKERS' CLAIMS Scott C. Wilhoit, Comm'r, Ky. Dep't of Workers' Claims

1:20 P.M. CLIENT COMMUNICATION TIPS & TRAPS
Stephanie N. Wolfinbarger,
Cotton Wolfinbarger & Associates, PLLC
Kelley D. Gray, Pohl Aubrey Gray, PSC

2:20 P.M. AFTERNOON BREAK

2:35 P.M. CATASTROPHIC CLAIMS

Ronald Pohl, Pohl & Aubrey, P.S.C.

Mark D. Knight, Mark D. Knight Law Office

3:20 P.M. MODERN TECHNOLOGY FOR THE WORKERS' COMP PRACTITIONER

Hon. Stephanie L. Kinney, ALJ, Ky. Dep't of Workers' Claims

Johanna Frantz Ellison, Fowler Bell PLLC

4:05 P.M. HOT TIPS IN LEGAL ETHICS FOR WORKERS' COMP LAWYERS

Hon. Jonathan Weatherby, ALJ, Ky. Dep't of Workers' Claims Hon. Thomas Polites, ALJ, Ky. Dep't of Workers' Claims Michael Fleet Johnson, Clark & Johnson Joseph V. McReynolds, Crocker Law Firm PLLC Bonnie Hoskins, Hoskins Law Offices, PLLC Brandy B. Hassman, Hassman & Fitzhugh, PLLC

5:05 P.M. RECESS INSTITUTE

5:30 P.M. KENTUCKY WORKERS' COMPENSATION HALL OF FAME RECEPTION & DINNER

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THURSDAY, APRIL 20, 2023

8:00 A.M. CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

8:30 A.M. ISSUES ARISING WITH AWARDS AND SETTLEMENT AGREEMENTS

Hon. Douglas W. Gott, Chief ALJ, Ky. Dep't of Workers' Claims Steven D. Goodrum, Goodrum & Downs, PLLC Bruce R. Bentley, Morgan, Collins, Yeast & Salyer

9:25 A.M. LEGAL ISSUES ARISING FROM HAND SURGERIES & WORKERS' COMPENSATION

Dr. Michael Nicoson, MD, Hand + Wrist of Louisville

10:25 A.M. MORNING BREAK

10:40 A.M. WHAT DO YOU MEAN WE HAVE TO PAY FOR THAT?: WORKERS' COMP BENEFITS "RELATED, BUT NOT WORK-RELATED"

Hon. Amanda M. Perkins, ALJ, Ky. Dep't of Workers' Claims **Craig W. Housman,** Housman, Garatt & Duncan PLLC

11:30 A.M. LEGAL ETHICS FOR THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION PRACTITIONER

Courtney Risk, Lawyers Mutual of Kentucky

12:30 P.M. 60 TIPS IN 60 MINUTES

Hon. Tonya M. Clemons, ALJ, Ky. Dep't of Workers' Claims Hon. Chris Davis, ALJ, Ky. Dep't of Workers' Claims Melissa Hofe, Justice Law Office

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1:30 P.M. ADJOURN INSTITUTE

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Upon cancellation, a full refund of tuition (less \$50 administrative charge) will be given up to 4:30 p.m. EST, April 13, 2023. Registrants who cancel may still request course materials. If requested, course materials will be mailed after the seminar and the cost will be deducted from any refund. **No refunds are available for cancellations after the deadline**; however, course materials will be mailed after the seminar in full consideration for tuition paid. **Registrations are transferable** and substitution of registrants may be made any time before the seminar begins.

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The seminar will be held at the Griffin Gate Marriott Resort & Spa, located at 1800 Newtown Pike in Lexington, Kentucky. The participant room block is for the nights of April 18 & 19, 2023. Rooms will be held until March 18, 2023, or until sold out, at the rate of \$159 per night. Reserve rooms directly with the hotel, by calling 859-231-5100 and identifying yourself as being with the group *UK College of Law Continuing Legal Education* or online at tinyurl.com/WComp2023. There is no additional fee to park at the hotel.

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