CPD Fall 2018

Social Media Litigation

Mon. Sept.17th 5:00pm

Cost:$120.00 / $150.00

CPD hrs: 2.3 / 0.5

Description

Social media has become intimately embroidered with litigation as a key evidentiary consideration. Learn about entering social media records into evidence and how to advise your own clients with respect to proper use. Is it ethical to conduct social media searches on your clients, opposing counsel, or witnesses? Have you considered the challenges of tendering evidence that may ultimately require testimony from a service provider? Should the identity of the account holder be made public in certain cases?

- Learn how to compel production from the opposing party
- Hear from judges about the reception of social media evidence
- Find out how to educate your client on their own social media exposure in court
- Discover how proper social media searches can assist you in your practice

Solo & Small Firms

Sat. Sept. 22nd 8:00am

Cost: $130.00 / $170.00

CPD hrs: 0.0 / 6.0 (including 1hr. of EDI)

Introducing the 21st-century lawyer—innovative, adaptable, and ready for the next challenge. When you are a solo or small firm lawyer, how do you stay relevant and competitive? You embrace change. From client service to marketing, file management to billing, it's essential that you be willing to transform your practice to meet the demands of today's market. Our presenters give you the practical tools and checklists to ensure that you do. Modern practices require 21st-century lawyers. Make certain you're one of them.

Six-Minute Commercial Leasing Lawyer

Mon. Sept. 24th 5 :00pm

Cost: $120.00 / $150.00

CPD hrs: 3.0 / 0.0

Comprehensive, focused, timely—if this is how you want to receive your commercial leasing highlights, then turn to our Six-Minute format. This is your opportunity to hear about tenant strategies to exit a lease early and about issues to consider when leasing to the first tenant in a new building. Our presenters are leading in-house and outside-leasing practitioners who bring their expert perspective on how the new *Construction Lien Act* may impact leases, the latest developments on effective lease drafting techniques, and much more. Don't miss it.?

·Learn details about development leases

·Get a primer for landlords on the world of pop-ups

·Understand landlord turnkey build outs

·Obtain an overview of extreme weather issues in the context of damage and destruction

Defamation at a Crossroads; Trends & Developments

Mon. Oct. 1st 5 :00pm

Cost: $120.00 / $150.00

CPD hrs:

The law of defamation evolves quickly. Are you up to speed? For example, are you aware the Court of Appeal of Ontario recently relaxed some of the pleading requirements? Or are you familiar with the new developments in notice requirements and how far their terms extend, particularly for non-media defendants, as well as what's new with limitation periods? You can count on our presenters to have their fingers on the pulse.

·Consider the *Law Reform Commission Project and Discussion Paper*

·Analyze potential outcomes of modernizing the *Libel and Slander Act* and how best to deal with internet-based claims and intermediaries

·Find out the key implications of Anti-SLAPP legislation

Annual Family Law Summit

Sat.Oct.13th & Sun. Oct.14th 8:00am

Cost: $260.00 / $320.00

CPD hrs: 9.0(S)/3.0(P) – BOTH DAYS

It can seem like a family law lawyer's work is never done. So many cases can present a myriad of issues that impact your clients. How can you stay on top of it all? Our presenters in this engaging, two-day program are lawyers, judges, and experts who offer insights on how to approach these issues competently and efficiently. As well as covering the year's hot topics, they provide comprehensive analysis on child and spousal support, custody and access, division of property, evidence, procedural issues, practice management and more, plus practical tips garnered from years of experience. It's not to be missed.

·?Hear about evidentiary issues in family law

·Understand what to consider when dealing with interim property

·Get a judicial perspective on spousal support issues

·Obtain the latest updates on costs

·Be aware of the mental health challenges in practising family law

Six Minute Employment Lawyer 2018

Mon. Oct. 15th 5:00pm

Cost: $120.00 / $150.00

CPD hrs:

Employment law is a fast-changing area. This past year, not only has the provincial government significantly overhauled workplace legislation, but the courts have issued a number of important rulings. When you know about the latest developments in the legislation and jurisprudence, the quality of advice you deliver to your employer and employee clients is much stronger. Our presenters are experienced counsel and adjudicators, and the Six-Minute format ensures you get up to date on a wide range of topics in a short period.

·Can you get damages in tort for harassment claims?

·Can the employer be liable for a worker's discrimination against a co-worker?

·When are *WSIA* benefits set off against wrongful dismissal awards?

·What contingency fee options are available?

·What do the latest cases say about notice awards?

·Can employees be found liable for negligence at work??

Twelve Minute Civil Litigator

Mon. Oct. 22nd 5:00pm

Cost: $120.00 / $150.00

CPD hrs: 2.5 / 0.5

You don't have time to read every journal that crosses your desk or e-mail that arrives in your inbox. Few people do. But you needn't be afraid you missed a development in litigation that's essential to your practice. Our presenters pick out the key issues from the past year and deliver them in "bite-sized" twelve-minute increments. There's a reason this program is popular—it keeps you in the know.

·Consider the SCC decision in *Deloitte & Touche v. Livent Inc. (Receiver of) (Livent)*

·Learn how to protect privileged information during border-crossings now that U.S. border guards can search your phone

21st Annual Estates & Trust Summit

Sat.Oct.27th & Sun. Oct.28th 8:00am

Cost: $260.00 / $320.00

CPD hrs: 10.0 / 3.0 (Day1 & 2 can be seen individually 5.0/1.5hrs.)

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P.G. Probate Essentials 2018

Mon. Oct. 29th 5 :00pm

Cost:$120.00/$150.00

CPD hrs: 2.5 / 0.5

Probate practice is often considered uncomplicated work. Not so. Challenging issues can arise for several reasons. For example, a faulty or dated estate plan or hastily drafted will could hinder or cause delays in obtaining Certificates of Appointment. Are you ready for all contingencies? Our presenters explore ways to anticipate and effectively mitigate complications. Additionally, you receive practical precedents to help you navigate your next probate file as efficiently as possible.?

·How can you protect an estate from identity theft?

·Should you probate an insolvent estate?

·How do you deal with non-traditional testamentary documents?

·What is the latest on joint assets and the presumption of resulting trusts?

·How do you handle the probate application when the will is lost?

·How do you resolve competing applications for probate?

Taxation Issues for General Practitioners 2018

Mon. Oct. 29th 5 :00pm

Cost: $120.00 / $150.00

CPD hr s: 2.5 / 0.5

Taxation shouldn't be an afterthought. You need to recognize when a tax issue could negatively or positively impact a deal. Our presenters can show you how. We've chosen the key topics and assembled the ideal group of tax lawyers to explain the issues in a clear, direct fashion. You learn about the new rules on "income splitting" and proposed rules for private corporations and passive income, as well as receive an overview of the most pertinent tax cases of the past year, plus much more.

·Learn about income splitting post-budget 2018

·Get an update on the taxation of private corporations and passive income

·Understand how to navigate the CRA's new rules for voluntary disclosures

·Benefit from an analysis of the most important tax cases of the last 12 months

·Obtain guidance about working with different business vehicles (partnerships, sole proprietorships, corporations)

P.G. Mortgage Enforcement Essentials

Mon. Nov.19th 5:00pm

Cost: $120.00 / $150.00

CPD hrs: 2.5 / 0.5

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Annotated Shareholders Agreement 2018

Mon. Nov.26th 5:00pm

Cost: $120.00 / $150.00

CPD hrs: 2.5 / 0.5

The right tools make the job easier. Make sure our updated annotated shareholder agreement is in your toolkit when you draft or review shareholder agreements. Our presenters are experienced business lawyers who explain and clarify different types of clauses and their impact on different parties, so you understand the provisions that are most important to majority shareholders, minority shareholders, employee shareholders, and private equity investors. As well, learn how to update a trusted precedent to keep your processes efficient and your practice productive.

- Get an overview of the key provisions for minority and majority shareholders
- Watch a shareholder agreement negotiation in action
- Learn how to protect private equity investors

·Benefit from an updated agreement to keep your processes efficient and your practice productive

·Identify drafting tips to benefit employee shareholders

Six- Minute Debtor-Creditor & Insolvency Lawyer 2018

Mon. Dec. 3rd 5:00pm

Cost: $$120.00 / $150.00

CPD hrs:3.0 / 0.0

Economic bubbles burst. When will today's economy follow suit? Interest rates are slowly edging upwards, and risk-averse lenders are changing their rules: two indicators that your number of debtor-creditor and insolvency clients may increase soon. And those clients will have questions. Is it safe to invest in a mortgage syndicate? Can a Consumer Proposal be annulled? You'll need answers, and our presenters can help.

·Help your clients understand whether a syndicated mortgage is a safe investment

·Find out about annulling, reviving, and completing a consumer proposal

·Get tips about enforcing debts in court

·Learn about the validity of lien claims in bankruptcy

·Raise your awareness of how to respond to and prevent internet fraud

Ethical Issues in Worker's Compensation

Mon. Dec. 10th 5 :00pm

Cost: $75.00

CPD hrs:0.0 / 2.0

As a real estate lawyer, you have to keep your own house in order. That includes accounting. In just 90 minutes, our presenters give you all the tools. Learn how to deal with the differences between a Teranet® trust account, a Teranet® general account, and a general account. Get caught up on the latest practice information about joint retainer consent forms and the Rules. You also get tips about the new Teranet® RSA Token and PSP Rules, plus much more.

·Understand the concept of the Teranet® RSA Token and PSP Rules

- Get analysis about the details required in bookkeeping entries
- Learn more about the two-lawyer Rule
- Hear about joint retainer consent forms and rules
- Obtain an overview about your Teranet® Trust Account, your Teranet® General Account, and your General Account

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