



60TH ANNIVERSARY

 **ADLA**
ALABAMA DEFENSE LAWYERS
ASSOCIATION

59TH ANNUAL
MEETING

JUNE 13-16, 2024
PERDIDO BEACH RESORT
ORANGE BEACH, ALABAMA



CONFERENCE LOCATION:

**PERDIDO BEACH RESORT
27200 PERDIDO BEACH BLVD.
ORANGE BEACH, AL 36561**

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Megan K. McCarthy, Program Chair

THURSDAY, JUNE 13

4:30 pm-6:30 pm **Registration Desk Open** | 1st Floor Ballroom Foyer

6:30 pm-8:00 pm **Welcome Beach Bonfire** | Beachside

FRIDAY, JUNE 14

ADLA & TDLA Joint CLE Session | 1st Floor Ballroom

7:30 am **Sign-In & Strolling Breakfast for CLE Registrants & Exhibitors** | 1st Floor Ballroom - Exhibit Hall

7:50-8:00 am **Welcome** ADLA President Jonathan Hooks of Weinberg Wheeler, Birmingham & TDLA President Michael Haynie of Manier & Herod, Nashville, TN

8:00-9:00 am **The Role of ALAP in Lawyer Wellness** Jeremy Rakes of the Alabama State Bar, Montgomery

9:00-10:00 am **Digital Advocacy: Transforming Trials and Depositions with Advanced Tech** Hal Mooty of Bradley, Huntsville *Sponsored by the Young Lawyers Section*

10:00-10:10 am **Introduction of Exhibitors and Sponsors** | Group 1

10:10-10:30 am **Break & Visit with Exhibitors**

10:30-11:30 am **Trends in Alabama Insurance Claims** David Sikes of Alabama Municipal Insurance Corporation (AMIC), Montgomery

11:30-12:30 pm **A Mistake or Willful Neglect? When a Lawyer Becomes Subject to Discipline Under Rule 1.3 of the Alabama Rules of Professional Conduct** Jacob Fuller of J. Fuller Law, Mobile

Friday afternoon free for family time

1:30-5:00 pm **ADLA & TDLA Annual Golf Tournament** | Lost Key Golf Club

5:15-5:45 pm **Women in the Law Reception** | 1st Floor Ballroom

5:45-7:15 pm **Let's Flamingle Reception & Kids Activities** | 1st Floor Ballroom

9:00-10:00 pm **Young Lawyers Section Cocktail Hour**

SATURDAY, JUNE 15

Alabama CLE Session 1st Floor Ballroom | Tennessee CLE Session 1st Floor Sand Dollar Room

7:30 am **Sign-In & Strolling Breakfast for CLE Registrants & Exhibitors** | 1st Floor Ballroom - Exhibit Hall

7:50-8:00 am **Welcome** ADLA President Jonathan Hooks of Weinberg Wheeler, Birmingham & Alabama State Bar Update-Hon. Terri B. Lovell (*Invited*)

8:00-9:00 am **Keynote Speaker: Defusing Nuclear Verdicts® to Deliver Justice for All** Charles Lawrence of Tyson & Mendes, San Diego, CA

9:00-9:20 am **Introduction of Exhibitors and Sponsors** | Group 2

9:20-10:00 am **Break & Visit with Exhibitors**

10:00-11:00 am **Recent Civil Decisions of the Alabama Supreme Court** Jansen Voss of Christian & Small, Birmingham

11:00-11:30 am **Introduction of Honored Guest Judges & State of Judiciary** The Honorable Tom Parker, Chief Justice, and panel members comprising the attending members of the Supreme Court and Court of Civil Appeals

11:30-12:00 pm **ADLA Annual Membership Meeting & Elections**

12:00-5:00 pm **Women in the Law & Young Lawyers Section Afternoon on the Beach** | Chairs & umbrellas provided

Saturday afternoon free for family time

3:15-5:15 pm **Sail Wild Hearts Catamaran Cruise Bourbon & Wine Tasting** | Dock is across the street from hotel, arrive by 2:45 pm sharp

6:30-8:30 pm **Summer Party Family Dinner** | Beach Deck

8:45-9:45 pm **Women in the Law Cocktail Hour**

**This course or a portion thereof has been approved by the Mandatory Continuing Legal Education Commission of Alabama for a maximum of 6.5 hours' credit, including 1 hour of ethics.*

SUNDAY, JUNE 16

Depart for Home

**Agenda subject to change*



ACTIVITY HIGHLIGHTS

FRIDAY

***ADLA & TDLA Annual Golf Tournament**
Lost Key Golf Club

Women in the Law Reception

Young Lawyers Cocktail Hour

SATURDAY

**Women in the Law and Young Lawyers
Section Exclusive Beach Day**

***Wild Hearts Catamaran Cruise**
Bourbon and Wine Tasting

Women in the Law Cocktail Hour



RESERVATIONS

Call 800-634-8001 and reference Group ID #18773 to make your reservation, discounted room block rate begins at \$299. The room block will close on May 13, 2024 unless the block sells out early. Visit the 2024 Annual Meeting event page for more specific room reservation instructions.

REGISTER NOW

<http://tinyurl.com/24AnnualMeeting>

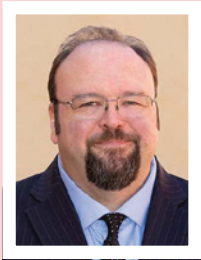


KEYNOTE SPEAKER

DEFUSING NUCLEAR VERDICTS® TO DELIVER JUSTICE FOR ALL

CHARLES LAWRENCE

Senior Counsel in Tyson & Mendes' San Diego and Nashville



Nuclear Verdicts® are exploding in venues across the country, with damages awards now reaching into the BILLIONS! Join this interactive and informative webinar with an experienced trial lawyer from the only firm with a playbook for the defense on how to beat plaintiffs' counsel at their own game and prevent Nuclear Verdicts®! Discover what is driving these outsized jury awards, and learn the proven defense methods to stop them. Attendees will be entertained, educated, and empowered to take back justice and win!

Mail registration form and payment to:

ADLA

P.O. Box 3240

Auburn, AL 36831

Questions? Call 334.395.4455 or email adla@adla.org

Cancellation policy: A refund of registration fees (less \$50.00) will be made if notice of cancellation is received on or before May 31st. No refunds will be allowed if notice of cancellation is received after May 31st, or for "no shows."



CLE HIGHLIGHTS

Alabama Insurance Claims Trends

Alabama State Bar Update

Civil Case Law Update

Digital Advocacy: Sponsored by the Young Lawyers Section

Keynote Address: Defusing Nuclear Verdicts Role of ALAP in

Lawyer Wellness

State of Judiciary

When a Lawyer Becomes Subject to Discipline Under Rule 1.3

JOIN YOUR ADLA FRIENDS AND COLLEAGUES

FOR NETWORKING, NIGHTLY RECEPTIONS,
VISIT WITH GUEST JUDGES,
PLAY GOLF & RELAX ON THE BEACH.

All functions are resort casual.





Tennessee Defense
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ADLA Bar Number: _____

TDLA Bar Number: _____

First-time Conference Attendee

Name: _____ Name for Badge: _____

Firm: _____ City: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Please list food allergies for food events: _____

No Refunds for cancellations after May 31, 2024	On or Before May 31	After May 31
ADLA Member Individual Attendee	<input type="checkbox"/> \$595	<input type="checkbox"/> \$695
ADLA Member Attendee & Spouse/Guest to Attend Social Events	<input type="checkbox"/> \$745	<input type="checkbox"/> \$845
ADLA Member Retired Attendee	<input type="checkbox"/> \$262.50	<input type="checkbox"/> \$362.50
ADLA Member Honorary Attendee	<input type="checkbox"/> FREE	<input type="checkbox"/> FREE
ADLA In-house Counsel Individual Attendee	<input type="checkbox"/> \$295	<input type="checkbox"/> \$395
ADLA In-house Counsel Attendee & Spouse/Guest to Attend Social Events	<input type="checkbox"/> \$445	<input type="checkbox"/> \$545
Number of Adult Guest(s) Over Age 18 Spouse/Adult Guest First & Last Name for Badge: _____ _____	_____ \$150 each	_____ \$150 each

Conference Social Functions	Please tell us the number of adults and kids that will be attending each social event so we can plan accordingly. Children's activities planned Friday and Saturday nights.	
Thursday Night Beach Bonfire	Number of Adults:	Number of Kids:
Friday Night Let's Flamingle Reception & Kids Games	Number of Adults:	Number of Kids:
Saturday Afternoon Women in the Law & Young Lawyers Section Exclusive Beach Day	Number of Adults:	Number of Kids:
Saturday Night Summer Dinner Party & Kids Games	Number of Adults:	Number of Kids:

Conference Ticketed Events		
Saturday Afternoon Catamaran Cruise Bourbon & Wine Tasting	\$30 per Person. Number of Adults:	Total \$ _____
Golf Tournament w/ Boxed Lunch Lost Key Golf Club	\$150 per Golfer Number of Golfers: Golfers' Name(s) & Handicap(s):	Total \$ _____