WSBA Litigation Section Executive Committee Meeting Minutes

Date: June 5, 2024

Meeting Time: 12:00 pm

Meeting Location: Zoom Conference

Attendance

	In Person	Telephone	Absent
Robert Wilke, Chair		\boxtimes	
Susan Nelson, Past Chair		\boxtimes	
Chair Elect – Tiffany Wilke		\boxtimes	
Bil Childress, Secretary/Treasurer		\boxtimes	
Matthew Audish, Young Lawyer Liaison		×	
Tom Ahearne, Board of Gov Liaison		\boxtimes	
Lesley O'Neil		\boxtimes	
Janelle Elysee		\boxtimes	
Mike Brandenberg		×	
Ric Jacobs			X
Cole Douglas		\boxtimes	
Ian Leifer		\boxtimes	

- Update from Judicial Officer Dinner Committee (Cole and Tiffany).
 - o June 14 at 7:30 p.m. at Canlis in Seattle
 - o Guests to arrive at 6:45 p.m.
 - o Discussion:
 - Program for the Evening
 - Seating Chart
- CR 35 changes to CR 35 exams
- 2025 Section Budget
 - Go over draft budget and make any suggested changes to member dues amount and/or expenses
- CLE Committee (lan, Bil, Rob)

- Discuss August Mini CLE
 - Ian, Bil and Rob met two weeks ago to identify topics:
 - Local State Court Rules, 20204 Western District changes to local rules, Eastern District Rules, Federal Court Chamber Rules
 - 1.5 2 hour CLE
 - o Divide up tasks
 - CLE form must be completed six weeks before CLE date
- Plan for full day CLE next August

• Newsletter Committee

- Would like to discuss forming a newsletter committee to provide monthly email updates to members regarding case law updates relevant to litigators
- Approve May Meeting Minutes

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