Thirteenth Annual Akron Law Winter Institute

Program Schedule
Wednesday, Feb. 6, 2019

6:00 – 9:00 p.m. UA/Akron Law Alumni Reception – Location: Watkins Lawn

Thursday, Feb. 7, 2019

7:00 – 7:25 a.m. Continental Breakfast – Location: Sunset Terrace

7:25 – 7:30 a.m. Welcome – Dr. John Green
Interim President, The University of Akron

7:30 – 8:30 a.m. U.S. Supreme Court: Constitutional Issues in the 2018 Term TAB 1
(1.0 hour)
Instructor: Christopher “C.J.” Peters, Dean
The University of Akron School of Law

8:30 – 9:30 a.m. Artificial Intelligence TAB 2
(1 hour)
Instructor: Emily Janoski-Haehlen, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs and Institutional Excellence, The University of Akron School of Law

9:30 – 9:45 a.m. Break

9:45 – 10:45 a.m. Income Tax – What's New Under the TCJA of 2017 TAB 3
(1 hour)
Instructor: Carolyn L. Dessin, Aileen McMurray Trusler Professor of Law
The University of Akron School of Law

10:45 - 11:15 a.m. Substance Abuse for Lawyers TAB 4
(.50 prof conduct)
Instructor: Thomas R. Pitts ('79), The Stocker Pitts Law Firm, Akron, Ohio

11:15 – 12:15 p.m. Avoiding the Bench Slap – Professionalism in Legal Writing TAB 5
(1 hour prof con)
Instructor – Charlie Oldfield ('99), Assistant Dean, Student Affairs
The University of Akron School of Law

12:15 - 1 p.m. Lunch – Boxed lunches by popular demand – limited seating will be available

1:00 - 2:00 p.m. The Role of Specialized Dockets in the Criminal Justice System TAB 6
(1.0 hour)
Instructor: The Honorable Joy Malek Oldfield ('00), Summit County Court of Common Pleas

2:00 – 2:15 p.m. Break

2:15 – 3:15 p.m. Cross Examination TAB 7
(1.0 hour)
Instructor: Dana K. Cole, Associate Professor of Law
The University of Akron School of Law

3:15 – 4:15 p.m. Social Media Ethics TAB 8
(1.0 hour prof con)
Instructor: Emily Janoski-Haehlen, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs and Institutional Excellence, The University of Akron School of Law

Thursday Evening
Dinner on your own in beautiful Naples. Enjoy your evening!
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Friday, Feb. 8, 2019

7:00 – 7:30 a.m.  Continental Breakfast – Location: Sunset Terrace

7:30 – 8:30 a.m.  Closing Arguments  TAB 9
(1.0 hour)  Instructor: Dana K. Cole, Associate Professor of Law
The University of Akron School of Law

8:30 – 9:30 a.m.  Courtroom Drama – Learning from the Faux Pas of Others  TAB 10
(1.0 hour)  Instructor: Charlie Oldfield ('99), Assistant Dean, Student Affairs
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9:30 – 9:45 a.m.  Break

9:45 – 10:45 a.m.  Labor and Employment Update  TAB 11
(1.0 hour)  Instructor: Jeffrey A. Savarise ('86), Partner, Fisher & Phillips LLP

10:45 – 11:45 a.m.  Recent Developments in Federal Civil Procedure  TAB 12
(1.0 hour)  Instructor: Christopher “C.J.” Peters, Dean
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11:45 a.m. – Noon  Break – CLE FORMS AVAILABLE – Registration Table

Noon – 1:00 p.m.  Probate and Elder Law Update  TAB 13
(1.0 hour)  Instructor: Carolyn L. Dessin, Aileen McMurray Trusler Professor of Law
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Thursday = 7.5 hours, including 2.5 hours professional conduct

Friday = 5.0 hours

 Entire Program = 12.5 hours, including 2.5 hours professional conduct