2019 FALL PLENARY AGENDA

DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel, 108 Chestnut St
MANDARIN BALLROOM (LLII)
Toronto, ON (416) 977-5000
Nov 13-15, 2019

NOVEMBER 2019 PLENARY HAS QUALIFIED FOR 3.5 HOURS OF PROFESSIONAL CONTENT

GENEROUSLY SPONSORED BY:
WEDNESDAY, NOV 13, 2019

6:30pm-7:00pm  PRE-PLENARY RECEPTION
Arts & Letters Club - 14 Elm St, Toronto

7:00pm-9:00pm  PRE-PLENARY WELCOME DINNER
SPEAKER: Justice Strathy
Chief Justice of Ontario and President of the Court of Appeal for Ontario
Arts & Letters Club - 14 Elm St, Toronto
* NB: Dinner is $125.00; Registration is required

9:30pm-Midnight  HOSPITALITY SUITE
San Francisco/Los Angeles Rooms, 26th Floor, Doubletree Hotel

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THURSDAY NOV 14, 2019 – MANDARIN BALLROOM (Lower Level II)

7:15am-8:00am  
**YOGA – Optional – Denver Room - 26th floor**

7:30am-9:00am  
**BREAKFAST & REGISTRATION**
Plenary WIFI: Network: HHonors  Password: FOLA

9:00am-9:20am  
**WELCOMING REMARKS, INTRODUCTION OF THE FOLA EXEC., & ROLL CALL OF PRESIDENTS**
Mike Winward, FOLA Chair

9:20am-9:25am  
**WELCOMING REMARKS FROM THE TORONTO LAW ASSOCIATION**
Margaret Waddell, Toronto Lawyers Association President

9:25am-9:50am  
**REPORT FROM FOLA EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**
Katie Robinette, FOLA Executive Director

9:50am-10:20am  
**LIRN PRESENTATION (IN CAMERA)**
Panel Members:
1. Jaye Hooper, FOLA Past Chair
2. Nathan Baker, FOLA PRC Committee Chair
3. Harold Van Winssen, FOLA Corporate Counsel

10:20am – 10:40am  
**FOLA COMMITTEE REPORTS  PART I**
1. Family Law – Sam Misheal
2. Legal Aid – Terry Brandon

10:40am-10:55am  
**BREAK – 15 MINS**

10:55am-11:15am  
**FOLA COMMITTEE REPORTS  PART II**
3. Real Estate – Merredith MacLennan & Eldon Horner
4. Auto Insurance – Bill Woodward

11:15pm-11:30am  
**FOLA STRATEGIC REVIEW REPORT**
Bill Woodward, 1st Vice Chair, FOLA

11:30am-11:40am  
**TREASURER’S REPORT**
Jane Robertson, FOLA Treasurer

11:40am-12:10pm  
**SPEAKER - INTO THE WEEDS: AN OVERVIEW OF CANNABIS AND THE LAW**
Ruth Chun, Lawyer
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12:10pm-12:25pm  Walk to Convocation Hall, Law Society

12:25pm-1:40pm  LUNCH:  CONVOCATION HALL – LAW SOCIETY OF ONTARIO
GUEST SPEAKER: Sasha Sud, Director, Smart Cities at MaRS

1:40pm-2:00pm  Return to Doubletree Hotel – Mandarin Ballroom LL2

2:00pm-2:30pm  MEDIA 101
Presenter: Bob Pickard, Signal Leadership Communication Inc.

.5 HOURS OF PROFESSIONAL CONTENT

2:30pm-3:30pm  BREAKOUT SESSIONS
LARGE ASSOCIATIONS - TOKYO ROOM-25th Fl
Increasing non-dues revenue (sponsorship, event fees, fundraisers, newsletter/website advertising)

MEDIUM SIZED ASSOCIATIONS - SEATTLE ROOM-26th Fl
Membership engagement with a focus on strategies for engaging young lawyers and leveraging the newly retired lawyers

SMALL ASSOCIATIONS - MANDARIN ROOM
Membership engagement with a focus on low cost ideas and tools to engage members of all ages and backgrounds

3:30pm-3:45pm  BREAK - 15 MINUTES

3:45pm-4:15pm  SPEAKER – ATTORNEY GENERAL OF ONTARIO
Hon. Doug Downey, MPP
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4:15pm-4:30pm  FOLA PARTNERSHIP PRESENTATIONS
Paul Byrne, CPD Online
Dawn Marchand - Lawyers Financial

4:30pm-5:00pm  SPEAKER - EFFECTIVE STRATEGIES FOR CLIENT/LAWYER COMMUNICATIONS
Lana Saleh, Lawyer, Facilitator, Coach, Consultant

.5 HOURS OF PROFESSIONAL CONTENT

5:00pm-6:30pm  FREE TIME

6:30pm-9:00pm  TREASURER’S RECEPTION AND DINNER – CONVOCATION HALL
Hosted by LSO Treasurer Malcolm Mercer

9:30pm– Midnight  HOSPITALITY SUITE
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FRIDAY NOV 15, 2019 - MANDARIN BALLROOM (Lower Level II)

7:00am-7:45am  
**YOGA – Optional – Denver Room - 26th floor**

8:00am-9:00am  
**REGIONAL BREAKFASTS**

8:45am-9:45am  
**2019 LEGAL TRENDS UPDATE**  
Rio Peterson, Affinity Program and Events Coordinator, Clio  
1 HOUR OF PROFESSIONAL CONTENT

9:45am-10:15am  
**BRIEFING and Q&A ON LAW SOCIETY ACTIVITIES**  
Diana Miles, CEO  
1 HOUR OF PROFESSIONAL CONTENT

10:15am-10:30am  
**BREAK – 15 MINS**

10:30am-11:00am  
**LSO: COACH & ADVISOR NETWORK**  
Kerry Boniface, Director of Practice Supports and Resources, LSO  
.5 HOURS OF PROFESSIONAL CONTENT

11:00am-11:10am  
**FOLA TRAVEL PRESENTATION**  
George Levesque, GoAhead Tours

11:10am-12:10pm  
**BRIEFING**  
LawPRO – Dan Pinnington, President & CEO, LawPRO  
1 HOUR OF PROFESSIONAL CONTENT

12:10am-12:15pm  
**CLOSING REMARKS**  
Mike Winward, FOLA Chair

12:15pm  
**ADJOURN & LUNCH**
THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING

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