

**Mass Tort MDL Certificate Program**  
**Virtual - November 7-8, 2022**

**Monday, November 7, 2022**

Time (EST)	Description
10:25 am – 10:30 am	<b>Welcome and Opening Remarks</b>
10:30 am – 11:30 am <i>Lecture format</i>	<b>Session 1: Brief history of MDLs; What goes into an MDL? (Types of cases/variety of cases); centralization</b>  Prof. Bob Klonoff, Lewis & Clark Law School
11:30 am – 11:35 am	5 Minute Break
11:35 am – 12:35 pm	<b>Session 2: The MDL Lineup - Organization and responsibilities of court officers including court-appointed; the role of the court in organizing attorneys; judicial trends in leadership appointments; and the ethical implications</b>  Hon. Karen Caldwell, U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Kentucky; Chair of JPML Paul Geller, Robbins Geller Rudman & Dowd LLP Enu Mainigi, Williams & Connolly LLP David R. Cohen, Special Master - David R. Cohen Co. LPA Moderator: Prof. Theodore Rave, University of Texas – Austin, School of Law
12:35 pm - 12:50 pm	15 Minute Break
12:50 pm – 1:50 pm	<b>Session 3: Case Management Order - Scope and function of the CMO; Innovations</b>  Hon. Robin Rosenberg, U.S. District Court, Southern District of Florida Diandra “Fu” Debrosse Zimmermann, DiCello Levitt John Beisner, Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP Moderator: Hon. Vaughn Walker, U.S. District Court, Northern District of California (ret.); ADR/Law Office - Vaughn R Walker
1:50 pm – 1:55 pm	5 Minute Break
1:55 pm – 2:55 pm	<b>Session 4: Case Management Breakouts – Guidance and strategies geared toward each group</b>  <u>Judges Only (new, current and former MDL judges discuss their experiences; Innovations):</u> Hon. George Hanks, U.S. District Court, Southern District of Texas Hon. Dan Polster, U.S. District Court, Northern District of Ohio Hon. Robin Rosenberg, U.S. District Court, Southern District of Florida Moderator: Hon. Vaughn Walker, U.S. District Court, Northern District of California (ret.); ADR/Law Office - Vaughn R Walker  <u>Plaintiffs Only:</u> Anne Andrews, Andrews & Thornton Lauren Barnes, Hagens Berman Adam Moskowitz, Moskowitz Law Sharon Robertson, Cohen Milstein Moderator: TBD  <u>Defendants Only:</u> Kelly Moore, Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP Tara Fumerton, Jones Day Michael Zogby, Barnes & Thornburg LLP Halli Cohn, Troutman Pepper Hamilton Sanders LLP Moderator: TBD
2:55 pm – 3:00 pm	5 Minute Break
3:00 pm – 4:00 pm	<b>Session 5: Discovery – Includes e-discovery, coordination on parallel actions; experts,</b>

	<p><b>data/science days; judicial perspectives on what they found helpful</b></p> <p>Hon. John Facciola, U.S. District Court, District of Columbia (ret.); Georgetown Law Jayne Conroy, Simmons Hanly Conroy Corey Lee, Jones Day Confirmed Moderator: Hon. Paul Grimm, U.S. District Court, District of Maryland; Bolch Judicial Institute</p>
4:00 pm – 4:30 pm	<b>Q&amp;A/Wrap up</b>

**Tuesday, November 8, 2022**

10:25 am – 10:30 am	<b>Welcome</b>
10:30 am – 11:30 am	<p><b>Session 6: Money and Ethics in MDL</b></p> <p>Hon. Robert Dow, U.S. District Court, Northern District of Illinois Travis Lenkner Paul Boehm, Williams &amp; Connolly LLP Moderator: Prof. Lynn Baker, University of Texas- Austin, School of Law</p>
11:30 am – 11:35 am	5 Minute Break
11:35 am – 12:35 pm	<p><b>Session 7: Mass Torts in the States, Part 1 – Coordination between different governmental entities (city/county); Tribes; AGs</b></p> <p>Kevin Anderson, NC Senior Deputy Attorney General Hon. Michael Hanzman, Eleventh Judicial Circuit of Florida Elizabeth Cabraser, Lieff Cabraser Heimann &amp; Bernstein, LLP TBD Moderator: Prof. Maggie Lemos, Duke Law School</p>
12:35 pm – 12:50 pm	15 Minute Break
12:50 pm – 1:50 pm	<p><b>Session 8: Mass Torts in the States, Part 2: State and federal MDL procedures; parallel actions; resolution among different governmental entities; potential conflicts</b></p> <p>Hon. Cynthia Rufe, U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania Joe Rice, Motley Rice Enu Mainigi, Williams &amp; Connolly LLP Moderator: TBD</p>
1:50 pm – 1:55 pm	5 Minute Break
1:55 pm – 4:00 pm	<p><b>Session 9: Settlement and Resolution</b></p> <p>Hon. Eldon Fallon, U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Louisiana TBD Chris Seeger, Seeger Weiss Elizabeth Cabraser, Lieff Cabraser Heimann &amp; Bernstein, LLP David Bernick, Kirkland &amp; Ellis Shelia Birnbaum, Dechert Moderator: David Ichel, X-Dispute LLC</p>
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