

The Florida Bar Business Law Section 17th Annual Retreat

August 31 - September 3, 2012
Ritz Carlton, Naples



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Don't miss the Roundtable with Business Court Judges on Saturday afternoon. This weekend offers eight hours of CLE on topics such as Getting to Know the Proposed Revised LLC Act, Assignments for the Benefit of Creditors, 10 Steps to Effective Legal Writing, and much more.

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Retreat Schedule

Friday, August 31, 2012

9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
LLC Act Drafting Task Force Meeting

2:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.
LLC Act CLE Program:
“Getting to Know the Proposed Revised Act”

3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Retreat Registration

4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Bankruptcy Judicial Liaison Committee

6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Welcome Reception

7:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Dinner and Dancing

9:00 p.m. – 12:00 a.m.
Game Room and Adult Hospitality Suite (The Vue)

Saturday, September 1, 2012

8:15 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.
Meeting of Executive Committee with Sponsors

8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.
**Meeting of Section Officers, Committee Chairs,
Vice Chairs and Sponsors**

8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Retreat Registration

8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.
Continental Breakfast

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
**E-Discovery Committee
Legislation Committee
Communications Committee
Diversity Committee Joint Meeting
CLE Committee
Pro Bono Committee
FICPA Liaison Committee
Membership Committee**

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon
**Antitrust, Franchise & Trade Regulation Committee
Bankruptcy/UCC Committee**
(1 Hour CLE Program scheduled: *Stern v. Marshall*)
**Business Litigation Committee and State/Federal
Judicial Liaison Committee
Intellectual Property Committee
Corporations, Securities & Financial
Services Committee**

12:00 noon – 12:50 p.m.
Luncheon (Registered Section Members Only)
*Opening Remarks by Gwynne Young,
2012-2013 President of The Florida Bar*
Speaker: TBD

1:00 p.m. – 1:55 p.m.
Business Court Judges Roundtable

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Computer and Technology Committee

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Opinion Standards Committee

6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Reception

7:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Family Dinner — Casino Night

9:00 p.m. – 12:00 a.m.
Game Room and Adult Hospitality Suite (The Vue)

Sunday, September 2, 2012

7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.
Family Breakfast / Omelet Station – All Welcome

9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Concurrent CLE Programs (4 hours available)

1:00 p.m.
Lunch On Your Own

Afternoon
Free Time

6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Reception

7:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Dinner on the Town: Naples Area Restaurants
Sign up at Retreat Registration Desk

10:00 p.m. – 12:00 a.m.
Game Room and Adult Hospitality Suite (The VUE)

Monday, September 3, 2012

8:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Continental Breakfast
(For Executive Council Members Only)

8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Executive Council Meeting – All invited

Please note: Schedule is subject to change.

Activities for the Weekend

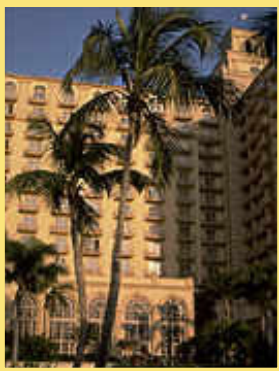
GOLF: Located just three miles away, the Tiburón Golf Course offers championship golf in a lush, coastal setting. Designed by Greg Norman, this golf course is not only a Certified Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary, but it's also home to the Merrill Lynch Shootout each December. Contact Michael Stewart to sign up at michael.stewart@wellsfargoadvisors.com

TENNIS: The Ritz-Carlton features four lighted Har-Tru courts, a full-service pro shop, drills, clinics and personal instruction from USPTA certified tennis professionals. Hours of operation are 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily. If interested in participating in organized Tennis, please contact Ken Hartmann at KRH@kttlaw.com.

SPA: Escape to a Naples spa where the gentle Gulf breezes dance among the cypress, mangrove and palm trees. The Ritz-Carlton Spa, Naples features rejuvenating and healing steam rooms, saunas, aqua lounges, while an outdoor mineral pool completes your Naples spa resort experience. Attendees receive a 20% discount on all spa treatments. *Reserve your spa time through the Ritz Carlton.*

KAYAKING: Enjoy a leisurely trip through one of the best shore and wading bird Estuaries in Florida. Contact Mary Ann Obos at mobos@flabar.org if interested.

Hotel Reservations



The Ritz-Carlton Beach Resort, Naples

**Reservation
Cut-off Date –
August 1, 2012**

For individual reservations, call 239/598-3300 or 1-800-241-3333 and reference the name of the event.

Current group rate: \$219.00 per night.

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**Reservation
Cut-off Date –
Aug. 1, 2012**

In order to ensure group rate and availability, register early!

The Florida Bar Business Law Section 2012 Retreat Registration

Ritz-Carlton Beach Resort, Naples

Friday, August 31 - Monday, September 3, 2012—Labor Day Weekend

**LAST DAY TO REGISTER:
AUG. 10, 2012**

If you are paying with a **CREDIT CARD**, please **email** this completed form to The Florida Bar at registrations@flabar.org.

If you are paying by **CHECK**, please **mail** this form along with your check to Mary Ann Obos, The Florida Bar, 651 East Jefferson Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-2300. There will be a \$25.00 administrative fee withheld from any refund request. There will be no refunds after 5:00 p.m., August 10, 2012.

Name _____ (to appear on name badge) _____

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City/State/Zip _____

Phone () _____ Email: _____

ATTORNEY REGISTRATION	QUANTITY	ATTENDANCE/ FEE (IF APPLICABLE)
• Regular Registration		\$495 — (Item 8030080)
• First Time Registration		\$375 — (Item 8030081)
SPONSOR REGISTRATION *		
• Complimentary Registration*		COMP — (Item 80300820)
• Additional Attendee		\$495 — (Item 8030083)
Name of Additional Attendee: _____		
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JUDICIAL/ PROFESSOR REGISTRATION		
• Complimentary Registration (Judges/Professors Only)		COMP — (Item 8030084)
SPOUSE/GUEST/CHILD REGISTRATION		
• Spouse/Guest – (includes children 12 or over)		\$275 — (Item 8030085)
Name(s) of Guest(s): _____		
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• Children Under 12		\$75 — (Item 8030086)
• Children Under 5 – FREE		COMP — (Item 8030087)
		TOTAL: \$ _____

* Complimentary registration only applies to the **SILVER** (1 complimentary registration), **GOLD** (2 complimentary registrations), **PLATINUM & SAPPHIRE** (3 complimentary registrations), and **Diamond** (4 complimentary registrations) sponsorship levels.

Ritz Kids:

The charge for the Ritz Kids Program is \$85/child and is for children 5 and up. This charge will be billed directly to your room. Please indicate nights you wish to reserve and provide names to reserve space.

Friday Sunday Name: _____ Age: _____

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PAYMENT INFORMATION:

Credit Card: MASTERCARD VISA DISCOVER AMEX

Signature: _____ Exp. Date: ____/____ (MO./YR.)

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I will send a check.