

The Mississippi Bar's
Litigation Section and Young Lawyers Division
present:



Thursday, November 2, 2017 - Friday, November 3, 2017
Mississippi Bar Center - 643 North State Street - Jackson

12 Hours CLE Credit, including 1 Ethics Hour

About the Seminar

Back by popular demand, the Deposition Academy will take place on November 2 - 3, 2017, at the Mississippi Bar Center (643 North State Street in Jackson). The two-day program will consist of one day of instruction and one day of mock depositions, during which program attendees will observe accomplished litigators conduct the deposition examination of an expert witness and a party. The Deposition Academy has been tailored to provide young lawyers practical and strategic skills and tools for conducting successful depositions of various parties and witnesses by learning from, and observing the deposition techniques of, seasoned trial attorneys. To ensure that each attendee is provided the optimal learning experience, program participation is limited to 35 attendees. Each attendee will receive 12.0 hours of CLE credit, including 1 hour of ethics, for completing the two-day Deposition Academy.

Registration Form

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\$350 Bar Member Registration

Full Name: _____ Bar #: _____

Preferred First Name for Badge: _____ City: _____

Email (required to register): _____

Check: Make check payable to **The Mississippi Bar** and return with this registration form to:
The Mississippi Bar, Attn: Rene' Garner, P.O. Box 2168, Jackson, MS 39225-2168

Credit Card: Card #: _____

Expiration Date: _____ Security Code: _____

Return registration form via email at rgarner@msbar.org or fax to (888) 497-8305.



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Agenda - Thursday, November 2, 2017

8:30 – 9:00 am	Check-in and Breakfast
9:00 – 10:00 am	Deposition Basics Meade W. Mitchell, Butler Snow
10:00 – 11:00 am	Party Depositions Lee Ann Thigpen, Carroll Warren & Parker Robert “Rocky” F. Wilkins, Morgan and Morgan, PLLC
11:00 – 11:15 am	Break
11:15 – 12:15 pm	Expert Witness Depositions – Medical James “Tripp” Russell Segars III, The Diaz Law Firm PLLC Keishunna R. Webster, Butler Snow
12:15 – 12:45 pm	Lunch, provided
12:45 – 1:45 pm	30(b)(6) Deposition S. Carter Dobbs III, Pollan Dobbs PLLC Clarence Webster III, Bradley Arant Boult Cummings
1:45 – 2:45 pm	Expert Witness Depositions – Liability Joe Sam Owen, Owen Galloway & Myers Stephen L. Thomas, Bradley Arant Boult Cummings
2:45 – 3:00 pm	Break
3:00 – 4:00 pm	Lay Witness Depositions Jennie A. Eichelberger, The Eichelberger Law Firm A. Kelly Sessoms, Dogan & Wilkinson



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Agenda - Friday, November 3, 2017

8:45 – 9:15 am	Check-in and Breakfast
9:15 – 11:00 am	Mock Deposition of an Expert S. Carter Dobbs III, Pollan Dobbs PLLC Stephen L. Thomas, Bradley Arant Boult Cummings
11:00 – 11:15 am	Q&A Regarding Mock 30(b)(6) Deposition
11:15 – 11:45 am	Lunch, provided
11:45 – 1:30 pm	Mock Deposition of the Party James “Tripp” Russell Segars III, The Diaz Law Firm PLLC Lee Ann Thigpen, Carroll Warren & Parker
1:30 – 1:45 pm	Q&A Regarding Mock Deposition of the Party
1:45 – 2:45 pm	Effectively Using Depositions through Discovery to Trial G. Austin Stewart, Adams and Reese
2:45 – 3:00 pm	Break
3:00 – 4:00 pm	Ethical Considerations in Taking Deposition Roy D. Campbell III, Bradley Arant Boult Cummings

Notes

Registration:

The registration fee is \$350 for MS Bar Members.

Written Materials:

Will be provided to all registrants electronically prior to the seminar

Cancellations:

Cancellations made prior to the seminar will receive a refund less a \$25 administrative fee. Cancellations on the day of the seminar and “no shows” will receive no refund.

Questions:

Contact Rene’ Garner at The Mississippi Bar at rgarner@msbar.org