



# FOOTHILLS BAR ASSOCIATION OF SAN DIEGO COUNTY

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March 2020

## UPCOMING FBA MCLE EVENTS

### ***Secure Act Consequences on Inherited IRAs***

Estate Planning Section

Date: **Wednesday, March 11, 2020**

Time: **12:00-1:15 p.m.**

Location: Law Offices of Miranda L. Franks

3322 Sweetwater Springs Blvd., Suite 203, Spring Valley, CA 91977

### ***Criminal Law MCLE by Bureau Chiefs***

Criminal Law Section

Date: **Thursday, March 19, 2020**

Time: **12:00-1:15 p.m.**

Location: El Cajon Courthouse, Dept. D21 – 3<sup>rd</sup> (From D10, go left and all the way around to the back of the hall. There are signs.)

Speakers: Deputy District Attorney, East County Bureau Chief and Jo Super, Deputy Public Defender, East County Bureau Chief

### ***DV/Criminal Protective Orders in General and the Crossover Relevant to This Area of Family Law-DV Restraining Orders and Criminal Practice***

Criminal and Family Law Sections

Date: **Tuesday, March 24, 2020**

Time: **12:00-1:15 p.m.**

Location: El Cajon Courthouse, Department 4

Speakers: Judge Epley and Judge Charlick

## OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS

### ***Bench Conduct and Demeanor Class***

Temporary Judgment Program – North County Superior Court

Date: **April 3, 2020**

Time: **9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

Location: North County Superior Court, 325 South Melrose Drive, Vista, CA

Please RSVP to [tempjudgeadmin@sdcourt.ca.gov](mailto:tempjudgeadmin@sdcourt.ca.gov)

### ***Bench Conduct and Demeanor Class***

Temporary Judgment Program – Central Division, Superior Court

Date: **May 1, 2020**

Time: **1:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.**

Location: San Diego Superior Court Hall of Justice, 330 West Broadway, San Diego, CA

Please RSVP to [tempjudgeadmin@sdcourt.ca.gov](mailto:tempjudgeadmin@sdcourt.ca.gov)

## UPCOMING COURT HOLIDAYS

Tuesday, March 31, 2020, in observance of César Chávez Day

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### ***Family Law, Criminal Law, and Civil Litigation Committees Seeking Volunteers to Help Plan MCLEs.***

The Family Law, Criminal Law, and Civil Litigation committees of the Foothills Bar Association have a need for members to volunteer a small amount of their time to help plan, coordinate, and host various MCLE seminars throughout 2020. If you are an attorney in good standing with the State Bar of California and would like to assist our bar association by helping to put on excellent and informative seminars for our various sections, then please call Will Hannosh at (619) 448-6500 or e-mail to [Whannosh@gmail.com](mailto:Whannosh@gmail.com).

### ***Have You Renewed Your Foothills Bar Association Membership Yet?***

If not, don't worry! We have a couple easy ways to do it. You can visit our website at [www.foothillsbar.org/membership](http://www.foothillsbar.org/membership) and renew online using a credit card. Or you can print out a membership application and mail it with your payment to the Foothills Bar Association at: P.O. Box 1077, El Cajon, CA 92022. Note: Your payment of \$35.00 now is pro-rated for the remainder of our fiscal year and secures your membership through June 30, 2020.

### ***New Bar-Passers and Attorneys Practicing Two Years or Less Receive Free Membership.***

Recent Bar-passers and attorneys practicing for two years or less are eligible for free membership with the Foothills Bar Association. The regular, annual membership fee of \$65.00 will be waived as long as a completed/signed application is mailed with a written request made by the attorney.

***San Diego Volunteer Lawyers Program (SDVLP) in Need of Family Law Attorneys Willing to Assist Clients with Restraining Order Petitions.*** The San Diego Volunteer Lawyer Program (SDVLP) is currently in need of family law attorneys willing to assist clients with filling out forms for domestic violence restraining orders. For more information on how you can give of your time to individuals in need of legal assistance, please call (619) 235-5656 or e-mail [info@sdvlp.org](mailto:info@sdvlp.org) .

### ***Criminal Defense Attorneys Needed for Death Penalty-Related Habeas Corpus Cases.***

The regional habeas corpus panel committee for the Fourth District Court of Appeal is seeking qualified lawyers to represent indigent persons who have been sentenced to death in their habeas corpus proceedings in the superior courts. For information regarding applying for an appointment, please use the following links: [Qualification Criteria for Appointment Application for Appointment in a Death Penalty-Related Habeas Corpus Proceeding](#). Attorneys with their principal place of business in the Fourth District should send their completed application and related materials to the Regional Habeas Corpus Panel Committee, whose e-mail address is: [4DHabeasCounselApps@jud.ca.gov](mailto:4DHabeasCounselApps@jud.ca.gov)

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## NOTICES

### ***San Diego Superior Court Restores North County Probate Services.***

As of March 2, 2020, North County residents will no longer be required to drive to downtown San Diego to file their probate matters. A dedicated probate counter will be open in the Court's business

office located at 325 South Melrose Drive, in Vista. The probate court services at North County Division will deal with decedents' estates, trusts, guardianships of minors and conservatorships of adults who cannot provide for their personal needs or manage their own finances. Probate court services were discontinued in 2012 as a result of historic budget cuts. State funding has since improved and the court has sought ways to restore services in order to provide more convenience for court users.

***Looking for Speakers for Future FBA Civil Litigation Section Meetings.***

If you have a litigation topic you would like to present at an upcoming Civil Litigation Section MCLE meeting, please contact Section Chair Steven Banks at: [sbanks@krigerlawfirm.com](mailto:sbanks@krigerlawfirm.com) or 619-589-8800.

***Foothills Bar Association Notice of Board Meeting.***

The Foothills Bar Association Board of Directors generally meets on the second Tuesday of each month. The next meeting will be on Tuesday, **April 14, 2020** at the Law & Mediation Firm of Klueck & Hoppes, APC, 7777 Alvarado Road, Suite 413, La Mesa, CA 91942, and beginning at **4:45 p.m.** If you want your voice to be heard in policy discussion and upcoming event planning, or would simply like to learn more about the organization, your attendance is welcome.

The Family Court needs Settlement Conference Judges. Please volunteer and share your expertise. Contact Kelly Fabros at 619-456-4065 or [Kelly.Fabros@sdcourt.ca.gov](mailto:Kelly.Fabros@sdcourt.ca.gov).

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Criminal Law	Co-Chairs: Andrea Schneider & Daniel Cohen
Estate Planning	Chair: Joanne P. Cohen

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