



NAALJ ANNUAL CONFERENCE AND MEETING 2009 ORLANDO CONFERENCE AGENDA*

November 3 – 7, 2009

Tuesday November 3

12:00 to 2:00 p.m. Early Registration

2:00 to 5:00 p.m. NAALJ Board of Governors Meeting

5:30 to 7:00 p.m. **NAALJ Welcoming Reception**

Wednesday November 4

8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon **Registration Table Open**

8:00 to 9:00 a.m. **Breakfast Buffet** 9:00 to 9:30 a.m. **Welcome Addresses**

9:30 to 10:20 a.m. Furloughs, Lay-Offs and Cutbacks: Providing Due Process

in a Recession

10:20 to 10:30 a.m. **Break (With refreshments)**

10:30 to 11:20 a.m. Act like a Judge Part I: Appearance of Impropriety in the

Judiciary

11:20a.m. to 12:10 p.m. Act like a Judge Part II: Model Code of Judicial Conduct

Issues

12:15 to 1:30 p.m. Lunch (Plaza Days Buffet)

1:30 to 2:20 p.m. **Maintaining Judicial Independence**

2:20 to 3:10 p.m. Access to Justice: Tips on Dealing with Pro se Litigants

3:10 to 3:30 p.m. **Break (with refreshments)**

3:30 to 4:20 p.m. Evidence Update Part I: Expert Testimony and Reliability 4:20 to 5:10 p.m. Evidence Update Part II: Handling Objections at Hearing

Thursday November 5

8:00 to 10:00 a.m. **Registration Table Open**

8:00 to 9:00 a.m. **Breakfast Buffet** 9:00 to 9:50 a.m. **Breakout Sessions**

A: Special Education: Update on Federal and State

Regulations.

B: Complex litigation: Keeping the Parties on Track

9:50 to 10:40 a.m. **Breakout Sessions**

A: Special Education: Case law Update

B: Electronic Filing and Document Control:

The Paperless Office

10:40 to 10:55 a.m. **Break (With refreshments)**

10:55 to 11:45 a.m. **Breakout Sessions**

A: National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA)

Topic: Handling the High Volume Caseload

B: Video Teleconferencing: Avoiding the High Cost of Travel

11:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. **Breakout Sessions**

A: NHTSA Topic: Best Practices/Hearing Tips

B: The Latest in Legal Research Tools

1:00 to 5:00 p.m. State Affiliate /Committee Meetings

1:00 to 5:00 p.m. **Optional Social Activities**

Friday November 6

8:00 to 9:00 a.m. **Breakfast Buffet**

9:00 to 9:50 a.m. **Announcements/Judicial Bias Part I:**

9:50 to 10:40 a.m. **Judicial Bias Part II:**

10:40 to 10:50 a.m. **Break (with refreshments)**

10:50 to 11:40 a.m. **Judicial Evaluation and Customer Surveys** 11:40 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. **NAALJ Foundation Fellowship Presentation**

12:30 to 1:30 p.m. **Lunch**

1:30 to 2:45 p.m. **Opinion Writing for ALJs**

2:45 to 3:30 p.m. **NAALJ Membership Meeting and Elections**

3:30 to 3:45 p.m. **Break (With refreshments)**

3:45 to 5:00 p.m. Hot Topics in Administrative Law (from around the country)

Evening Events

6:00 to 7:30 p.m. Silent Auction

6:30 to 7:30 p.m. **Pre-Banquet Reception**

7:30 to 9:30 p.m. **Annual Banquet and Awards Ceremony**

Saturday November 7

10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon NAALJ Board Meeting (Continental Breakfast)

^{*} Dates and times for topics may change due to changes in speakers' schedules. Updates to the Agenda will be posted on the NAALJ Website. Under the Florida Bar's system of 50-minutes = one hour of CLE credit; the conference will apply for at least 19 hours, including at least 4 hours of ethics credit.

REGISTRATION FORM 2009 NAALJ ANNUAL MEETING AND CONFERENCE

(Please type or print clearly. Register one person per form. This form may be photocopied.)

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Name of Organization:				
Mailing Address:				
City:		State:_		Zip:
Telephone:	Fax:		Email:	
		Registration	Fees	
		NAALJ / CCAT	Member	Non-member
Early registration (Postmarked by Octo	ober 8, 2009)	□ \$395*		□ \$465 *
Regular (Postmarked after O	ctober 8, 2009)	□ \$450 *		□ \$520*
*Non-members adding \$5	0 to their registrati	on fees can register a	at the members	hip rate and become NAALJ members!
Or Daily Rates (NAALJ	Members Only)			
Wednesday 11/4 (full-d	ay program) 🗌 \$	S120 Thursday	11/5 (half-day	program) 🗆 \$60
Friday 11/6 (program o	only) 🗆 \$120 F	riday 11/6 (progra	ım + receptioi	n & banquet) ☐ \$215
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Guest Meals: Tuesday Reception: Friday Reception: Friday Banquet:	# of Guest Tick	xets \$30		
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Registration Total \$ □ Includes \$50 NAALJ Membership for 2009-10				
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Return completed form	and payment to:	:		
NAALJ Annual Meetin c/o Division of Adminis 1230 Apalachee Parkw Tallahassee, FL 32399-	E	require specia availability of general descri	ck here if you have a disability that may all attention or services to ensure appropriate accommodations, attach a option of your needs. We will contact or coordination.	

CANCELLATION POLICY

FULL REFUND WILL BE GIVEN IF CANCELLATION IS <u>RECEIVED</u> BY OCTOBER 10, 2009. IF RECEIVED AFTER OCTOBER 10, BUT BEFORE OCTOBER 23, 2009, A 50% REFUND WILL BE GIVEN, WITH CONFERENCE MATERIALS ON CD PROVIDED. AFTER OCTOBER 23, 2009, NO REFUND WILL BE GIVEN, BUT SUBSTITUTION OF AN ATTENDEE IS PERMITTED.

Questions regarding registration and hotel issues should be directed to Loretta Sloan at (850) 488-9675, ext. 221 or Loretta_Sloan@doah.state.fl.us.

Conference Hotel Information

Rosen Plaza Hotel 9700 International Drive Orlando, FL 32819

Hotel Reservations: 1-800-627-8258

www.rosenplaza.com

Hotel accommodations should be made directly with the hotel. A block of rooms has been reserved for the conference.

The following references should be used to obtain the conference rate.

Group Name: National Association of Administrative Law Judiciary

Program Name: NAALJ Conference and Meeting

Conference Rate: \$129.00 (Single/Double occupancy)

\$ 20.00 (for additional person)

Additionally, the family plan will be applicable; no charge for children ages 17 and under utilizing existing bedding. The group rate will apply for early arrivals and late departures on a space availability basis.

All room rates noted above are net, non-commissionable and are quoted exclusive of appropriate state and local taxes, currently 12.5% plus an Orange County fee currently 1% for a total tax of 13.5%.

Reservations must be secured for one night's room and tax at the time of booking with either credit card, cash or check payment and they are due by 5:00 p.m. (EST) on **Tuesday, October 6, 2009**. Reservations after cut-off date will be accepted based on availability at the negotiated group rate.

Cancellations must be made at least five days prior to arrival. If cancellation is less than five days, a penalty charge will occur in the about of one night's room and tax.

Please note that there are three ROSEN Hotels, two of which are located on International Drive each adjacent to the Orange County Convention Center. The NAALJ Conference is being held at **ROSEN PLAZA HOTEL** located on International Drive across from Pointe Orlando.

Orlando Activities

Shingle Creek Golf Activity: \$100 each player

Cost includes: Green fees, box lunch, and gifts.

Remit payment with registration

Tee time: 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, November 5, 2009 Free shuttle from the Rosen Plaza Hotel to Shingle Creek

Award Winning Golf Course

Shingle Creek Golf Club. This challenging yet playable David Harman design lies along historic Shingle Creek: features interconnected waterways, undulating fairways and breathtaking 360° views.

Named by *Golfweek* as One of America's Top 40 New Courses, and One of Central Florida's Top 10 Toughest Courses by *Orlando Business Journal*, this spectacular challenge offers golfers five-diamond service standards and an 18-hole, par 72 (7,228 yards) championship golf course.



Outlet/Mall Shopping Activity: \$4

Cost includes 1-Day Unlimited Ride Pass on the I-Ride Trolley. Visit **www.iridetrolley.com** for your Ride Pass, routes, and other offers. Times of operation: 8:00 am to 10:30 pm

Orlando Premium Outlets

8200 Vineland Avenue

Prime Outlets

4951 International Drive

Festival Bay Mall

5250 International Drive

Pointe Orlando

Across from the Rosen Plaza Hotel (No transportation necessary)

Discount Attraction Tickets for conference attendees:

Visit www.orlandoticketsales.com/mp/ for a wide variety of tickets available for the many activities that Orlando has to offer.