



Paralegal Association of Florida, Inc. 2012 Spring Seminar

"Our Rights and Responsibilities as Individuals and as Citizens"

Hosted by the PAF Hillsborough Chapter



Tampa, FL | June 1 - 2, 2012
Renaissance Tampa International Plaza Hotel

Seminar approved by NALA for 9.5 hours of
CLE Credit including 1.5 hours Ethics



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Seminar Registration & Hotel Deadline May 9, 2012

Name: _____

CP ACP FCP FRP Student Other _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Mobile Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Registration Fee: \$150.00 Member \$180.00 Non-Member

Tailor Your Education to YOUR Needs with 2 track options

Track 1 - Personal Rights & Responsibilities

Track 2 - Governmental Rights & Responsibilities

Please select your track (one per day) **Friday:** Track 1 Track 2 **Saturday:** Track 1 Track 2

Tailor Your Seminar Experience with Optional Activities

Thursday, May 31 - "The International Flavor of Tampa" (Hospitality Event) No Charge

Friday, June 1 - "Own the Runway" (Reception at Neiman Marcus) \$40.00

Saturday, June 2 - CP/FRP Breakfast (*must be a CP or FRP*) \$30.00

Accommodations at Renaissance Hotel, International Plaza (a Marriott hotel)

Rooms must be guaranteed by credit card. Rates based on 2 adults per room, per night.

DO NOT CALL HOTEL DIRECTLY FOR RESERVATIONS. Reservations will be submitted for you by PAF Headquarters.

NO HOTEL accommodations required

Hotel accommodations **ARE** requested (at the Renaissance Tampa International Plaza Hotel)

Check-in date: _____ **Check-out date:** _____

Standard Rooms Requested: _____ (rate: \$119 + tax / room) **Type:** king bed 2 double beds

Payment Information

Method of Payment:

Check enclosed: \$ _____

Charge my credit card for: Registration (Amount: \$ _____) Hotel

Card type: Visa Master Card

Name on Card: _____

Card Number: _____ Exp. Date: ____ / ____ Security Code: _____

Authorized Signature: _____ Date: ____ / ____ / ____

No refunds after Wednesday, May 9, 2012. Cancellations made **prior** to May 9, 2012 will incur a \$10 cancellation fee.
PAF reserves the right to cancel this event for any unforeseeable circumstance. Speakers and schedule subject to change without notice.

Return form and payment to: PAF, Inc., 466 94th Ave North, St. Petersburg, FL 33702

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Who is PAF?

The Standard for the Paralegal Profession

The Paralegal Association of Florida, Inc. (PAF), is a professional association comprised of more than 1,000 paralegals and affiliated firms from across the State of Florida. The Association was incorporated in 1976 as Florida Legal Assistants, Inc. and in 2000, changed its name to more accurately reflect the substantive nature of the members' responsibilities in rendering legal services -- while under the supervision of an attorney -- and clearly distinguish their profession from other law office support personnel.

PAF is the largest and oldest statewide paralegal organization in Florida. An affiliate of the National Association of Legal Assistants, PAF is a recognized

leader in the legal community with a strong history which provides PAF with the foundation to continue to provide an effective and well-respected voice for its members.

PAF exercises leadership, provides a strong continuing voice and vision to enhance professional standards, promotes continuing education, and encourages a high order of ethical and professional attainment within the paralegal profession.

PAF's members are proud to distinguish themselves as paralegals and to cultivate the paralegal profession through professionalism, training and development.

Location

Renaissance Tampa International Plaza Hotel

(Adjacent to International Plaza)

4200 Jim Walter Blvd., Tampa, FL 33607
800-644-2685 www.marriott.com

Special Events at the Seminar

Thursday, May 31, 2012 | 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

The International Flavor of Tampa

Hospitality Event Hosted by the Hillsborough Chapter and Sponsored in-Part by DTI Pelagia Trattoria / La Fuente Courtyard, Renaissance Tampa International Plaza Hotel

Join your fellow attendees for a cozy meet and greet with light hors d'oeuvres. The Hillsborough Chapter would like to treat you to your first cocktail or other beverage as you sample international cuisine, soak up the balmy weather and enjoy live music. This is a great opportunity to network and mingle with other seminar attendees in a casual atmosphere.

Friday, June 1, 2012 | 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Own the Runway (\$40 per person)

Hosted by PAF, Inc.

Neiman Marcus, International Plaza

PAF invites you to join in a night dedicated to making you "own your runway" at this fashion-forward social. Enjoy hors d'oeuvres with martinis and wine while you experience the latest trends in clothing and accessories. Relax while gaining a few make-up tips and tricks from Neiman Marcus specialists. This event is a PAF exclusive you won't want to miss!

Saturday, June 2, 2012 | 7:30 AM - 8:30 AM

CP / FRP Breakfast (1.0 Hour/General) (\$30 per person) Must be a CP or FRP to attend.

Renaissance Tampa International Plaza Hotel

Legal research is an integral part to every legal team and proper execution and documentation is key to its success. Stetson University College of Law's Law Library Director and Professor of Law Rebecca S. Trammell, J.D. will present the finer points of legal research as it pertains to your success as a paralegal.

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THURSDAY, MAY 31, 2012

6:00 pm - 8:00 pm **The International Flavor of Tampa**

*Hospitality Event Hosted by the Hillsborough County Chapter and Sponsored In-Part by DTI
Pelagia Trattoria / La Fuente Courtyard, Renaissance Tampa International Plaza*

FRIDAY, June 1, 2012

7:15 am - 8:15 am

Visit with Exhibitors, Registration and Continental Breakfast

Foyers D-E

8:15 am - 8:30 am

Welcome Comments

Salons D-E

8:30 am - 9:30 am

Opening / General Session

Salons D-E

(1.0 Hr./General)

Topic: The Role of Government in Individuals' Lives and Individuals' Responsibilities as Citizens

Speaker: James O. Davis, III, Holland & Knight (former member of US Congress)

9:30 am - 9:45 am

Networking Break / Meet with Exhibitors

Foyers D-E

Track 1

Personal Rights & Responsibilities

Rights & Responsibilities in Family Matters

Room: *Salons G-H*

Speaker: Mark Sandag

Pilka & Assoc., P.A.

Track 2

Governmental Rights & Responsibilities

Surviving an IRS Audit

Room: *Marbella/Livorno*

Speaker: Mitch Horowitz

Fowler White Boggs P.A.

9:45 am - 10:45 am
(1.0 hr./General)

10:45 am - 11:00 am

Networking Break / Meet with Exhibitors

Track 1

Winning Your Appeal

Room: *Salons G-H*

Speaker: Hala A. Sandridge

Fowler White Boggs P.A.

Track 2

Medicare/Medicaid Appeals

Room: *Marbella/Livorno*

Speaker: Laurie Ohall

Laurie Ohall Law Offices

11:00 am - 12:00 pm
(1.0 hr./General)

12:00 pm - 2:00 pm
(1.0 Hr./General)

General Session, Lunch and Exhibitors' Presentation

Topic: First Amendment Rights and Responsibilities

Speaker: John Dingfelder, ACLU

Salons D-E

2:00 pm - 2:15 pm

Networking Break / Meet with Exhibitors

Foyers D-E

Track 1

Rights & Responsibilities of Plaintiffs
in Personal Injury Cases

Room: *Salons G-H*

Speaker: Jack Gordon

Maney & Gordon, P.A.

Track 2

Fourth Amendment Issues

Such As The Patriot Act

Room: *Marbella/Livorno*

Speaker: Robert E. O'Neill

US Attorney for the Middle District of FL

2:15 pm - 3:15 pm
(1.0 hr./General)

3:15 pm - 3:30 pm

Networking Break / Meet with Exhibitors

3:30 pm - 4:30 pm
(1.0 Hr./General)

General Session

Topic: The Rights & Responsibilities of Citizens and the Courts

Speaker: Judge Gregory P. Holder, 13th Judicial Circuit in and for Hillsborough County

Salons D-E

5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

OWN THE RUNWAY (Optional Activity)

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SATURDAY, June 2, 2012

7:30 am - 8:30 am (1.0 Hr/General)	CP / FRP Breakfast (<i>Must be a CP or FRP to attend</i>) Topic: Legal Research Speaker: Rebecca S. Trammell, Stetson University College of Law	Salons D-E
9:30 am - 9:45 am	Networking Break	Foyers D-E
8:45 am - 9:45 am (1.0 hr./General)	Track 1 Personal Rights & Responsibilities Rights of Insureds Room: Salons G-H Speaker: George Vaka Vaka Law Group	
	Track 2 Governmental Rights & Responsibilities ERISA and Health Care Reform Room: Marbella/Livorno Speaker: Kirsten Vignec Hill Ward Henderson	
9:45 am - 10:00 am	Networking Break	
10:00 am - 11:30 am (1.5 Hrs/Ethics)	General Session - A Panel Discussion Topic: Ethics and Professionalism for Paralegals Speakers: Frank A. Rodriguez, W. Donald Cox, Edward M. Walter Corporate Creations International Inc. and Fowler White Boggs P.A.	Salons D-E
11:30 am - 11:45 am	Closing Remarks	Salons D-E
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	PAF Annual Meeting	Salons D-E

SUNDAY, June 3, 2012

9:00 am - 4:00 pm	PAF Board of Directors Meeting	Marbella/Livorno Rooms
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What To Do In Tampa Bay

Tampa Bay is a true hot spot among the world's destinations for any visitor. There's lots of water, sand and sunshine, of course, but this is also a vibrant area that's alive with the arts, sports, parties, parades, and filled with only-in-Tampa places to go, things to do and sights to see. Whatever your pleasure, you'll find it in Tampa Bay.

The choices of restaurants, places to unwind or find fun are limitless, and can comfortably accommodate all tastes. Tampa is the place to careen wildly in a state-of-the-art roller coaster at Busch Gardens, serenely sail along quiet coastal waters, take in a fine art exhibition, or pop open a bottle of aged wine. Watch as fine cigars are hand-rolled in Ybor City.

If rest and relaxation are of interest, pause at one of the many spas found throughout the area. And then set your sights on admiring the area's signature colorful sunsets on one of the area's white sandy beaches



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