



**AILA PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER'S
2012 CLE CONFERENCE**

IN MEMORY OF MATTHEW BAXTER, ESQ.

Friday, March 16, 2012, 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM
The Union League of Philadelphia
140 South Broad St.
Philadelphia, PA 19102

7:30 am to 8:00 am Registration, Breakfast and Opening Remarks

8 am to 9 am Grounds of Inadmissibility and Prosecutorial Discretion Update: A Review of Recent Decisions and Local Practices

- Joseph Hohenstein, Esq., *Orlow, Kaplan & Hohenstein, Philadelphia, PA*
- Wayne Sachs, Esq., *Law Offices of Wayne Sachs, Philadelphia, PA*
- Ricky Palladino, Esq. (DL), *Bagia and Associates, P.C., Philadelphia, PA*
- Ira Mazer, Esq. and/or Charles Ireland, Esq., *Trial Attorney, Immigration & Customs Enforcement, Chief Counsel's Office, Philadelphia, PA*

9 am to 10 am I-601 Waivers and Trends in Adjudications before USCIS Overseas Offices, USCIS District Offices, EOIR and the AAO, and Update on Stateside Processing

- Evan J. Green, Barrister and Solicitor, *Green and Spiegel, Toronto, Canada*
- Wendy Castor Hess, Esq. (DL), *Goldblum and Hess, Jenkintown, PA*
- Theodore Murphy, Esq., *The Murphy Law Firm, West Chester, PA*
- William Stock, Esq., *Klasko, Rulon, Stock & Seltzer, LLP, Philadelphia, PA*

10am to 11am PERM Dos and Don'ts: A Review of Recent BALCA Decisions

- Matthew Hirsh, Esq. (DL), *The Law Office of Matthew I. Hirsch, Philadelphia, PA*
- Jane Goldblum, Esq., *Goldblum and Hess, Jenkintown, PA*
- Eleanor Pelta, Esq., *AILA National President, Morgan Lewis, Washington, DC*

11am to 12pm Networking Brunch

- Chapter President's Address, Nicole Simon, Esq., *Baumann, Landau & Simon, Philadelphia, PA*
- Matthew Baxter Mentorship Award Presentation

The Chapter is pleased to present the **Matthew Baxter Mentorship Award**, which will be given to a member of the Philadelphia Chapter who has displayed the highest degree of mentorship over the past year. Matthew was an exceptional advocate for educating new lawyers, as well as sharing practice pointers with his fellow seasoned attorneys. This year's CLE strives to capture Matthew and the Philadelphia Chapter's strong desire and ability to mentor its members.



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12pm to 1pm

Dealing with Difficult RFEs in Employment-based Cases

- H. Ronald Klasko, Esq., *Klasko, Rulon, Stock & Seltzer, LLP, Philadelphia, PA*
- Lisa T. Felix, Esq. (DL), *Blank Rome, LLP, Philadelphia, PA*
- Peter Baumann, Esq., *Baumann, Landau & Simon, Philadelphia, PA*

1pm to 2pm

Administrative Agency Investigations – FDNS and DOL Wage and Hour

- David Spaulding, Esq., *Fraud Detection & National Security Unit, U.S. Citizenship & Immigration Services, Philadelphia, PA*
- Jennifer McGraw, Esq., *Regional Immigration Coordinator, Northeast Regional Office-Philadelphia, U.S. Department of Labor, Wage and Hour Division*
- Robert Cormier,* *Office of the Inspector General, U.S. Department of Labor*
- Elise Fialkowski, Esq. (DL), *Klasko, Rulon, Stock & Seltzer, LLP, Philadelphia, PA*
*Invited, not confirmed

2pm to 3pm

Best Practices before the Philadelphia Immigration Court: Submission of Evidence, Motions Practice, and Courtroom Procedure

- The Honorable Steven A. Morley, *Executive Office for Immigration Review, Philadelphia, PA*
- The Honorable Charles M. Honeyman, *Executive Office for Immigration Review, Philadelphia, PA*
- The Honorable Rosalind K. Malloy,* *Executive Office for Immigration Review, Philadelphia, PA*
- The Honorable Miriam Mills,* *Executive Office for Immigration Review, Philadelphia, PA*
- Ms. Alterra Alicea,* *Court Administrator, Executive Office for Immigration Review, Philadelphia, PA*
*Invited, not confirmed

3pm to 4pm

The Ethics of Fees: Referral Fees, Fee Splitting between Employer and Employee and IOLTA Refresher

- Ramona Mariani, Esq., *Disciplinary Counsel, Disciplinary Board of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, District II Office*
- Reid Trautz, Esq., *Director, Practice and Professionalism Center, AILA, Washington, DC*
- William John Vandenberg, Esq. (DL), *Hogan & Vandenberg, LLC, Philadelphia, PA*

**Additional conference information follows on next page.



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Registration Fee Includes:

- All day CLE attendance
- Print CLE materials
- USB Disk with electronic CLE materials
- Food and beverages (sample menu below)

Dress Code:

The Union League strictly enforces a business casual dress code, which includes a collared shirt and pressed slacks for men and comparable attire for women. Jackets are preferred. Jeans, denim wear, tee shirts, athletic wear, tank, halter, or jogging tops, shorts, baseball caps, sneakers, and extremely casual or beach footwear are not permitted within the Union League. It is the responsibility of each Chapter member to abide by the dress code. Registration to the CLE serves as evidence the member understands the dress code. Refunds will not be issued on or after the CLE if a member is not permitted to enter the Union League because of the dress code.

Sample Menu:

Breakfast

Assorted Chilled Juices, Sliced Seasonal Fruit, Whole Bananas, Assorted Miniature Muffins, Bagels, English Muffins, Yogurt and Granola Butter, Preserves, and Philadelphia Cream Cheese

Lunch

- Homemade Soup of the Day
- Union League House Salad
- Farfalle Pasta, Roasted Seasonal Vegetables, Tomato Vinaigrette
- Yukon Potato, Red Onion and Celery Salad
- Deli-Style Meats and Cheeses to Include Baked Virginia Ham, Roast Beef, Turkey Breast
- Tuna Salad
- Swiss and American Cheeses, Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, Pickles
- Mayonnaise, Creamy Horseradish, Mustard
- Daily Fresh Bakery Selection of Assorted Rolls and Breads
- Pastry Chef's Selections and Sliced Seasonal Fresh Fruit

Snack

- Fruit Yogurt
- Oatmeal Raisin & Chocolate Chip Cookies

Parking:

Midtown Parking Garage
1415 Sansom Street
See also accompanying map for local lots

Parking Rates at Midtown Garage

Up to	60 minutes	\$13.00
Up to	90 minutes	\$21.00
Up to	12 hours	\$26.00

