



Friday, October 24, 2014  
8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Renaissance Woodbridge  
(at the Metropark)  
515 US Route 1 South  
Iselin, New Jersey 08830

CLE credits are pending from  
National Association of Legal Assistants (NALA)  
and  
National Federation of Paralegal Associations (NFPA)

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

8:00 AM	Check in and Walk-In Registration Continental Breakfast ***VENDOR FAIR***
8:45 AM - 9:00 AM	Opening Remarks
9:00 AM - 10:15 AM	<b>Session I Seminars</b>
10:15 AM - 10:45 AM	Break for Family Law & Miscellaneous A Tracks ***VENDOR FAIR***
10:30 AM - 11:45 AM	<b>Session II Seminars begin for Litigation &amp; Miscellaneous B Tracks</b>
10:45 AM - 12:00 PM	<b>Session II Seminars begin for Family &amp; Miscellaneous A Tracks</b>
11:45 AM - 12:15 PM	Break for Litigation & Miscellaneous B Tracks ***VENDOR FAIR***
12:15 PM - 1:30 PM	<b>Session III Seminars</b>
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM	Lunch *** VENDOR FAIR *** Prize Drawings**
2:45PM - 4:00 PM	<b>Session IV Seminar</b>

\*Lunch menu:

*Baby Lettuce with Grape Tomatoes, Kalamata Olives & Red Onion*

*Choice of:*

*Tilapia with tomato caper sauce*

*or*

*Herb Marinated Chicken Breast*

*Chef's selection of seasonal vegetable and starch*

*Rolls & butter*

*Dessert*

*Coffee/Tea/Decaffeinated Coffee/Iced Tea*

*Vegetarian option of pasta (not vegan) or other dietary restrictions accommodated upon request.*

*Please contact the convention committee for further information.*

*If you do not choose an entree when you register, chicken will automatically be selected for you.*

**\*\* Remember – You must be present to win!!**

## DESCRIPTION OF EVENTS

### **Family Law Track:**

**IMMIGRATION IN FAMILY LAW**, Deb Guston, Esquire and Alla Londres, Esquire  
The rights of non-citizens as it relates to family law, divorce, custody, etc.

**I'M NOT CRAZY, I'M JUST GETTING DIVORCED!** Stephanie Hagen, Esquire  
Going through a divorce is an emotional roller coaster, just ask anyone who has lived through it! This seminar will help understand the emotional issues and how to work with the emotional, family law client.

**ADOPTION**, Jean M. Cavaliere, Esquire  
A step by step discussion on the process of adoption.

### **Litigation Track:**

**PLAINTIFF v. DEFENDANT- Sessions I and II**  
Joshua H. Raymond, Esquire, appearing for the plaintiff  
Lori Patrick, Esquire, appearing for the defense  
One fact pattern, two adverse positions. The litigation case from both sides of the coin.

**THE PARALEGAL'S GUIDE TO FEDERAL PRACTICE**, Robert Vort, Esquire  
A primer on the roles of the paralegal in the Federal Courts.

### **Miscellaneous A Track:**

**WORKER'S COMPENSATION**, David Lande, Esquire  
Second Injury Fund, Section 20, what does it mean? Worker's Compensation for both the paralegal and employee.

**I HAVE A JUDGMENT, HOW DO I COLLECT?**, Gerald Felt, Esquire  
After you've gone through the process to obtain a judgment, how does your client get payment?

**CURRENT TRENDS IN LESBIAN/GAY/BISEXUAL/TRANSGENDER RIGHTS**, Robyn B. Gigl, Esquire  
The law is ever changing. Learn the latest in rights for the LGBT community.

### **Miscellaneous B Track:**

**ANIMAL RIGHTS LAW**, Linda J. Niedweske, Esquire  
From the tenant forced to give up their pet or move, to the animal about to be euthanized, the rights surrounding people and their pets is diverse and complex.

**BANKRUPTCY FOR THE NON-BANKRUPTCY PARALEGAL**, Mathew Laskowski, Senior Paralegal, Porzio Bromberg & Newman  
Everything you've always wanted to know about bankruptcy even though you do not work in this area of law.

**WHERE DO I FIND THAT?** Kathy Taggart, Senior Research Services Librarian, Lowenstein Sandler LLP  
There are more places to find your answers than through your firm's subscription to WestLaw or Lexis. Find out where in this seminar!

### **Session IV - All Attendees:**

**ETHICS & SOCIAL MEDIA or Can I talk about my job on Facebook?**, Joseph Zavaglia, Esquire and Michael Sullivan, Esquire  
We all know there is a fine line dividing what is ethical, with social media becoming more the rule than the exception. How can a paralegal stay on the right side of it all?



REGISTRATION FORM

Pre-Registration through October 20, 2014  
 October 24, 2014  
 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM  
 Renaissance Woodbridge  
 515 US Route 1 South  
 Iselin, New Jersey

Pre-Registration fee:  
 Paralegals/Students: \$75.00  
 Attorneys/Others: \$85.00  
 At door \$10 additional fee

**DISCOUNT FOR GROUPS OF 6 OR MORE - MUST ALL REGISTER & PAY SIMULTANEOUSLY!**  
 Contact Jennifer Smith for further information

Please supply information for each registrant (attach duplicate forms for multiple registrants)  
 All of the following information is required. Please print clearly or type.

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FIRM / EMPLOYER / SCHOOL NAME \_\_\_\_\_

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MEAL CHOICE: \_\_\_\_\_ CHICKEN \_\_\_\_\_ FISH \_\_\_\_\_

Place an "X" on the line to the left of the program for each session that you would like to attend.  
 Paypal Registration: Please insert topic # for each session you would like to attend.  
 PLEASE SELECT ONLY ONE SEMINAR FROM EACH SESSION!!!

SESSION I	SESSION II	SESSION III	SESSION IV
____ Immigration in Family Law	____ I'm Not Crazy, I'm Getting Divorced	____ Adoption	Ethics & Social Media
____ Plaintiff v. Defendant #1	____ Plaintiff v. Defendant #2	____ Federal Practice	(All attendee seminar)
____ Worker's Compensation	____ Post Judgment Collections	____ Current Trends in LGBT	
____ Animal Rights Law	____ Bankruptcy for NonBankruptcy Paralegals	____ Where Do I Find That?	

Need more information?

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 Jennifer Smith  
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There will be a \$25.00 return check fee plus administrative charge for each returned check.  
 Refunds less \$25 administration fee will be granted until October 10, 2014. No refunds after October 10, 2014

Please call the Renaissance Woodbridge for hotel accommodations. 973-634-3600  
 Mention your attendance at the NJ Paralegal Convention for special room rates.  
 Reservations must be made by September 24, 2014 to insure availability

DIRECTIONS

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From NJ Turnpike North/South: Take Exit 11 off NJ Turnpike to Garden State Parkway North to Exit 131A (Wood Ave) At fourth traffic light make a right (Middlesex-Essex Tpk) At the third traffic light, make a right on Gill Lane. Hotel is 1 1/2 miles on the right

Fromt Garden State Parkway Traveling South: Take Exit 130 to Route 1 North. Continue 1/2 mile, the hotel is on the left. Go straight thru the traffic light & take the Gill Lane jug handle in the right lane. Take a left at the intersection of Gill Lane and Route 1 & turn into hotel's main entrance.

From Garden State Parkway Traveling North: Take Exit 131A (Wood Ave) At the fourth traffic light make a right (Middlesex-Essex Tpk) At the third traffic light, make a right on Gill Lane.

Hotel is located 1 1/2 miles on the right.

(Additional directions at [www.njparalegal.com](http://www.njparalegal.com))

The hotel also offers a complimentary shuttle from the Metropark to the hotel.

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*NEED MORE INFO ON THE CONVENTION?*

**CALL DAYS, EVENINGS & WEEKENDS**

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