

NDA Conference Agenda

| Sunday, October 16, 2022 | | | |
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| | Session Name and Description | Presenters/Moderators | Location |
| 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm | Registration | | Roman Foyer East |
| 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm | Pre-Conference Workshop | Aderant | Verona |
| 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm | Professional Headshots Opportunity | Photography G | Roman Foyer East |
| 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm | Welcome Reception sponsored by Aderant | | Apollo Pool |

| Monday, October 17, 2022 | | | |
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| 7:00 am – 8:00 am | Registration | | Roman Foyer East |
| 8:00 am – 9:00 am | Breakfast | | Roman Ballroom II & IV |
| 8:00 am -- 9:00 am | Professional Headshots Opportunity | Photography G | Florentine Foyer |
| 9:00 am – 9:30 am | Welcome Remarks and NDA Business Meeting | Igor Olenich, NDA President | Roman Ballroom I & III |
| 9:30 am – 10:45 am | Keynote Address | Randy J. Curato | Roman Ballroom I & III |
| 10:45 am – 11:00 am | Morning Break | | Roman Ballroom II & IV |
| 11:00 am – 12:00 pm | Owning the Zoom Room (virtual presentation) | Karin Reed | Roman Ballroom I & III |
| 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm | Lunch | | Roman Ballroom II & IV |
| 1:00 pm – 2:15 pm | Going from the "New Normal" to the "Next Normal" | Joy Baldrige | Roman Ballroom I & III |
| 2:15 pm – 2:30 pm | Afternoon Break | | Roman Ballroom II & IV |
| 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm | Lit Round Robin: Building Your Brand (Both Within and Outside Your Firm) Audit Trail and QC Practices | No speaker - member discussion | Verona/Turin/Trevi |
| 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm | IP Round Robin: Filing Patent Documents in Docx 2022 Best Practices in Hiring in the New World Order | No speaker - member discussion | Verona/Turin/Trevi |
| 4:00 pm – 4:30 pm | Connect with our Sponsors! | Interact with the Sponsors | Roman Ballroom II & IV |
| 5:00 pm – 6:30 pm | Cocktail Party courtesy of the NDA | | Verona/Turin/Trevi |

Tuesday, October 18, 2022

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| 8:00 am – 9:00 am | Breakfast | | Roman Ballroom II & IV |
| 8:00 am -- 9:00 am | Professional Headshots Opportunity | Photography G | Roman Foyer East |
| 9:00 am – 10:30 am | Lit - U.S. Court of Appeals Ninth Circuit Overview | Susan Gelmis, U.S. Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit | Roman Ballroom I & III |
| 9:00 am -- 10:30 am | IP - What's Happening at the USPTO and Why You Need to Know | Mollybeth Kocialski, Director, Rocky Mountain USPTO | Palermo |
| 10:45 am – 11:00 am | Morning Break | | Roman Ballroom II & IV |
| 11:00 am – 12:00 pm | Lit - IT Developments in Federal Court - How to Make Sure Your Documents Don't Get Rejected | Sarah Walsh and Nancy Hackney, U.S. District Court, C.D. Cal. | Roman Ballroom I & III |
| | IP: USPTO Examiner Roundtable Stakeholder Training on Examination Practice and Procedure | David Le, Assistant Regional Director, Rocky Mountain USPTO Sarah Alawadi, Outreach Advisor, Primary Patent Examiner, USPTO Julie Brockett, Quality Assurance Specialist, USPTO | Palermo |
| 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm | Lunch | | Roman Ballroom II & IV |
| 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm | Lit - Building Your Lit Docket Brand | Bradley Small and Mary Beaudrow | Roman Ballroom I & III |
| | IP - Trademark Audits and Updates | Jason Blair, Esq. | Palermo |
| 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm | Lit - Handling Formula Based Dates - Less is More | Alan O'Hair | Roman Ballroom I & III |
| | IP - Roundtable -- Public PAIR retirement/Patent Center | Kristin Bigelow, Allyson Campbell | Palermo |
| 3:00 pm – 3:15 pm | Afternoon Break | | Roman Ballroom II & IV |
| 3:15 pm -- 4:15 | Lit - Member Panel -- Designing, Implementing, & Leveraging a Docket Quality Control Program | Sarah Frey, Alison Ladd, and Han Lee | Roman Ballroom I & III |
| | IP - Member Panel -- Designing, Implementing, & Leveraging a Docket Quality Control Program | IP Panel: Lori Martin, Phil Thompson, Kelly Whitfield | Palermo |