



We would like to thank the Judges of Baton Rouge for the phenomenal job they are doing in planning the 24th Annual Meeting and CLE Seminar of the Louisiana Judicial Council/NBA; and we are delighted to welcome Judges and Lawyers from around the state.

The Theme for this year is: *"Pursuing Equal Justice Through the Rivers of Social Consciousness."* We hope that this year's conference will help us to live-up to the ideals and a shining example of a great Judiciary.

In addition to the informative CLE, the committee has also planned several fun social events. The Annual Meeting and Seminar will culminate with a worship service at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church on Sunday.

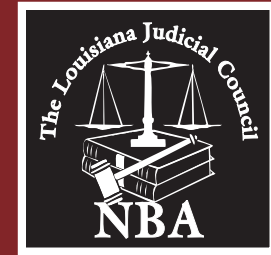
Please join us in this educational opportunity filled with friendship, fellowship, community and fun.

We are looking forward to seeing you in Baton Rouge,

Judge June Berry Darensburg, 24th JDC.
Chair, Louisiana Judicial Council/NBA

LA JUDICIAL COUNCIL/NBA

P. O. Box 1056, Kenner, La. 70063



24th

LJC/NBA Annual Meeting and
Continuing Legal Education
Seminar 2022

PURSUING EQUAL JUSTICE THROUGH THE RIVERS OF SOCIAL CONSCIOUSNESS

March 3-6, 2022
Hilton Baton Rouge Capital Center
201 Lafayette Street
Baton Rouge, Louisiana
(225) 344-5866

Judge June Berry Darensburg, 24th JDC, Chair,
Gretna, LA

Judge Lee V. Faulkner, Jr., 24th JDC, Chair-Elect,
Gretna, LA

Judge William M. Jorden, 19th JDC,
Conference Chair,
Baton Rouge, LA

8.75 HOURS OF CLE FOR
LAWYERS & JUDGES

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

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| Judge's Registration | \$300.00 |
| Lawyer's Registration 1-3 Years | \$100.00 |
| Lawyer's Registration (Over 3 Years) | \$150.00 |
| Judges' Membership Dues | \$250.00 |

Make checks payable to: LJC/NBA,
Mail registration & checks to: P. O. Box 1056,
Kenner, La. 70063. If you have any questions,
Contact Judge William Jorden, 504-913-4433

REGISTRATION FORM

Bar #:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Court: _____

Telephone No.: _____

E-mail: _____

Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

HOTEL INFORMATION

Please make your reservations directly with the
Hilton Baton Rouge Capital Center

201 Lafayette Street
Baton Rouge, Louisiana
225-344-5866

Room rate: \$99.00 plus tax and fees (Single or Double)
Room Block available until February 10, 2022

PROGRAM

THURSDAY, MARCH 3, 2022

2:00 pm - 3:30 pm **(Judges, Attorneys, and Law Students)**
Candid conversation with Judiciary*
Law Student Session, SU Law Center
3:30 pm - 5:00 pm **Student Reception***
4:00 pm - 5:00 pm **LJC/NBA Executive Meeting, SU Law Center**

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm **Welcome Reception**
8:00 pm - 11:30 pm **Hospitality Suite Opens, Mezz. Suite**

FRIDAY, MARCH 4, 2022

8:30 am. - 2:00 pm **Registration - Hilton Capital Ctr.**
(Judges only Session until 11:00 am)
9:00 am - 10:00 am **CLE (1 hour) Update from the**
Louisiana Judicial Commission
(Professionalism) Ms. Michelle Beaty,
Special Counsel, LJC
10:00 am - 11:00 am **CLE (1 hour) May I Approach?**
A Historical Look at the LA Judicial Council
Chief Judge. U. Gene Thibodeaux,
Retired; Judge Edwin Lombard, 4th Cir. Ct.
of Appeal; Chief Judge Madeline Jasmine, Ret. and
Mr. Ernest Johnson, Civil Rights Attorney

11:00 am - 11:15 am **Networking Break**
(Lawyers Only Session until 11:00 AM)
9:00 am - 10:00 am **CLE (1 hour) (Ethics)**
How to Prevent Sexual Harassment
Mr. Michael Victorian, esq., Labor & Employment
Attorney, Phelps Dunbar, LLP

10:00 am - 11:00 am **CLE (1 hour) (Professionalism)**
Civility in Oral Arguments and Legal Writing.
Magistrate Judge Erin Wilder-Doomes, U.S.
Dist. Ct. Middle Dist., LA; Judge John
Michael Guidry, 1st. Cir. Court of Appeal

11:00 - 11:15 am **Networking Break**
(Judges and Attorneys)
11:15 am - 12:15 pm **CLE Panel Discussion (1 Hour)**
Redistricting - Fair Representation Vs
Manipulation. Mr. Ernest Johnson, Civil Rights
Attorney and Mrs. Yolanda Dixon, Secretary, LA
State Senate

12:15 pm - 1:45 pm **Lunch on your Own**
1:45 pm - 2:45 pm **CLE Session (1 Hour) The Failure of Technology in**
the Courts. Judge Scott Schlegel, 24th JDC, Pres. LA
Distr. Judges Assoc. and Judge Donald R. Johnson,
19th JDC

2:45 pm - 3:30 pm **CLE Session (.75 Hour)**
Is it Safe to Unmask? The Effects of Masking
Emotions, Addictions, Stress and Mental Health
Disorders. Dr. Angela White-Bazile, Esq., Exec. Dir.
LA Judges and Lawyers Assistance Program

3:45 pm - 4:45 pm **LJC/NBA Business Meeting**
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm **Chair's Reception**
9:00 pm - 11:30 pm **Hospitality Suite Open**

* Subject to Change due to COVID-19 Restrictions

SATURDAY, MARCH 5, 2022

8:30 am - 12:30 pm **Registration Opens at Hotel**
(Judges and Attorneys Session)
9:00 am - 10:30 am **CLE Panel Discussion (1.5 hour)**
Prosecuting in a Socially Conscious Era
Hon. Tony Clayton, DA, 18th JDC; Hon. Bridget
Dinvaut, DA, 40th JDC; Hon. John Belton, DA, 3rd
JDC; Hon. James Stewart, DA, 1st JDC

10:30 am - 11:30 am **CLE Panel Discussion (1 hour) Discussion-**
The Current State of Civil Rights Facilitator; Mr.
Leo Hamilton, Esq., Breazeale, Sachse and
Wilson, LLP; Mr. Michael Adams, Esq., DeCuir,
Clark and Adams, LLP; Chancellor John Pierre,
SULC; Ms. Donecia Banks, Esq.-Maley Law
Group; Judge Ronald R. Johnson, 19th JDC
11:30 am - 1:15 pm **Luncheon (The Hilton, Judges and Lawyers)**
1:15 pm - 1:30 pm **Networking Break**

1:30 pm - 3:00 pm **(Judges Only Session)**
CLE Panel Discussion (1.5 hour)
Judging While Black; Judge Freddie Pitcher,
Ret.-Facilitator; Chief Judge U. Gene Thibodeaux,
Ret.; Judge Edwin Lombard, 4th Cir. Ct. of Appeal;
Judge Brian Jackson, U. S. Dist. Ct. Middle Dist.,
LA; Judge Donald R. Johnson, 19th JDC
(Attorneys Only Session)

1:30 pm - 3:00 pm **CLE Session (1.0 hour) Recent Developments**
in Attorney Disciplinary Matters. Mr. Anderson
Dotson, III, Esq., Parish Attorney, EBRP and
former Chair, Off. of Disciplinary Council; Ms.
Tammy Pruet Northrup, Esq. Deputy Council, LA
Atty. Disciplinary Board

3:00 pm - 3:45 pm **LJC/NBA foundation Meeting**
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm **A Salute to Retired Chief Justice Bernette**
Joshua Johnson

SUNDAY, MARCH 6, 2022

7:40 am **Bus leaves for church service**
8:00 am **Worship Service - St. Francis Xavier**
Catholic Church
9:00 am **Brunch at the Church Hall**

Please Bring Robes

All Events Are Casual Except The Welcome
Reception, A Salute To Retired Chief Justice
Johnson And Church Service

FULL COVID 19 VACCINATION REQUIRED