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SBA Holds September Luncheon

The Savannah Bar Association held its monthly luncheon at the Savannah Golf Club on September 21, 2023. At the outset of the luncheon, T. Mills Fleming of HunterMaclean read a resolution in honor of the late Lee C. Mundell, who passed away on June 26, 2023.

Our guest speaker was Travis Spangenburg, Creative & Production Manager at the American Prohibition Museum in Savannah. Travis discussed the history of Prohibition, which began with the passage of the Eighteenth Amendment in 1919, was enforced by Andrew Volstead's National Prohibition Act of 1919, and ended with the passage of the Twenty-First Amendment in 1933.

Travis also explained the reasons Savannah was chosen for the location of the Prohibition Museum. He noted that the 1735 decree banning alcohol in the Colony of Georgia was the first instance of prohibition in British North America. Additionally, on August 16, 1923, the largest federal raid in Prohibition history broke up a powerful bootlegging ring in Savannah, resulting in over 120 indictments. The SBA thanks Travis for a spirited history lesson!





October YLD Update

The Savannah YLD is continuing its tradition of holding an annual Swearing-In Ceremony to facilitate our new lawyers getting admitted to practice in Georgia. The ceremony will take place Thursday, October 26, 2023, at 1:30 p.m. at the Chatham County Courthouse.

If you or someone you know are expecting bar results from Georgia and would like to participate, please email YLD Secretary Amber Robinson at arobinson@chathamcounty.org ASAP for further information. The clerk's office must have specific paperwork for individuals to be able to participate in the ceremony.

Also scheduled for October 26 is the annual YLD Haunted Trolley Ride, sponsored this year by McKee Court Reporting. The event begins at 6:00 p.m. and ends at 7:00 p.m. The pickup and dropoff location will be the Parish House trolley stop near Reynolds Square (the same location as in years past). Drinks will be provided. And costumes are encouraged--an award will be presented for best costume. Seats are limited, so RSVP at <http://evite.me/Fsdk1gFn2W> as soon as possible!

The State YLD will host a trash pickup in Savannah on the north side of Daffin Park (Cedar Street and Victory Drive) on Saturday, October 28, 2023. The event will begin at 9:00 a.m. Reflective vests will be provided. To fill out the registration form and waiver, visit <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdbUp1MfeIViogOCGzJU7gWuDl75WoPLnwW2iULJqnSbQPPNA/viewform> If we have enough interest, the Savannah YLD will provide breakfast.

Lastly, mark your calendars—the regional and district rounds of the Georgia High School Mock Trial will be held at the Chatham County Courthouse on February 10 and March 2, 2024.



THE YOUNG LAWYERS DIVISION OF THE SAVANNAH BAR ASSOCIATION

NEW MEMBER/RENEWAL FORM 2023-2024

WHAT IS THE YOUNG LAWYERS DIVISION (YLD)?

The Savannah YLD is part of the Savannah Bar Association, and any local attorney under the age of 35, or who has been admitted to practice less than 5 years, is invited to join. Local attorneys who are waiting on Georgia Bar Exam results are also invited to join. The YLD hosts many social activities and service projects throughout the year. Upcoming events include monthly happy hours, the October haunted trolley ride, the December holiday party, and the June charity golf tournament.

HOW DOES THE YLD SERVE THE COMMUNITY?

The YLD participates in many service projects during the year including judging the Georgia High School Mock Trial Competition, speaking to high school students, and volunteering at America’s Second Harvest of Coastal Georgia.

WHAT CAN THE YLD DO FOR YOU?

The YLD provides many opportunities for young lawyers to:

- Socialize and network with other young lawyers
- Meet and work with members of the “Big Bar” (the Savannah Bar Association)
- Learn more about the community through service projects
- Get involved with the State YLD

HOW DO I JOIN?

Complete and return the form below with your check to Jake Saas at the address below. If you have any questions, please contact Jake at 912-233-9700 or jsaas@ellispainter.com.

MEMBERSHIP DUES FOR THE 2023-2024 YEAR ARE:
\$60.00 for private sector
\$30.00 for public sector, including judicial law clerks

Please complete and return this portion with your check made payable to **Savannah Bar Association - YLD** to:

Savannah Young Lawyers Division c/o Jake Saas
 PO Box 9946
 Savannah, GA 31412

Alternatively, you can hand-deliver your envelope to the firm Ellis Painter at 7 East Congress Street, Second Floor, Savannah, Georgia 31401.

Name: _____

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DeVetter Law Announces Of Counsel To Join Growing Firm

Julia H. Sullivan Joins DeVetter Law to Expand Estate Planning Services in Savannah.

DeVetter Law, the growing Savannah-based law firm specializing in Probate Litigation and Criminal Record Clearing, is excited to announce the addition of Julia H. Sullivan as Of Counsel. Julia will advance the firm's mission to safeguard the legacies of Savannah's residents by leading the expansion of the firm's Estate Planning services.

Julia H. Sullivan's arrival marks a significant milestone in DeVetter Law's commitment to estate planning. With a Juris Doctor degree from Southwestern Law School and licenses to practice law in both California and Georgia. Julia is a highly accomplished attorney with a strong background in estate planning, guardianship and conservatorship, and probate law. Her impressive legal career, combined with her dedication to community involvement, makes her an exceptional fit for the firm.



Julia Sullivan

Julia's journey to Savannah began in 2008 when she spent a weekend on Sapelo Island and fell in love with Georgia's coast. Since moving to Savannah in 2009, she has been an active member of the local legal community, currently serving as the Secretary of the Savannah Bar Association and chair of its Pro Bono Committee. She is also the President-Elect of the Board of Directors of Georgia Legal Services Corporation and a member of the Board of Directors of the First City Pride Center.



As Julia steps into her role as Of Counsel, she brings a unique perspective and expertise to the firm. DeVetter Law's distinctive approach focuses on proactive, personalized, and practical estate planning solutions. Our aim is to help clients make asset and property transfer decisions that reflect their values and impart peace of mind no matter the size of an estate or the complexity of a client's situation. Julia's expertise and passion will further this mission. Her experience will allow us to continue providing comprehensive estate planning and probate services that ensure our clients' wishes are respected, both before and after their passing.

The entire DeVetter Law team is thrilled to welcome Julia H. Sullivan. We look forward to her instrumental role in furthering our commitment to ensure families are protected now and well into the future through comprehensive estate planning services. For more information about DeVetter Law's expanded estate planning services and Julia H. Sullivan's role, please visit: www.devetterlaw.com.

About the DeVetter Law Firm (www.devetterlaw.com) DeVetter Law is a rapidly growing criminal record mitigation and probate litigation firm located in Savannah's historic district. With a commitment to fostering equity and justice, we offer specialized legal services to empower individuals and protect their legacies throughout the state of Georgia. For media inquiries or further information, please contact Angel Ratcliffe at (912) 388-0254 or angel@devetterlaw.com.



Attorney Victoria R. Nease Joins HunterMaclean

HunterMaclean, a leading business law firm with offices in Savannah and St. Simons Island, recently welcomed Victoria R. Nease in the firm's Litigation Group. Victoria's practice focuses on admiralty and maritime law, general litigation, medical malpractice, and product liability.

A Savannah native, Victoria graduated cum laude from Georgia Southern University's Armstrong campus with a B.S. in Psychology. Prior to attending law school, she worked as a licensed Georgia Property and Casualty Insurance agent for her family's insurance brokerage firm, handling client accounts in the specialized field of commercial trucking and towing insurance.



Victoria Nease

Victoria earned her J.D. from Mercer University School of Law in 2021. While in law school, she competed in the Mercer Law Hugh Lawson Moot Court Competition and was a finalist in the Mercer Law Closing Argument Competition, which earned her an invitation to Mercer's Moot Court Competition Team and Mock Trial Competition Team.

She is currently a member of the Georgia Association for Women Lawyers and Savannah Bar Association: Young Lawyers Division. In addition, as a volunteer for Union Mission, she assists the organization by participating in fundraising for its annual gala and yearly holiday donation drives.



WSWGS welcomes attorneys Logan Berland and John Thomas Crosby to the firm

The firm of Weiner, Shearouse, Weitz, Greenberg & Shawe, LLP, has added attorneys Logan Berland and John Thomas Crosby to the firm.

Ms. Berland holds dual Juris Doctorate and Masters of Business Administration from Georgia State University's Colleges of Law and Business. While in law school, Ms. Berland focused her coursework on business and real estate law, participating as a student attorney in the Phillip C. Cook Low-Income Taxpayer Clinic and serving as a member of the Georgia State University College of Law's Business and Law Society.

Crosby, a native of Tifton, Georgia, graduated with Honors from the University of Georgia's Terry School of Business with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Real Estate and earned a Juris Doctorate from the University of Georgia School of Law, graduating with Honors. While in law school, he was a member of the Journal of Intellectual Property Law and also clerked for the Honorable Bill Reinhardt of the Tifton Judicial Circuit, and his practice at WSWG will concentrate on the areas of Real Estate and Corporate Law.

Since 1961, WSWG has provided exemplary legal services to clients in Georgia and South Carolina. The firm's rich history includes some of South Georgia's most respected lawyers, and 11 WSWG attorneys will be listed in the 2024 edition of Best Lawyers. The firm is also regularly listed in "Best Law Firms" published by U.S. News & World Report and Best Lawyers, reflecting the WSWG commitment to its clients, respect for the practice of law and adherence to the ethical responsibilities of a law firm.

Please go to www.wswgs.com to learn more about Weiner, Shearouse, Weitz, Greenberg and Shawe, LLP.



Logan Berland



JT Crosby



This article is the last in a series on famous lawyers and their pro bono work.

Giants of Law Who Did Cases Pro Bono

Part V: Expanding Access to Justice

By Sarah J. Anderson

In Parts I-III, we discussed lawyer-presidents who represented clients pro bono as part of the regular law practice. In Part IV, we discussed other famous lawyers throughout US history who also weaved pro bono into their regular practice.

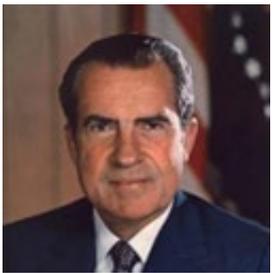
This final installment gives a shout out to famous lawyers who either worked in public interest law, serving indigent clients on a daily basis or who helped to move forward the right for those unable to pay for legal representation. This article finishes with four legal issues that were moved forward because of the pro bono work of everyday lawyers.



In recognizing the humanity of our fellow beings, we pay ourselves the highest tribute..

-- Thurgood Marshall

Thurgood Marshall (1908-1993, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States) received his law degree from Howard University, where he was encouraged by his mentor, Charles Hamilton Houston to view the law as a vehicle for social change. He was admitted to the Maryland Bar in 1933. He initially began as a solo practitioner. By 1935, Marshall was litigating cases for the NAACP pro bono. In one of his first cases, *Murray v Pearson*, 182 A. 590 (1936), he sued the University of Maryland Law School for denying Black applicants admission into the school. He successfully argued that the law school's admission policy violated the 14th amendment. Shortly after that case, Marshall went to work for the NAACP full time. In 1940 he was named the director-counsel of the NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund. He became the leading civil rights attorney in America. He argued 32 cases before the Supreme Court of the United States, winning 29 of those cases including *Brown v. Board of Education*, 347 US 483 (1954).^[1]



We cannot learn from one another until we stop shouting at one another - until we speak quietly enough so that our words can be heard as well as our voices.

-- Richard M. Nixon

Richard M. Nixon (1913-1994, 37th president of the United States) took some pro bono cases early in his legal career during the Great Depression when clients could not afford his hourly rates (which started at \$1/hour). But he earned his spot on this list for signing the Legal Services Corporation Act of 1974. Work on the legislation began in 1971, when Nixon sent a special message to Congress proposing the creation of the Legal Services Corporation: an independent agency that would support

¹ *Civil Rights Leaders: Thurgood Marshall*, NAACP. <https://naacp.org/find-resources/history-explained/civil-rights-leaders/thurgood-marshall>, last accessed July 13, 2023. *Thurgood Marshall, United States Jurist*, Britannica (June 28, 2023). <https://www.britannica.com/biography/Thurgood-Marshall#ref1260548>, last accessed July 13, 2023.



legal aid lawyers in their efforts to protect the interest of their clients. LSC is the largest grantor of civil legal aid in the country.^[2]



Let's continue to stand up for those who are vulnerable to being left out or marginalized.

-- Hillary Rodham Clinton

Hillary Rodham Clinton (1947- , 67th United States Secretary of State) practiced law for 20 years before becoming first lady of the United States in 1993. In 1974, she joined the faculty of the University of Arkansas Law School. She established and was the first director of the law school's new clinical program. When LSC money became available in 1977, Clinton applied for a grant and the clinical program became Ozark Legal Services (now Legal Aid of Arkansas). Clinton was appointed by President Carter to the LSC Board in 1977 and became the chair of the board in 1978. During her time on the LSC board, LSC's budget increased from \$96 million to \$321 million.^[3]



If you want to be a true professional, do something outside yourself.

-- Ketanji Brown Jackson

Ketanji Brown Jackson (1970 - , Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States) earned her law degree in 1996. She has spent most of her legal career in public service. She spent two terms on the US Sentencing Commission, reshaping federal sentencing policy. She also worked as a federal public defender in Washington, DC. She represented indigent clients and Guantanamo Bay detainees.^[4]

Although this series has discussed pro bono work done by famous lawyers, it may seem that pro bono is only for famous lawyers, consider some important issues in the last 20 years that have been championed by pro bono lawyers across the country.^[5]

² *Richard Nixon, president of the United States*, Britannica (July 4, 2023). <https://www.britannica.com/biography/Richard-Nixon/Election-of-1960>, last accessed July 13, 2023. America's Lawyer-Presidents, Edited by Norman Gross, 2004. P. 271. *The Founding of LSC*, Legal Services Corporation. <https://www.lsc.gov/about-lsc/who-we-are/our-history#:~:text=President%20Nixon%20signed%20the%20LSC%20Act%20on%20July,be%20otherwise%20unable%20to%20afford%20adequate%20legal%20counsel.%E2%80%9D>, last accessed July 13, 2023.

³ The original clinical program for The University of Arkansas School of Law now offers six different clinical experiences for law students, including civil litigation, criminal defense, and immigration work. *School of Law Legal Clinics*, University of Arkansas website. <https://law.uark.edu/service-outreach/clinics/>, last accessed July 14, 2023. In 2002, Arkansas LSC-sponsored legal services programs merged into Legal Aid of Arkansas (Legal Services of Northeast Arkansas, Ozark Legal Services, and East Arkansas Legal Services) and Center for Arkansas Legal Services (Western Arkansas Legal Services and Legal Services of Arkansas). These two LSC-supported programs provide civil legal aid to all 75 counties in Arkansas. *Who We Are – Mission & History*, Legal Aid of Arkansas, <https://arlegalaid.org/who-we-are/mission.html>, last accessed July 14, 2023. The National Equal Justice Library is the repository for historical documents and oral history related to legal aid in the United States. Along with written documents about Clinton's association with legal aid, there is also an oral history in which Clinton discusses her experience as a legal aid attorney in rural Arkansas. *Hillary Rodham Clinton*, National Equal Justice Library at Georgetown Law Library, <https://legalaidhistory.org/person/hillary-rodham-clinton/>, last accessed July 14, 2023.

⁴ *Ketanji Brown Jackson*, United States jurist, Britannica, June 29, 2023. Available at <https://www.britannica.com/biography/Ketanji-Brown-Jackson>, last accessed July 17, 2023. *Ketanji Brown Jackson*, Biography, June 30, 2022. Available at <https://www.biography.com/legal-figures/ketanji-brown-jackson>, last accessed July 17, 2023.

⁵ *5 Times Pro Bono Changed Your World*, Felicity Conrad, published in Paladin (March 21, 2016). <https://medium.com/join-paladin/5-times-pro-bono-changed-your-world-d38d07793728>, last accessed July 14, 2023.



The fight for **marriage equality** was litigated across the country by thousands of pro bono lawyers before making its way to the Supreme Court in *Obergefell v. Hodges*, 576 US 644 (2015).

The fight for **compensation to the victims of 9/11** was spearheaded by a group of lawyers who recruited over 1,000 pro bono attorneys across the country. Those lawyers assisted over 1,700 families across the US and the world to recoup losses and bring closure to an event that rocked the world.

Hundreds of pro bono attorneys represented **detainees at Guantanamo Bay** who could not afford representation. Those pro bono attorneys challenged the federal government for holding detainees indefinitely. Pro bono lawyers also pressured the US Senate to release the CIA Torture Report which reviewed the CIA's program to transfer terrorism suspects to countries known to use torture.

More than half of the states have enacted **restrictive voting laws**, many of these laws require voters to present photo IDs and limit access to polling stations, mail-in ballots, and early voting. These laws disproportionately affect the elderly, people of color, people with disabilities, and those with low-income. These are groups that may not have the forms of identification required to cast a ballot or have limited transportation making it difficult to get to distant polling stations. Pro bono lawyers around the country challenge these laws to protect everyone's constitutional right to vote, regardless of race, political affiliation, or economic status.

Make a difference – Do pro bono



Georgia Legal Services Program is a 501(c)3 nonprofit law firm.
We provide free, civil legal services to low-income or senior-aged Georgians outside of the five metro Atlanta counties
To volunteer, contact Sarah J. Anderson at sjanderson@glsp.org
or sign up online at <https://www.glsp.org/volunteer-2/>.



Georgia Legal Services Program

Medical-Legal Partnership Staff Attorney Savannah Office

The Savannah Regional Office of Georgia Legal Services is seeking a Staff Attorney to assist clients at our Medical-Legal Partnership location in Savannah, GA.

Duties:

The Staff Attorney will be based in Savannah, GA, working from both GLSP’s office and on-site with our medical partner, and will provide representation in a variety of civil legal matters affecting clients’ health, including Income Maintenance, Education, Health, Housing, and Family Law issues. The Staff Attorney will perform client intakes, provide referrals, advice, brief services, and/or representation. The position also involves training and coordinating with doctors, social workers, and other health care professionals; working with students in law, medicine, social work, public health, and bioethics; and participating in task forces and committees of service providers.

Requirements:

- Graduate of accredited law school;
- Admission to the Georgia Bar, or willingness to sit for the next exam;
- Reliable vehicle and driver’s license; and
- Ability to speak Spanish is a plus.

Qualifications:

- Demonstrated interest or experience working with clients on poverty law issues and public benefits law.
- Willingness and ability to work as part of a team in a professional and collaborative manner.
- Computer literacy, which includes familiarity using email, Microsoft Office, Legal Server, and other computer programs.
- Ability to work with diverse populations, backgrounds, and perspectives.
- Excellent oral advocacy, research, and writing skills.
- Attention to detail and self-motivated.
- Ability to analyze, write, and present ideas and legal concepts clearly and concisely.
- Computer literacy, which includes familiarity using email, Excel, Word, SharePoint, Legal Server, and other computer programs.

Starting Salary: \$55,000 - \$74,650, depending on experience.

The program provides generous fringe benefits, including paid holidays and paid time off, including parental leave; birthday holiday; health, life, and long and short-term disability insurance; educational loan reimbursement up to \$600 per month (after a \$65 per month deductible); 403B with 3% match; and Georgia Bar dues and CLE expenses. In addition, attorneys who pass GLSP’s Spanish proficiency test receive additional compensation. GLSP offers a hybrid work schedule that allows staff to work 2 days remotely subject to management approval and completion of a probationary employment period. GLSP requires that all employees comply with our COVID – 19 Vaccine Policy.

How to Apply:

A statement of interest, resume, and a legal writing sample should be submitted <https://www.glsp.org/join-the-team/>.

GLSP is an Affirmative Action/ Equal Opportunity Employer. It is the policy of Georgia Legal Services Program not to discriminate against any applicant for employment because of race, color, ethnicity, ancestry, religion, age, sex, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity/expression, pregnancy, medical condition, national origin, disability, marital or other protected status. GLSP values a diverse work environment and strongly encourages women, people of color, people who identify as LGBTQ, people with disabilities, and people who have experienced poverty or homelessness to apply. GLSP invites all applicants to include in their cover letter a statement about how their unique background and/or experiences might contribute to the diversity, cultural vitality, and perspective of our staff and legal services practice.



Job Opening in Fort Stewart

Attorney-Adviser

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Army Installation Management Command

U.S. Army Garrison (USAG) Fort Stewart, Installation Legal Office, Fort Stewart, Georgia

About the Position: This position is located at U.S. Army Garrison (USAG) Fort Stewart, Installation Legal Office, Fort Stewart, Georgia.

If you are currently serving in a permanent, competitive service appointment in the Federal service, and are selected for this position, the appointment will remove you from the competitive service while you occupy this position.

Duties

- Provides professional legal advice and assistance in cases often involving unique and very difficult legal questions, or factual issues with few or conflicting precedents involving the public interest.
- Assists military personnel to prepare their explanatory statements, appeals or requests for reconsideration on report of survey charges.
- Prepares rebuttals to bars to reenlistment and appeals of efficiency reports for presentation to the reviewing authority.
- Conducts legal review and provides advice during emergency deployment readiness exercises and Soldier Readiness Checks.
- Assists service members who leave civilian jobs to go on active duty under the Uniformed Services Reemployment Rights Act.
- Keeps abreast of legislation, opinions, regulations, court decisions, circulars, and authoritative legal opinions necessary for mission accomplishment.
- Practices preventive law by preparing articles and presenting classes on recurring legal problems.
- Conducts SJA functions in implementing the command preventive law program, and coordinates with other staff sections involved.
- Trains and mentors attorneys in the Office of the Staff Judge Advocate regarding substantive and procedural legal issues and questions
- Manages, plans, organizes, coordinates, implements, and operates the Legal Assistance Casualty Assistance and Survivor Benefits Program.

Requirements

Conditions of Employment

- Appointment may be subject to a suitability or fitness determination, as determined by a completed background investigation.
- A two year trial/probationary period may be required.
- This position requires the incumbent to maintain active bar membership, in good standing (as defined by the pertinent bar) of the bar of the highest court of a State, U.S. territory, the District of Columbia, or Commonwealth of Puerto Rico.



Qualifications

Who May Apply: US Citizens

Applicants will be evaluated to determine if they meet the minimum qualification requirements and on the extent to which their application shows possession of the following knowledge, skills and abilities (KSAs) associated with the position.

KSA's:

- Skill in identifying and researching highly technical and complex legal issues.
- Skill in providing legal, technical, and policy guidance to individual clients.
- Ability establish and maintain client confidentiality, and avoid conflicts of interest or the appearance of a conflict of interest, in accordance with applicable law and Army Regulations.
- Ability to effectively, professionally, and ethically manage a heavy caseload of clients with complex legal needs.
- Ability to work with multiple legal offices on a daily basis.
- Ability to work cooperatively as part of a team and/or lead a team to resolve issues.
- Ability to express information (for example, ideas or facts) to individuals or groups effectively, taking into account the audience and nature of the information (for example, technical, sensitive, controversial); makes clear and convincing oral presentations; listens to others, attends to nonverbal cues, and responds appropriately.
- Ability to maintain effective working relationships with agency staff at all levels as well as with key individuals.

Qualification Requirements: The following minimum qualification requirements must be met before applicants are eligible for further consideration:

Education Requirements: Position requires the possession of the first professional law degree (LL.B. or J.D.) AND a member in good standing with the highest court of a State, U.S. commonwealth, U.S. territory, or the District of Columbia. Applicants for initial appointment into attorney positions within the Department of Army must be graduates of law schools accredited by the American Bar Association at the time of the applicant's graduation. As indicated below, a law school transcript must be submitted with your application materials.

Bar Membership: Applicants must currently be a member in good standing (as defined by the pertinent bar) of the bar of the highest court of a State, U.S. territory, the District of Columbia, or Commonwealth of Puerto Rico. As noted below, proof of such membership and good standing must be submitted with your application materials.

Experience: In addition to the requirements above, applicants for the GS-13 or equivalent Attorney positions must also possess 2 years of professional legal experience, acquired after being admitted to the bar, commensurate with the duties and responsibilities of the position. Graduation from an ABA-Accredited Law School in the top 25% of the class or an advanced law degree such as an LLM may substitute for one year of the required professional legal experience.

Time in Grade: The Qualifying Authorities (QA's) will make a determination as to the applicability of time in grade based on the requirements of the position. If you are currently employed as an attorney by the Federal



government you must have completed one year at the next lower grade level within 30 days of the closing date of the announcement, or previously served at the same or higher grade level as the position being filled.

NOTICE OF VETERAN'S PREFERENCE: There is no formal rating system for applying veteran's preference to attorney appointments in the excepted service; however, the Department of the Defense considers veterans' preference eligibility a positive factor for attorney hiring. Applicants eligible for veterans' preference must include that information in their cover letter or resume and attach supporting documentation (e.g., DD Form 214, "Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty") to their submissions.

Although the point-preference system is not used, applicants eligible to claim a 10-point preference must submit a Standard Form (SF) 15, "Application for 10-Point Veteran Preference", and supporting documentation required for the specific type of preference claimed. The SF 15 will identify the supporting documentation required along with the list of the types of 10-point preference. The SF 15 is available from the OPM at <https://www.gsa.gov/portal/forms/type/sf/>.

Education

Only degrees from an accredited college or university recognized by the Department of Education are acceptable to meet positive education requirements or to substitute education for experience. For additional information, please go to the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) and U.S. Department of Education websites at <http://www.opm.gov/qualifications> and <http://www.ed.gov/admins/finaid/accred/index.html>.

For more information, visit <https://www.usajobs.gov/job/754040600>

The complete application package must be submitted by 11:59 PM (EST) on 11/13/2023 to receive consideration. Association of Matrimonial Lawyers.

Beckmann & Furey Job Posting

Beckmann & Furey LLP is seeking associates, full and/or part time, for the representation of Department of Family and Children Services in child abuse and neglect cases. Interested attorneys should send a resume and writing sample to Wendy Furey, wendy@beckmannfurey.com.



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12:05 pm - 1:05 pm

“A View from the Bench: Women Leading at the Appellate Level”

Moderated by:

Ashleigh R. Madison
SEABOTA President

Southeastern Georgia Chapter

Justice Angela McCormick Bisig
Kentucky Supreme Court

Justice Sarah H. Stewart
Alabama Supreme Court

Hon. Sara L. Doyle
Georgia Court of Appeals

1:05 pm - 2:05 pm

Work-Life Balance
Is it Possible

Moderated by:

Christina D. Crow
SEABOTA Secretary
Alabama Chapter

Rachel Fry, Ph.D.
Rachel Fry Consulting

2:05 pm - 3:05 pm

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Moderated by:

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The American Board of Trial Advocates (ABOTA) was founded in 1958. ABOTA is a national association of experienced trial lawyers and judges. ABOTA and its members are dedicated to the preservation and promotion of the civil jury trial right provided by the Seventh Amendment to the U.S. Constitution. ABOTA membership consists of more than 7,300 lawyers—equally balanced between plaintiff and defense—and judges spread among 96 chapters in all 50 states and the District of Columbia.

ABOTA is an invitation-only organization. Members must have at least five years of active experience as trial lawyers, have tried at least 10 civil jury trials to conclusion and possess additional litigation experience. Members must also exhibit the virtues of civility, integrity and professionalism by following our [Code of Professionalism](#) and [Principles of Civility](#).



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- Your professional and personal announcements
- Law-related advertisements,
- Articles or announcements regarding your preferred philanthropies
- Other written submissions.

Suggestions for improving The Citation are also always welcome.

Finally, we love to receive photographs and video to share with our readers!

Bear in mind that our readers include not only current SBA members, but also many judges and law school students.

Please contact us at SBACitation@gmail.com with submissions or inquiries.