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# Social Program (All events will take place at the Saint John Trade and Convention Centre unless otherwise specified)

The Annual Mid-Winter Meeting is recognized as a great opportunity to network while enjoying a wide variety of educational, cultural and social activities. This year's program includes twelve full credit hours of professional development, enough to meet your requirements for the entire year. Here are just a few of the scheduled events:

### **Thursday, February 2nd, 2012 Sections, Conferences & Forums Meeting**

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm Some sections, conferences and forums will be hosting business meetings. These meetings will provide an opportunity for section members to come together, share ideas and collaborate for the coming year. The particulars will be made available when details are confirmed.

### **Thursday, February 2nd, 2012 Sections, Conferences & Forums Reception**

5:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Are you a member of a Section? Come and join your colleagues in the Kennebecasis room for a beverage and food paring and meet the Section Executive members. This is an ideal opportunity to get to know others with similar interests.

### **7:00 pm – 9:00 pm Opening Reception**

Attend the Opening Reception at the New Brunswick Museum in the Whale Room . Join your colleagues for a glass of wine and some tasty hors d'oeuvres. This is a great way to kick off the MidWinter Meetings.

Entertainment will be provided by Kindred Brothers (Business Dress).

Please indicate your attendance on your registration form. **Admission is by ticket.**

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### **9:00 pm Late Night Party**

Don't want Opening Night to end then keep it going by attending the Late Night Bash being held at Britt's Pub & Hapinez Wine Bar !

Door prizes will be drawn.

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### **Friday, February 3rd, 2012 President's Reception**

6:30 pm – 7:30 pm

Meet with your colleagues over a drink and hors d'oeuvres in the Market Square Atrium before proceeding into the Marco Polo Room for the evening's festivities.

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### **7:30 pm – 10:30 pm President's Dinner & Dance**

Join your host President Kimberly Poffenroth in the Marco Polo Room and enjoy a delicious meal prepared by Chef Colin Sifton. The dinner will be followed by a dance featuring music by the Black Cats Swing Orchestra. Dancers and music lovers of all ages will experience a Sentimental Journey through entertainment history with many of the most popular and familiar hits of the 1930's-40's, as well as chart toppers of the Motown years, the 70's and the 80's. Be sure to bring your dancing shoes so not to miss the fun.

Please indicate your attendance on the registration form. **Admission is by ticket.**

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**10:30 pm Late Night** at the Brigantine Lounge in the Hilton Hotel.



## BUSINESS MEETINGS

Thursday February 2, 2012

9:00 – 3:00	Insurance Management Committee	Belleisle Room (Hilton Hotel)
10:00 – 3:00	CBA-NB Branch Council Meeting	Kennebecasis Room (Hilton Hotel)
1:00 – 5:00	Registration Opens	Trade & Convention Centre Foyer
1:30 – 5:00	Law Society of NB Council Meeting	Spencer 1 & 2 Room
2:30 - 3:30	PD Committee Meeting	King's County Room (Hilton Hotel)

# Program at a Glance

Friday February 3, 2012

7:30 - 8:45	Breakfast Great Hall Foyer
9:00-10:15	Professional Development  (FRENCH) The Rants & Raves and Tips & Tricks of the Registrar  Immigration Issues: The Impact of a Criminal Charge on an Individual's Immigration Status  Fundamental Governance Practices: Guidelines for improving organizational performance and accountability  (SI) Cross Examination Skills that Everyone Needs
10:15	Health Break – Great Hall Foyer Generously Sponsored by: 
10:30-12:00	Professional Development  (FRENCH) Probate and estate administration: a step-by-step guide to success  The Rants & Raves and Tips & Tricks of the Registrar  How to Say "I'm sorry": A practical guide and critical review of apologies in Litigation and Dispute Resolution  (SI) Cross Examination Skills that Everyone Needs - con't
12:00-2:00	Lunch and address from <i>the Hon. Marie-Claude Blais, Q.C.</i> , Minister of Justice & Attorney General.  Great Hall Foyer AGM Generously Sponsored by: 

2:00-3:15	Professional Development  (FRENCH) Come and try the new, approved breathalyser test: IntoxEC/IR II  Due Diligence in Commercial Transactions  The Do's and Don'ts of Submitting Joint Recommendations  (SI) Recent Developments in Administrative Law
3:15	Health Break – Great Hall Foyer
3:30-4:30	Professional Development  (FRENCH) Mandatory Retirement  Lawyer Wellness: from oxymoron to optimal living  Reading Financial Statements  (SI) Personal Property Security Legislation and Practice - Recent Developments and a Refresher on Key Topics
6:30	President's Reception Generously Sponsored by: 
7:30	Presidents' Dinner Generously Sponsored by: 

# Program at a Glance

Saturday February 4, 2012

7:30 - 8:45	Breakfast Great Hall Foyer		
9:00-10:15	Professional Development	2:00-3:15	Professional Development
	(FRENCH) A Year in Review - Key Developments in Labour and Employment Law		(FRENCH) Complaints to the Law Society
	Small Claims and Rules 79 & 80		Bankruptcy & Insolvency: Blockbuster Video
	Capacity and Power of Attorneys : A Medical and Legal Perspective		Should N.B. Frack off? : A legal study of Shale Gas exploration
	(SI) Family Law: Canvassing the Wishes of a Child		PUBLIC FORUM: Municipal Government Reform in New Brunswick (SI)
10:15	Health Break – Great Hall Foyer Generously Sponsored by: <b>Saint John Law Society</b>	3:15	Health Break – Great Hall Foyer
10:30-12:00	Professional Development	3:30-4:30	Professional Development
	(FRENCH) Commercial Insolvency Issues		(FRENCH) Clarity of legal text
	Canada Post and Random Drug and Alcohol Testing in the Workplace		Complaints to the Law Society
	Functional Capacity Assessments		Professional Corporations
	(SI) Family Law: Canvassing the Wishes of a Child (cont'd)		(SI) PUBLIC FORUM (cont'd): Municipal Government Reform in New Brunswick
12:00-2:00	Lunch Great Hall Foyer  Eugene Meehan, Q.C. of Lang Michener LLP in Ottawa is a seasoned Supreme Cour of Canada advocate.  Mr. Meehan will speak on “Civility as a Tactical Tool”.  Introduction by David O'Brien, Q.C.  Generously Sponsored by: <b>LAP</b>		

## EDUCATION SESSIONS

9:00 - 10:15

<p>(FRENCH) The Rants &amp; Raves and Tips &amp; Tricks of the Registrar</p>	<p>The presentation is designed to inform practitioners/subscribers of what works and what does not work in terms of the registration to title to land, combined with the inherent and necessary need to maintain lines of communications open between registrants and Service New Brunswick as the custodian of public land registration records. To strive for this objective, the presentation will focus on irritants of the Senior Land titles officers and registry staff, and also on ways to improve the registration process for all involved. The presentation will also focus on what is being done, what it not being done, and on what needs to be done, as well as the need to consistently meet legislative and operational requirements from the subscribers.  <b>Chair:</b> Philippe H. Richard, Barry Spalding, Saint John  <b>Speaker:</b> Serge Gauvin, Senior Land Registry Registrar, Service New Brunswick, Fredericton</p>
<p>Immigration Issues: The Impact of a Criminal Charge on an Individual's Immigration Status</p>	<p>This professional development session will review the impact of a criminal conviction on a person's immigration status in Canada. It will also review strategies for pleas, sentencing, admissibility hearings, appeals, stay of removal, pardons and the impact on a future citizenship application.  <b>Chair:</b> Maggie Coffin Prowse, Coffin &amp; Thompson, Saint John  <b>Speakers:</b> Janet Thompson-Price, Coffin &amp; Thompson, Saint John - Roxanne Myers, Operational Services Unit, Planning and Program Integration Division, CBSA</p>
<p>Fundamental Governance Practices: Guidelines for improving organizational performance and accountability</p>	<p>As a practitioner in private practice, in-house counsel in the public or private sector or a member of a board of directors, chances are that you will be called upon at some point in your career to advise on or consider matters of corporate governance. This session will provide an overview of legal requirements for corporate governance; it will also provide practical tips on how to transition from an average board to a highly effective one and increase overall board performance.  <b>Chair:</b> Véronique Long, New Brunswick Securities Commission, Saint John  <b>Speakers:</b> Kimberly Strange, Secretary and Corporate Counsel, Plazacorp Retail Properties Ltd., Fredericton - Daryl Wilson, Former Auditor General of New Brunswick, Currently a Consultant on Board Governance, Saint John</p>
<p>(SI) Cross Examination Skills that Everyone Needs</p>	<p>This program will look at the fundamental rules and principles relating to cross-examination. It will examine the goal and objectives, the rules for developing outlines, sequence and chapters. It will indicate how to identify topics and targets. It will outline the rules for question formulation and delivery. It will deal with control of the witness, non-responsive answers and quibbling. It will discuss knowing what to say and when to stop.  <b>Chair:</b> Douglas A. M. Evans, Q.C., Cox &amp; Palmer, Saint John  <b>Speakers:</b> James E. Lockyer, Q.C., Université de Moncton, Moncton  <b>Commentary:</b> Judge William M. McCarroll, Provincial Court of NB, Saint John - David H. Russel, Court of Queen's Bench, Fredericton</p>

## Health Break

## EDUCATION SESSIONS

10:30 - 12:00

<p>(FRENCH) Probate and estate administration: a step-by-step guide to success</p>	<p>This presentation will provide a practical guide in obtaining letters probate and letters of administration. Lawyers attending this session will also benefit from advice and perspective of a Justice of the Probate Court of New Brunswick.  <b>Chair:</b> Adél Gönczi, McInnes Cooper, Moncton  <b>Speaker:</b> Justice Réginald Léger, Court of Queen's Bench of NB, Bathurst - Thomas Maillet - LeBlanc Maillet, Moncton</p>
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<p>How to Say "I'm sorry": A practical guide and critical review of apologies in Litigation and Dispute Resolution</p>	<p>This session will focus on the role of apologies in litigation and dispute resolution, and how to successfully incorporate apologies into your litigation practice. Most Anglophone countries have enacted legislation that provides some form of protection for apologies from being used as evidence of liability or denial of insurance coverage; only two Canadian provinces still haven't adopted such legislation, including New Brunswick. This session will include a critical review of apology legislation from various jurisdictions, the implications of apology legislation for litigation best practice, the basics of what makes for effective or ineffective apologies, and the role of counsel in helping clients to craft or negotiate apologies.  <b>Chair:</b> Moira Goodfellow - Office of Human Resources, Fredericton  <b>Speakers:</b> Kelly van Buskirk, Lawson Creamer, Saint John - Pamela Large-Moran, PLM Law / Conflict Resolution Services (CRS) Atlantic, Charlottetown</p>
<p>(SI) Cross Examination Skills that Everyone Needs con't</p>	<p>Continued...</p>

## EDUCATION SESSIONS

2:00 - 3:15

<p>(FRENCH) Come and try the new, approved breathalyser test: IntoxEC/IR II</p>	<p>This session deals with the functional and legal aspects of the use of approved breathalyser tests. IntoxEC/IR II, newly introduced to New Brunswick, is such a test. Jean-Claude Landry, from the RCMP's Forensic Laboratory in Halifax, will present an overview of the instrument. Participants may try it. Crown Prosecutor Pierre E. Gionet will detail legal issues involved in the introduction of evidence from these instruments, notably the constitutional challenge of recent amendments to the Criminal Code in R. v. Lamoureux (Supreme Court of Canada).  <b>Chair:</b> Pierre E. Gionet, Dept. of Justice, Tracadie-Sheila  <b>Speaker:</b> Jean Claude Landry, toxicologist, RCMP</p>
<p>Due Diligence in Commercial Transactions</p>	<p>Discusses due diligence fundamentals in both acquisition and lending transactions. Includes a discussion of common due diligence inquiries such as minute book reviews, review of material contracts, corporate searches, and other "off-title" searches.  <b>Chair:</b> Jeff Hoyt, McInnes Cooper, Saint John  <b>Speaker:</b> Scott M. Wilson, McInnes Cooper, Saint John</p>
<p>The Do's and Don'ts of Submitting Joint Recommendations</p>	<p>This session will provide criminal law practitioners with practical considerations when submitting to the court a joint recommendation on sentencing. The lawyers who attend this session will benefit from the advice and perspective of judges of the Provincial Court of New Brunswick, a Crown Prosecutor and a practicing member from New Brunswick Legal Aid Services Commission.  <b>Chair:</b> Judge Irwin Lampert - NB Provincial Court, Moncton  <b>Speakers:</b> Judge Steven M. Hutchinson, NB Provincial Court, Campbellton - John A. Henheffer, Dept. of Justice, Saint John - Margaret Gallagher, Legal Aid Services Commission, Saint John</p>
<p>(SI) Recent Developments in Administrative Law</p>	<p>A discussion of recent developments in Administrative Law: the aftermath of Dunsmuir (including the application of the "reasonableness" standard of review, the standard of review for interpreting the "home statute" and other questions of law; whether administrative appellate bodies are to apply standard of review analysis); adequacy of reasons; standing; and multiples forums.  <b>Chair:</b> Douglas A. M. Evans, Q.C., Cox &amp; Palmer, Saint John  <b>Speakers:</b> David P. Jones, Q.C., de Villars Jones, Edmonton  <b>Commentary:</b> Hon. Justice Joseph T. Robertson, Court of Appeal, Fredericton</p>

## Health Break

## EDUCATION SESSIONS

3:30 - 4:30

<p>(FRENCH) Mandatory Retirement</p>	<p>The speaker of this session will provide commentaries on mandatory retirement in the legal profession.  <b>Chair:</b> Danys M. Delaquis, Canty Lutz Delaquis Grant, Saint John  <b>Speaker:</b> Michel Décary, Q.C., Stikeman Elliott LLP, Montréal</p>
<p>Lawyer Wellness: from oxymoron to optimal living</p>	<p>This session will look at what wellness is and why lawyers should care about it; it will demonstrate why the pursuit of wellness and the practice of law don't have to be mutually exclusive experiences; and it will provide a creative action plan for lawyers interested in increasing their level of wellness and quality of life. Attendees of the session should be prepared to have some fun, but also to do some serious introspection about where they are on their personal wellness continuum—and where they'd like to be.  <b>Chair:</b> Alicia W. F. Love, Stewart McKelvey, Saint John  <b>Speaker:</b> Andy Clark, Chief Wellness Officer, Fredericton Family Chiropractic: A Creating Wellness Centre</p>
<p>Reading Financial Statements</p>	<p>A practice-oriented presentation geared towards providing legal practitioners with the necessary insights to understand the fundamentals of financial reporting, to communicate effectively with financial experts and to assess the reliability and relevance of financial statements in a litigation setting.  <b>Chair:</b> David G. O'Brien, Q.C., Barry Spalding, Saint John  <b>Speaker:</b> Jack M. Blackier - Barry Spalding, Saint John</p>
<p>(SI) Personal Property Security Legislation and Practice - Recent Developments and a Refresher on Key Topics</p>	<p>This session will explore recent developments in PPSA law and offers a refresher to practitioners regarding key PPSA topics.  <b>Chair:</b> Scott A. Brittain, City Solicitor's Office, City of Saint John  <b>Speakers:</b> Prof. Catherine A. Walsh, McGill University, Montréal - Lee C. Bell-Smith, Stewart McKelvey, Saint John</p>

## EDUCATION SESSIONS

9:00 - 10:15

(FRENCH) A Year in Review - Key Developments in Labour and Employment Law

This session will provide practitioners with an overview of recent case law developments in the areas of Labour and Employment Law in New Brunswick and in other Canadian jurisdictions over the course of the last 12 months.

**Chair:** Dany M. Delaquis, Canty Lutz Delaquis Grant, Saint John

**Speaker:** Sacha M. Morisset, Stewart McKelvey, Saint John

Small Claims and Rules 79 & 80

Rules 79 and 80 entitled "Simplified Proceedings" govern claims up to \$75,000 and \$25,000 respectively. These rules and recent caselaw will be reviewed. Practitioners will be provided with tips on how to reduce the time needed to prepare Affidavit evidence and the cost of proceeding to trial.

**Chair:** Maria G. Henheffer, Q.C., Barry Spalding, Saint John

**Speakers:** Tracey K. DeWare, Stewart McKelvey, Moncton - Bruce D. Grant, Canty Lutz Delaquis Grant, Saint John

Capacity and Power of Attorneys : A medical and Legal Perspective

In this session, various medical and legal aspects of capacity and power of attorneys will be discussed.

**Chair:** Marc-Antoine M. Chiasson, McInnes Cooper, Moncton

**Speakers:** Matthew M. Tweedie, Cox & Palmer, Fredericton - Dr. Michelle Conrod, Physician, The Moncton Hospital, Moncton

(SI) Family Law: Canvassing the Wishes of a Child

**Chair:** Brenda G. Noble, Q.C., Barry Spalding, Saint John

Discerning the wishes of the child in custody or access proceedings

**Chair:** Brenda G. Noble, Q.C., Barry Spalding, Saint John

**Speaker:** Nicholas Bala, Queen's University, Faculty of Law, Ontario

## Health Break

## EDUCATION SESSIONS

10:30 - 12:00

(FRENCH) Commercial Insolvency Issues

This session will explore several of the key issues that practitioners must address when dealing with commercial insolvency issues, provide an overview of various recent legislative changes and offer an update regarding recent case law developments.

**Chair:** Michel Arseneault, Barry Spalding, Saint John

**Speakers:** Anthony M. Richardson, McInnes Cooper, Fredericton - Daniel Rozon, Trustee in Bankruptcy, Grant Thornton

Canada Post and Random Drug and Alcohol Testing in the Workplace

This session will revisit the Canada Post strike of 2011 and the subsequent legislative action taken by the Federal Government, exploring key questions arising from these events. It will also explore the issue of random drug and alcohol testing in the workplace with reference to recent case law developments in New Brunswick and other Canadian jurisdictions.

**Chair:** Scott A. Brittain, City Solicitor's Office, City of Saint John

**Speakers:** Joël L. Michaud, Pink Larkin, Fredericton - William B. Goss, Q.C., Stewart McKelvey, Fredericton

Physiotherapy Assessments & Functional Capacity Evaluations

Two years post-accident, the debate in personal injury claims invariably centers on the Plaintiff's functional capacity. This session will provide practitioners with the necessary knowledge to interpret a Functional Capacity Assessment to determine whether a Plaintiff is disabled from employment. It will also provide an overview of objective testing done by physiotherapists and the terminology used to describe disabilities which affect a Plaintiff's ability to perform activities of daily living.

**Chair:** Brenda J. Lutz, Q.C., Canty Lutz Delaquis Grant, Saint John

**Speakers:** Christina F. Graves, B.Sc., (P.T.), Bay City Physiotherapy Clinic - Monica T. Kilpatrick, B.Sc. (P.T.), Fundy Physiotherapy Clinic

(SI) Family Law: Canvassing the Wishes of a Child

Comments from the Bench regarding Procedure in Family Division

**Speakers:** Justice Thomas E. Cyr, Court of Queen's Bench of NB, Edmundston - Justice Barbara L. Baird, Court of Queen's Bench of NB, Fredericton - Justice Colette d'Entremont, Court of Queen's Bench of NB, Moncton

Use of Calculation programs in Child and Spousal Support in New Brunswick

**Speaker:** Sheila J. Cameron, Actus Law, Moncton

## EDUCATION SESSIONS

2:00 - 3:15

(FRENCH) Complaints to the Law Society

This panel of the Complaints Committee and the Registrar will provide an overview of the complaints process and a snapshot of areas of risk and conduct that is sanctioned by the Complaints Committee. The Committee will provide an insight on how to avoid complaints.

**Chair:** Joël L. Michaud, Pink Larkin, Fredericton

**Speakers:** Mark Robere - Bouctouche - Norman J. Bossé, Q.C., McInnes Cooper, Saint John - Shirley MacLean, Law Society of NB, Fredericton - Gilles Bujold, Avocats Bujold Fiscalistes

Bankruptcy & Insolvency: Blockbuster Video

On May 20, 2010 Blockbuster Canada announced it would be seeking creditor protection for its 400 Canadian stores. Grant Thornton was appointed Receiver by the Ontario superior Court and spent the summer trying to find a buyer. Unsuccessful, in September, Grant Thornton applied to the Court for an Order to wind down the company's operations and liquidate its assets. There ultimately were no funds available for unsecured creditors and the company is now bankrupt. Tara Silliker will describe significant issues throughout the proceedings.

**Chair:** R. Gary Faloon, Q.C. - Gilbert McGloan Gillis, Saint John

**Speaker:** Tara Silliker C.A., C.I.R.P. - Grant Thornton, Saint John

Should N.B. Frack off?: A legal study of Shale Gas exploration

I. Technical aspects of the project, including an environmental profile of N.B.

II. Cases in other jurisdictions

III. Local jurisdiction and application of the Shale Gas case to legal practice in N.B.

**Chair:** Margaret A. Coffin Prowse, Coffin & Thompson, Barristers & Solicitors, Saint John

**Speakers:** Rebecca Butler, UNB Faculty of Law Student, Fredericton - Kathy Lewis, UNB Faculty of Law Student, Fredericton - John Bird, UNB Faculty of Law Student, Fredericton - Wayne Soloman, UNB Faculty of Law Student, Fredericton

### PUBLIC FORUM:

(SI) Municipal Government Reform in New Brunswick

This session will provide an informative discussion regarding municipal government reform in New Brunswick. With the Finn Report of 2008 and, more recently, the Minister's public consultations across New Brunswick, there will be no shortage of topics to explore.

**Chair:** Scott A. Brittain, City Solicitor's Office, City of Saint John

**Speakers:** The Honourable Bruce Fitch, Minister of Local Government - His Worship, Mayor Ivan Court, City of Saint John - Mr. Jean-Guy Finn, author of the Finn Report

## Health Break

## EDUCATION SESSIONS

3:30 - 4:30

(FRENCH) Clarity of legal text

The moderator will use model agreements and simple contracts to demonstrate common errors that produce ambiguities in legal texts. How do you ensure logic and continuity in a document? What rules must be respected for lists in vertical order? What is a zeugma? A few practical tips on these points will help you avoid numerous ambiguities in your texts.

**Chair:** David M. Brown, Lawson Creamer, Saint John

**Speaker:** Gisèle McIntyre-Thériault, Assistant Director, CTTJ, Moncton

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**Speakers:** Kent Robinson - Bingham Law, Moncton - Mark Robere - Bouctouche, Norman J. Bossé, Q.C., McInnes Cooper, Saint John - Shirley MacLean, Law Society of NB, Fredericton

Professional Corporations

Why a professional corporation? How to set up a professional corporation? What are the tax implications?

**Chair:** Douglas A. M. Evans, Q.C., Cox & Palmer, Saint John

**Speakers:** Craig Wilson, Cox & Palmer, Saint John - Michael A. Gillis, Cox & Palmer, Saint John

### PUBLIC FORUM: (cont'd)

(SI) Municipal Government Reform in New Brunswick

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