



## TAPS 2023 Seminar Schedule

Frisco Embassy Suites and Convention Center — September 27-29, 2023

Wednesday, September 27 Registration – Bass 8:00 am – 4:00 pm				
Frisco 1 100 persons	Frisco 2 100 persons	Frisco 3 50 persons	Frisco 4 50 persons	Frisco 5 60 persons
9:00 am – 10:00 am <b>Esther R. Donald</b> <b>Jill M. Spytman (Paralegal)</b> <b>The Paralegal as a Secret Weapon in a Collaborative Divorce</b> Family Law	9:00 am – 10:00 am <b>David Schenck</b> <b>Appellate Legal Writing – From Before and Behind the Bench</b> Civil Trial Law, Personal Injury Trial Law and Criminal Law	9:00 am – 10:00 am <b>Jason Hoggan</b> <b>Kate Rumsey</b> <b>White Collar Boot Camp – Introduction to World of White-Collar Crime</b> Criminal Law and Civil Trial Law	9:00 am – 10:00 am <b>Henry Talavera</b> <b>ERISA Basics</b> Civil Trial Law and Employment Law	9:00 am – 10:00 am <b>Tiffany Miller</b> <b>Law Office Practices, Remember the Basics</b> Family Law
10:15am – 11:15 am <b>Bill Mateja</b> <b>Jason Hoggan</b> <b>Kate Rumsey</b> <b>A Potpourri of the Latest/Greatest in the White Collar World</b> Criminal Law and Civil Trial Law	10:15am – 11:15 am <b>Alissa M. Castro</b> <b>Family Law Legislative Updates</b> Family Law	10:15am – 11:15 am <b>Tim Newsome</b> <b>Damages: Maximizing Non-Economic</b> Personal Injury Trial Law and Civil Trial Law	10:15am – 11:15 am <b>Paul Coggins</b> <b>Handling Grand Jury Demands</b> Criminal Law	10:15am – 11:15 am <b>Jacqueline “Jackie” Johnson</b> <b>Employment Law Basics</b> Civil Trial Law and Employment Law
Break 11:15 am – 11:30am	Break 11:15 am – 11:30am	Break 11:15 am – 11:30am	Break 11:15 am – 11:30am	Break 11:15 am – 11:30am

11:30 am – 12:30 pm <b>Larry Martin</b> <b>OMG – I Did Not Know That! Third Edition</b> Family Law	11:30 am – 12:30 pm <b>Geno Borchardt</b> <b>Understanding a Medical Malpractice Case Under Chapter 74 Texas Civil Practices and Remedies Code</b> Personal Injury Trial Law and Civil Trial Law	11:30 am – 12:30 pm <b>Jonathan Wharton</b> <b>General Negligence: Whoops, You Owe Me Some Money</b> Personal Injury Trial Law	11:30 am – 12:30 pm <b>Misty Ventura</b> <b>What Every Paralegal Needs to Know about Real Estate Entitlements and Incentives</b> Real Estate	11:30 am – 12:30 pm <b>Kenda Culpepper</b> <b>Trends in Criminal Prosecution</b> Criminal Law
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm Lunch – On Your Own	12:30 pm – 1:30 pm Lunch – On Your Own	12:30 pm – 1:30 pm Lunch – On Your Own	12:30 pm – 1:30 pm Lunch – On Your Own	12:30 pm – 1:30 pm Lunch – On Your Own
1:30 pm – 2:30 pm <b>Jeanee Kappell</b> <b>Catherine Floyd</b> <b>“Overview of the SEC</b> Civil Trial Law and Criminal	1:30 pm – 2:30 pm <b>Honorable Dennise Garcia and Natalie L. Webb</b> <b>The Hague Convention on International Child Abduction</b> Family Law	1:30 pm – 2:30 pm <b>Kathy Owen Brown</b> <b>The Preservation Challenge – Complex Ethical Issues in eDiscovery</b> Civil Trial Law, Personal Injury and Ethics	1:30 pm – 2:30 pm <b>Marissa Sandoval Rodriguez</b> <b>International Business Basics</b> Civil Trial Law, Employment Law and Immigration Law	1:30 pm – 2:30 pm <b>Max Bishop</b> <b>Beneficiary Designations - Doing it Right the First Time!</b> Estate Planning and Probate
2:45 pm – 3:45 pm <b>Jeanee Kappell</b> <b>Rich Robinson</b> <b>Modern Communications: Challenges in E-Discovery</b> Civil Trial Law, Personal Injury Trial Law, Family Law and Criminal	2:45 pm – 3:45 pm <b>Karri L. Bertrand</b> <b>Special Issues in Same Sex Custody Cases</b> Family Law	2:45 pm – 3:45 pm <b>Guy R. Rodgers</b> <b>How to Use a Financial Advisor in Your Practice</b> Family Law	2:45 pm – 3:45 pm <b>David Tomek</b> <b>Documenting and Conducting Non-Judicial Real Estate Foreclosure Sales and Deficiency Actions</b> Real Estate Law	2:45 pm – 3:45 pm <b>Chris Krupa Downs</b> <b>Basics of the Guardianship Process and Overview of Recent Law Changes</b> Estate Planning and Probate and Guardianship Law
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4:00 pm – 5:00 pm <b>Kathryn Flowers Samler</b> <b>Tips and Tricks for High Conflict Personalities and Personality Disorders</b> Family Law	4:00 pm – 5:00 pm <b>Mona Hosseing</b> <b>Lindsey Obenhaus</b> <b>Procedures on Subpoenaing 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Witnesses</b> Civil Trial Law and Family Law	4:00 pm – 5:00 pm <b>Jared Julian</b> <b>Mediation Preparation</b> Civil Trial Law, Family Law and Personal Injury Trial Law	4:00 pm – 5:00 pm <b>Abby Bochenek</b> <b>James McGehee</b> <b>Michaela Noble</b> <b>Pregnant Workers Fairness Act &amp; PUMP Act</b> Civil Trial Law and Employment Law	4:00 pm – 5:00 pm <b>Fred Adams</b> <b>Enforcement</b> Family Law
<b>Social - On-Site</b> <b>Frisco 1 and 2 Foyer – 200</b> <b>(5:15 pm – 6:45 pm)</b>	Social	Social	Social	Social
<b>Thursday, September 28</b> Registration – Bass 8:00 am – 4:00 pm				
<b>Exhibit Hall Open</b> 7:00 am – 1:30 pm  7:00 am – 9:00 am Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall Frisco 6	<b>Exhibit Hall Open</b> 7:00 am – 1:30 pm  7:00 am – 9:00 am Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall Frisco 6	<b>Exhibit Hall Open</b> 7:00 am – 1:30 pm  7:00 am – 9:00 am Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall Frisco 6	<b>Exhibit Hall Open</b> 7:00 am – 1:30 pm  7:00 am – 9:00 am Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall Frisco 6	<b>Exhibit Hall Open</b> 7:00 am – 1:30 pm  7:00 am – 9:00 am Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall Frisco 6
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9:00 am – 10:00 am <b>Andrew A. “Andy” Jones</b> <b>They Get What? The New, New Rules of Civil Procedure</b> Civil Trial Law and Personal Injury Trial Law	9:00 am – 10:00 am <b>Shelby Taylor</b> <b>2023 – Topics and Trends in Employment law</b> Civil Trial Law and Employment Law	9:00 am – 10:00 am <b>Isaac Shutt</b> <b>The Best Lessons from Celebrity Clients</b> Estate Planning and Probate	9:00 am – 10:00 am <b>Bill Stagle</b> <b>An Overview of Common Land Agreements.</b> Real Estate and Oil Gas and Mineral Law	9:00 am – 10:00 am <b>Katie L. Lewis</b> <b>Managing Client Expectations</b> Family Law

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11:00 am – 12:00 pm <b>Paulette Mueller and Elisa Reiter</b> <b>Grey Gardens: Planting Seeds, Plucking Flowers, Avoiding Thorns and Blowing Dandelions in Guardianship, Probate and Estate Cases</b> Estate Planning and Probate	11:00 am – 12:00 pm <b>Holly J. Draper</b> <b>Non-Parent Custody Litigation</b> Family Law	11:00 am – 12:00 pm <b>Rudolph “Rudy” Fink, IV</b> <b>What’s Going On in There? A Journey Inside the Federal Courts</b> Civil Trial Law and Personal Injury Trial Law	11:00 am – 12:00 pm <b>J. Brantley Saunders</b> <b>Skye Mileger</b> <b>Water, Gas, Electricity, Roads and “ED”</b> Real Estate Law, and Oil, Gas and Mineral Law	11:00 am – 12:00 pm <b>Tatiana Alexander</b> <b>Banking 101 &amp; Best Practices for Supporting the In-House Banking Attorney</b> Corporate and Civil Trial Law
12:00 noon – 1:30 pm Box Lunch Exhibit Hall Open VOLUNTEER LUNCH <b>VENDOR HALL CLOSSES 1:30 pm</b>	12:00 noon – 1:30 pm Box Lunch Exhibit Hall Open VOLUNTEER LUNCH <b>VENDOR HALL CLOSSES 1:30 pm</b>	12:00 noon – 1:30 pm Box Lunch Exhibit Hall Open VOLUNTEER LUNCH <b>VENDOR HALL CLOSSES 1:30 pm</b>	12:00 noon – 1:30 pm Box Lunch Exhibit Hall Open VOLUNTEER LUNCH <b>VENDOR HALL CLOSSES 1:30 pm</b>	12:00 noon – 1:30 pm Box Lunch Exhibit Hall Open VOLUNTEER LUNCH <b>VENDOR HALL CLOSSES 1:30 pm</b>
1:30 pm – 2:30 pm <b>Samuel B. Burke</b> <b>Causes of Action in Commercial Litigation (Part 1)</b> Civil Trial Law	1:30 pm – 2:30 pm <b>Wendy Weinman</b> <b>Supervised Visitation and Drug Testing</b> Family Law	1:30 pm – 2:30 pm <b>Javan Johnson and Panel</b> <b>TBLS Helpful Hints Live</b>	1:30 pm – 2:30 pm <b>Jas S. Braich</b> <b>Nuclear Verdicts/Nuclear Settlements</b> Civil Trial Law and Personal Injury Trial Law	1:30 pm – 2:30 pm <b>Lauren Whiting</b> <b>Cultivating a Respectful Workplace – Lessons from the Lizzo Lawsuit</b> Civil Trial Law and Employment Law
2:45 pm – 3:45 pm <b>Samuel B. Burke</b> <b>Defenses to Causes of Action in Commercial Litigation (Part 2)</b> Civil Trial Law	2:45 pm – 3:45 pm <b>Rob McAngus</b> <b>Unique Claims and Pleadings</b> Family Law	2:45 pm – 3:45 pm <b>Javan Johnson and Panel</b> <b>TBLS Helpful Hints Live</b>	2:45 pm – 3:45 pm <b>Judge Tiffany Haertling</b> <b>Criminal Issue in Family Law</b> Criminal Law and Family Law	2:45 pm – 3:45 pm <b>Heather Ulliman</b> <b>Caroline Rose</b> <b>How to Use Tech to Trick Your Attorney into Being More Efficient</b> All TBLS Areas

3:45 pm – 4:00 pm Frisco 1-2 Conference Center - Refreshment Break	3:45 pm – 4:00 pm Frisco 1-2 Conference Center Refreshment Break	3:45 pm – 4:00 pm Frisco 1-2 Conference Center Refreshment Break	3:45 pm – 4:00 pm Frisco 1-2 Conference Center Refreshment Break	3:45 pm – 4:00 pm Frisco 1-2 Conference Center Refreshment Break
4:00 pm – 5:00 pm <b>Rick Robertson</b> <b>Virtual Espionage – The Impact of Emerging Technology in your Case</b> Civil Trial Law, Family Law and Personal Injury Trial Law	4:00 pm – 5:00 pm <b>Judge Scott Becker</b> <b>Handling the High-Profile Divorce</b> Family Law	4:00 pm – 5:00 pm <b>Javan Johnson and Panel</b> <b>TBLS Helpful Hints Live</b>	4:00 pm – 5:00 pm <b>Michael Pegues</b> <b>Intellectual Property</b> IP Law	4:00 pm – 5:00 pm <b>Speaker TBD</b> <b>Real Estate Topic</b> Real Estate
<b>Social - 6:30 pm – 9:30 pm – Frisco 6 and 7 (On-Site Social)</b>	<b>Social</b>	<b>Social</b>	<b>Social</b>	<b>Social</b>
<b>Friday, September 29</b> Registration – Bass 8:00 am – 10:00 am	Speaker Sign-In – <b>Speaker Check In</b>  AV Storage – <b>Erudia</b>	<b>Speaker Ready Room – Bush</b>		
7:45 am – 8:45 am Continental Breakfast Frisco 1-2 Conference Center				
<b>Frisco 1</b> <b>100 persons</b>	<b>Frisco 3-4</b> <b>100 persons</b>			
8:15 – 9:00 am <b>SPECIAL SESSION</b> <b>Matt Darby</b> <b>“Bonus Points”</b> Learn all you Need to Know about becoming an Online Notary, the Statues, the correct forms and methods				

of identification and swearing in of person authenticating the documents. All TBLs Areas of Law				
9:15 am – 10:15 am <b>Carol Donovan</b> <b>Critical Communications</b> All TBLs Areas of Law	9:15 am – 10:15 am <b>Rockwall Bower</b> <b>Recent Trends. In</b> <b>eDiscovery</b> All TBLs Areas of Law			
10:30 am - 11:30 am <b>Michele M. Boerder</b> <b>Professionalism: Do You</b> <b>Have a Professional</b> <b>Persona?</b> All TBLs Areas of Law	10:30 am – 11:30 am <b>Christine Riddell Booker</b> <b>Dynamic Duos – Paralegals</b> <b>and Litigation Support/e-</b> <b>Discovery Vendors</b> Civil Trial Law, Personal Injury Trial Law and Family Law			
Frisco 2 250 persons  TAPS Final Luncheon				
11:45am – 1:30 pm Keynote speaker  <b>Laura Benitez Geisler</b> <b>Leading Your Legacy: The</b> <b>Power of Your Influence</b> All TBLs Areas of Law				