



ASSOCIATION OF DEFENSE COUNSEL  
OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA & NEVADA

# 65<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MEETING

DECEMBER 5-6, 2024 | WESTIN ST. FRANCIS

# INIT TO WIN IT



Keynote Speaker  
**JONNY MOSELEY**  
Olympic Gold Medal  
Freestyle Skier



# President's Welcome

It is my great honor and privilege to welcome you to the 65<sup>TH</sup> Annual Meeting of our esteemed organization. This milestone is a testament to the enduring strength, commitment, and collaboration that have defined our community for more than six decades.

As we celebrate 65 years of progress, we also reflect on our journey from a small group of visionaries to a thriving network of professionals dedicated to excellence and innovation.

Our theme this year, In It to Win It, embodies our shared vision for the future. Over the next few days, we will engage in discussions, share research, and explore emerging trends. I am confident you will find inspiration and make valuable connections.

A special thanks to our planning committee, speakers, sponsors, and volunteers for making this event possible. Your hard work ensures this meeting remains a leading platform for growth and learning.

Let's continue to embrace innovation and build on our legacy. Here's to a memorable 65<sup>TH</sup> Annual Meeting!



**Edward P. Tugade**  
ADCNCN 2024 President



# THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2024

| TIME                | TRACK A   | TRACK B   | TRACK C<br>Young Lawyers  |
|---------------------|---|---|---|
| 8:15 am – 8:30 am   | <b>Welcome and Annual Business Meeting</b>  |   |   |
| 8:30 am – 9:45 am   | <b>State of the Courts Update</b>   |   |   |
| 9:45 am – 10:00 am  | <b>Break – Colonial and Italian Rooms</b>   |   |   |
| 10:00 am – 12:00 pm | <b>The 2024 “Mike Brady Year in Review”</b>   |   |   |
| 12:00 pm – 1:45 pm  | <b>Luncheon – Keynote Speaker:<br/>Jonny Moseley, Olympic Gold Medal Freestyle Skier</b>              |   |   |
| 1:45 pm – 2:00 pm   | <b>Break – Colonial and Italian Rooms</b>   |   |   |
| 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm   | <b>Construction Seminar<br/>Look to the Future:<br/>Unlocking the Potential<br/>of New Technology</b> | <b>Expert Witnesses: Tips<br/>and Tricks from Expert<br/>Disclosure Through<br/>Depositions</b> | <b>Second Chairing Your<br/>First Trial:<br/>What You Need to Know<br/>to Best Support Your<br/>Lead Attorney</b> |
| 3:00 pm – 3:15 pm   | <b>Break – Colonial and Italian Rooms</b>   |   |   |
| 3:15 pm – 4:15 pm   | <b>Social Fitness: The Vital<br/>Role of Connectedness<br/>for Health and Happiness</b>               | <b>Navigating<br/>the Tripartite<br/>Relationship</b>   | <b>Deposition Land Mines:<br/>Dealing with Difficult<br/>Opposing Counsel</b>                                     |
| 4:15 pm – 4:30 pm   | <b>Break and Vendor Prizes – Colonial and Italian Rooms</b>   |   |   |
| 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm   | <b>Navigating the Uphill<br/>Battle of Warranty<br/>Defense in California</b>                         | <b>Emotional Demolition<br/>During Mediation and<br/>Strategies to Address</b>                  | <b>Mentorship Panel: Tips<br/>to Set Up a Successful<br/>Career – Ask Anything!</b>                               |
| 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm   | <b>President’s Reception – Grand Ballroom</b>   |   |   |

# FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2024

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|---------------------|--|
| 8:30 am – 9:30 am   | <b>Legislative Update with Mike Belote</b>                                   |
| 9:30 am – 10:00 am  | <b>Break / Raffle Drawings – Colonial and Italian Rooms / Grand Ballroom</b> |
| 10:00 am – 11:00 am | <b>AI Technology</b>   |
| 11:00 am – 11:15 am | <b>Break – Colonial and Italian Rooms</b>                                    |
| 11:15 am – 12:15 pm | <b>Jury Consultant</b>   |
| 12:15 pm            | <b>Adjourn</b>   |

# KEYNOTE SPEAKER



## Jonny Moseley, Olympic Gold Medal Freestyle Skier

Jonny Moseley is an Olympic and World Cup champion in mogul skiing and rated by *Ski Magazine* as one of the top ten most influential skiers of all time. At the Olympics in 1998, Jonny incorporated a snowboard-style grab into his 360° spin and earned a gold medal. His performance helped ignite a re-birth of the ski industry known as Freeskiing. He then challenged the US Ski Team to allow him to compete in professional

events and became the first skier to medal in both the X Games and the Olympics. In 2002 Jonny lobbied the International Skiing Federation (FIS) to allow him to perform a semi-inverted trick, the Dinner Roll, at the 2002 Olympics. Reluctantly, the FIS approved but the judges awarded him 4<sup>th</sup> place.

After the Games, Jonny hosted *Saturday Night Live* and began a career in TV hosting and sports commentating. He devotes most of his time to product development and marketing for the entities he partners with including Palisades Tahoe, Toyota, Topsy Elves, Peter Glenn Ski and Sports, K2 Skis, Liveview Technologies, and Warren Miller Entertainment.



# THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2024

7:15 am – 5:30 pm **Registration Open** Italian Room

7:15 am – 4:30 pm **Exhibitor Fair** Colonial and Italian Rooms

7:15 am – 8:30 am **Breakfast** Colonial and Italian Rooms

8:15 am – 8:30 am **Welcome and Annual Business Meeting** Grand Ballroom

Welcome to the 65<sup>th</sup> ADC Annual Meeting! We are pleased to welcome you to this milestone event, produced by Laura McHugh, Second Vice President and Annual Meeting Chair. Join us for the Annual Business Meeting with ADC President, Ed Tugade, where we'll conduct essential association business and hold elections for the 2025 officers and board members.



**Laura McHugh**  
*Duggan McHugh*



**Edward P. Tugade**  
*Demler Armstrong & Rowland, LLP*

8:30 am – 9:45 am **State of the Courts Update** Grand Ballroom

**(MCLE – 1.25 hours General credit)**

Please join us for a State of the Courts address with judges from San Francisco Superior Court, County of Sacramento, County of Contra Costa, Superior Court of Alameda County, and the County of Marin.



**Hon. Bunmi Awoniyi**  
*Sacramento Superior Court*



**Hon. Danielle Douglas**  
*Contra Costa Superior Court*



**Hon. Julie Emede**  
*Santa Clara Superior Court*



**Hon. Anne-Christine Massullo**  
*San Francisco Superior Court*



**Hon. James Reilly**  
*Alameda Superior Court*



**Hon. Andrew Sweet**  
*Marin Superior Court*

# THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2024

9:45 am – 10:00 am **Break** Colonial and Italian Rooms

10:00 am – 12:00 pm **The 2024 “Mike Brady Year in Review”** California West Room

**(MCLE – 2.0 hours General credit)**

Concerned you might have missed an important new precedent, whether in your practice area or in another vital to defense work? The ADCNCN has you covered with a comprehensive review of key legal developments. Join top attorneys as they lead insightful discussions in this must-attend program, ensuring you're up-to-date on the cases that matter most to your practice.



**Adrienne Duncan**  
*Clapp Moroney Vucinich  
Beeman + Scheley*



**Ashley Meyers**  
*Clapp Moroney Vucinich  
Beeman + Scheley*



**Cody Oldham**  
*Lewis, Brisbois,  
Bisgaard & Smith*



**Don Willenburg**  
*Gordon Rees Scully  
Mansukhani, LLP*

12:00 pm – 1:45 pm **Annual Luncheon with Keynote Speaker:** Grand Ballroom  
**Jonny Moseley, Olympic Gold Medal Freestyle Skier**

Jonny Moseley is an Olympic and World Cup champion in mogul skiing and rated by Ski Magazine as one of the top ten most influential skiers of all time. His innovative techniques and tricks changed the sport of freestyle skiing. Born in San Juan Puerto Rico and taking up skiing as a young child after moving to the San Francisco Bay Area, Jonny will share his stories about resilience, discipline and overcoming challenges, pushing boundaries, and achieving excellence. We are so excited to have Jonny share his stories about resilience, overcoming challenges, and achieving excellence.



1:45 pm – 2:00 pm **Break** Colonial and Italian Rooms

# THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2024

## Track A (MCLE – 1.0 hour General credit)

**2:00 pm – 3:00 pm Construction Seminar – Look to the Future: Unlocking the Potential of New Technology** California East Room

This session will feature a practical demonstration of new technology for use in investigation of claims, trial presentations, and litigation defense, including AI for Meeting and Deposition Summaries, Scene Scanning, and utilizing technology to challenge witness testimony re timelines, sequence of events and logistics of incident. We will discuss and show how you can use these new technologies in real life to conduct forensic investigation and litigation.



**Charles Fox, Ph.D.**  
*ESi*



**Jason Fries**  
*3D Forensics*



**Stephanie Riddell**  
*U.S. Legal Support*



**Ben Yeung**  
*Van De Poel, Levy,  
Thomas LLP*

## Track B (MCLE – 1.0 hour General credit)

**2:00 pm – 3:00 pm Expert Witnesses: Tips and Tricks from Expert Disclosure Through Depositions** California West Room

Managing expert witnesses effectively is crucial to the success of any case. This presentation provides practical guidance for attorneys on handling expert witnesses from expert disclosure through deposition, incorporating both plaintiff and defense perspectives, as well as the expert witness standpoint.



**Kim Levy**  
*Dolan Law Firm*



**John Hentschel**  
*Livingston Law Firm*

# THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2024

## Track C (MCLE – 1.0 hour General credit)

**2:00 pm – 3:00 pm Second Chairing Your First Trial: What You Need to Know to Best Support Your Lead Attorney** Georgian Room

Featuring seasoned trial attorneys Jim Sell, Esq. of Tyson Mendes and Crystal Van Der Putten, Esq. of Livingston Law, who will address what second chairing entails, including tasks like managing exhibits, taking notes, and handling procedural issues; key skills of being detailed, organized and effective communicators; the importance of being prepared for trial by knowing the case inside out, including key documents and witness statements; and creating a comprehensive trial calendar, to track deadlines for motions, witness lists and other critical documents.



**Jim Sell**  
*Tyson & Mendes*



**Crystal L. Van Der Putten**  
*Livingston Law Firm*

**3:00 pm – 3:15 pm Break** Colonial and Italian Rooms

## Track A (MCLE – 1.0 hour Wellness Competency credit)

**3:15 pm – 4:15 pm Social Fitness: The Vital Role of Connectedness for Health and Happiness** California East Room

Social fitness, like movement, sleep, and nutrition, is vital for health and longevity. Rooted in evolution, our need for social connection buffers against stress, enhances professional performance, and ensures total well-being. This session highlights the science-backed benefits of varied and balanced social interactions – from close ties to casual acquaintances – that build resilience and reduce burnout. For lawyers, adopting habits and mindsets that strengthen social fitness is essential in a profession defined by long hours, high-stakes cases, and intense client demands. While valuable in practice, traits like perfectionism, skepticism, and competitiveness can weigh against relationship-building. Learn to recognize and overcome the personal and professional costs of loneliness and disconnection.



**Jennifer Forester**  
*J Forester Consulting*

# THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2024

## Track B (MCLE – 1.0 hour General credit)

### 3:15 pm – 4:15 pm Navigating the Tripartite Relationship California West Room

An interactive discussion of the tripartite relationship, including relevant legal and practical considerations in managing the relationship between defense counsel, client, and insurer, from defense counsel's, coverage counsel's, and claims handling perspectives.



**John Cotter**  
*Diepenbrock & Cotter LLP*



**Nicholas Rasmussen**  
*McCormick Barstow LLP*



**Susan Quagliato**  
*Sedgwick*

## Track C (MCLE – 1.0 hour Civility credit)

### 3:15 pm – 4:15 pm Deposition Land Mines: Dealing with Difficult Opposing Counsel Georgian Room

This program is designed to equip young lawyers with effective strategies and techniques for managing difficult opposing counsel during depositions. Learn how to identify and counteract disruptive behaviors by opposing counsel, maintain composure, assert control, and ensure a fair and productive deposition process in compliance with legal and ethical standards. Hon. Victoria Wood (Ret. Napa County Superior Court and now with ADR Services, Inc.) will moderate and make rulings following entertaining skits based on real-life scenarios featuring an obnoxious, intimidating Plaintiff's attorney played by Rachel Leonard, Esq., a naïve, overwhelmed young defense lawyer played by Trevor Howard, Esq., and the deponent played by Cleve Collado, Esq.



**Cleve Collado**  
*Clapp Moroney Vucinich  
Beeman + Scheley*



**Trevor Howard**  
*Clapp Moroney Vucinich  
Beeman + Scheley*



**Rachel Leonard**  
*MG+M The Law Firm*



**Hon. Victoria Wood (Ret.)**  
*ADR Services, Inc.*

### 4:15 pm – 4:30 pm Break Colonial and Italian Rooms

# THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2024

## Track A (MCLE – 1.0 hour General credit)

### 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm Navigating the Uphill Battle of Warranty Defense in California California East Room

Austin Henderson and Leanna Vault will discuss defensive strategies for claims brought under the Song-Beverly Act and their approach to achieving meaningful resolution in cases brought by Los Angeles-based lemon law Plaintiff firms. They will discuss the increased volume of SB cases brought in California the last few years, the reasons for the increased filings, and what they are doing to navigate consumer-friendly jurisdictions. They will also discuss the anticipated changes to lemon law cases in California following the adoption of SB 1755 in 2025 and how it may modify the manufacturer's approach to these cases.



**Austin Henderson**  
*Bowman & Brooke LLP*



**Leanna Vault**  
*Bowman & Brooke LLP*

## Track B (MCLE – 1.0 hour General credit)

### 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm Emotional Demolition During Mediation and Strategies to Address California West Room

Have you ever had a client almost walk out of a mediation session? What about a client who bursts into tears or starts arguing with their spouse during mediation? How do you best deal with an opening multi-million dollar offer by plaintiff when your client views this as a nuisance value case? It is not uncommon for parties and attorneys to become emotional during mediation. Don't miss this important session with Hon. Judy Hersher (Ret. Sacramento County Superior Court and now with Judicate West) and moderator Ellen Arabian-Lee of Arabian-Lee Law Corporation, where you will learn tips and best practices for dealing with emotional problems and issues during mediation. This session will begin with an entertaining skit featuring some of your favorite ADCNCN members and you will have the opportunity to ask questions and share your real-life experiences.



**Hon. Judy Hersher (Ret.)**  
*Judicate West*



**Ellen Arabian-Lee**  
*Arabian-Lee Law Corporation*

# THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2024

## Track C (MCLE – 1.0 hour General credit)

**4:30 pm – 5:30 pm Mentorship Panel: Georgian Room**  
**Tips to Set Up a Successful Career-Ask Anything!**

Esteemed panelists include Hon. Patricia Lucas (Ret.), Noah Lebowitz, Esq., Marie Holvick, Esq., and ADCNCN Past President Nolan Armstrong, Esq. who will provide tips and traps Young Lawyers need to know for success, on topics including social media, understanding your audience (partners, senior attorneys and clients), easy marketing for young lawyers, the importance of quality work product, what your partners really want from their junior attorneys, and the importance of ethics, giving back to the community, and mentors. This session is intended to provide a safe environment for Young Lawyers where no question is dumb!



**Nolan Armstrong**  
*Signature Resolution*



**Marie Holvick**  
*Gordon Rees Scully  
Mansukhani, LLP*



**Noah D. Lebowitz**  
*Law Office of Noah D.  
Lebowitz*



**Hon. Patricia Lucas (Ret.)**  
*JAMS*

**5:30 pm – 7:30 pm President's Reception Grand Ballroom**



# FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2024

**7:30 am – 12:00 pm Registration Open Italian Room**

**7:30 am – 12:00 pm Exhibitor Fair Colonial and Italian Rooms**

**7:30 am – 8:30 am Breakfast Colonial and Italian Rooms**

**8:30 am – 9:30 am Legislative Update (MCLE – 1.0 hour General credit) Grand Ballroom**

Join us for a vital Legislative Update! Your ADC membership not only provides top-tier education but also ensures that you and your clients have a voice in government. Alongside the plaintiff personal injury bar, the ADC stands as the only other attorney group with influence in Sacramento, offering input on proposed changes to the Code of Civil Procedure and jury instructions. California Defense Counsel Legislative Advocate, Mike Belote, will guide you through recent and upcoming legislation impacting defense practices in California. Stay informed on the past year's key developments and gain insight into potential surprises on the horizon.



**Michael D. Belote**  
*California Advocates, Inc.*

**9:30 am – 9:45 am Break Colonial and Italian Rooms**

**9:45 am – 10:00 am Exhibitor Raffle Grand Ballroom**

**10:00 am – 11:00 am AI Technology (MCLE – 1.0 hour Technology credit) Grand Ballroom**

In an era where generative artificial intelligence (GAI) is reshaping every industry, the legal profession is no exception. Defense attorney Marshall Cole and Plaintiff's attorney Miles Cooper, both highly skilled trial lawyers and members of ABOTA, have stayed abreast of GAI and the profound impact it will have on our profession. They will discuss ABA Formal Opinion 512 (7/29/24) which provides critical guidance for attorneys incorporating GAI tools into their practice, including the ethical concerns and obligations that lawyers must consider to ensure compliance with the ABA Model Rules of Professional Conduct and California State Bar's Practical Guidance on the issue.



**Marshall Cole**  
*Nemecek & Cole, APC*



**Miles Cooper**  
*Coopers LLP*

# FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2024

11:00 am – 11:15 am Break

Colonial and Italian Rooms

11:15 am – 12:15 pm Jury Consultant (MCLE – 1.0 hour Ethics credit)

Grand Ballroom

We will conclude our program with a dynamic presentation by San Francisco-based trial consultant Richard Matthews. Kind of a “mythbuster” for widespread but often incorrect beliefs about jurors and jury selection, Rich combines research, psychology and artistic craft to create the best frames and themes for your case ... and get the best results from jurors or in settlement. His expertise includes separating jury issues from legal issues; crafting themes that will shape juror perception of a case; writing openings and closings like humans actually speak and in a story format that will bring your audience to your case (rather than the reverse); witness preparation; and all things related to jury selection from juror questionnaires and voir dire questions to exercising cause and peremptory challenges. Rich has appeared on national television and in major publications offering commentary on high profile trials and serves on California Bar’s Litigation Section’s committee for comment on proposed revisions to jury instructions.



**Richard Matthews**  
*Juryology*



This year, the ADC Annual Meeting will be supporting Toys For Tots.



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## REGISTRATION:

Pre-registration for the ADCNCN Annual Meeting is encouraged to ensure adequate meeting space and advance notice to registrants in the event of any program changes. Registration is accomplished online or by filling out and sending in the attached registration form with your check or credit card payment. The above registration fees cover single admission to all lectures, the President's Reception and the Annual Luncheon.

## REGISTERING GUESTS:

Each Registrant may bring one companion to Thursday evening's President's Reception at an additional cost of \$150 and one companion to the Annual Meeting Luncheon at an additional cost of \$125. Your companion(s) must be registered in advance. Those attending these events as companions may not be ADCNCN members.

## PHOTO/VIDEO DISCLAIMER:

By registering for and attending this conference, you agree that your image may be taken during the conference and used at any time, without further notification, for printed materials, websites, social media and other marketing purposes.

## PLEASE NOTE:

Tickets are not sent in advance. All tickets and program materials are distributed at the time of check-in. Name badges must be worn or presented at all functions.

## REFUND POLICY:

Due to our commitment to the hotel, any meeting registration cancellation and request for refund must be in writing and submitted to the ADCNCN office no later than November 25, 2024. A \$100 surcharge will be assessed to all cancellations received on or before November 25, 2024. ADCNCN Fax: (916) 924-7323 or e-mail: [adcncn@camgmt.com](mailto:adcncn@camgmt.com). No refunds will be made for cancellations received after November 25, 2024.

## HOTEL:

The Westin St. Francis is located at 335 Powell Street, San Francisco, CA 94102-1875; (415) 397-7000.

## ROOM RATES:

\$229 Single/Double  
(Hurry! This rate is good only until November 25, 2024.)  
For Room Reservations, call (415) 397-7000 or click [here](#).

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## MCLE Credit Information

This annual meeting has been approved for Minimum Continuing Legal Education credit by the State Bars of California and Nevada. The total available is 9.25 hours, including specialty credits sufficient to satisfy the California Triennial Specialty Credit Requirement for 1.0 hour of Civility, 1.0 hour of Ethics, 1.0 hour of Technology, and 1.0 hour of Wellness Competency.

Be sure to sign in for your MCLE credit in the Italian Room and retain your Certificate of Attendance.

## ADC PRESIDENT'S AWARD

This award, presented each year at the Annual Meeting Luncheon, acknowledges an individual who has provided exemplary service to the association, the profession, and the civil justice system.

### Past Recipients of ADC President's Award Include:

|   |   |
|---|---|
| 1987 Vernon Goodin                        | 2006 Raymond M. Coates                          |
| 1988 Claude H. Smart, Jr.                 | 2007 Peter O. Glaessner                         |
| 1989 Dudley Sheppard                      | 2008 Jeane Struck                               |
| 1990 Archie S. Robinson                   | 2009 Vincent B. McLorg<br>(posthumous)          |
| 1991 David B. Lynch                       | 2010 Patricia S. Tweedy                         |
| 1992 Edward J. McFetridge<br>(posthumous) | 2011 Melissa Blair Aliotti                      |
| 1993 Paul H. Cyril                        | 2012 David S. Rosenbaum                         |
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| 1996 Daniel F. Quinn                      | 2015 Keith D. Chidlaw                           |
| 1997 Michael J. Brady                     | 2016 Lois A. Lindstrom                          |
| 1998 Thomas F. Keating, Jr.               | 2017 Jill J. Lifter &<br>Jennifer Wilhelmi Diaz |
| 1999 Eugene J. Majeski                    | 2018 David A. Levy                              |
| 2000 Bruno D. Marraccini<br>(posthumous)  | 2019 Marie Trimble Holvick, Esq.                |
| 2001 Karl A. Keener                       | 2020 Julia Molander, Esq.                       |
| 2002 Steven H. Gurnee                     | 2021 Don Willenburg, Esq.                       |
| 2003 Jacquelyn K. Wilson                  | 2022 Sean Moriarty &<br>Lisa Costello           |
| 2004 Mark S. Adams                        | 2023 Michon Spinelli                            |
| 2005 Paul A. Brisso                       |   |

## NATHAN HOLT MEMORIAL "FRIEND OF THE ADC" AWARD

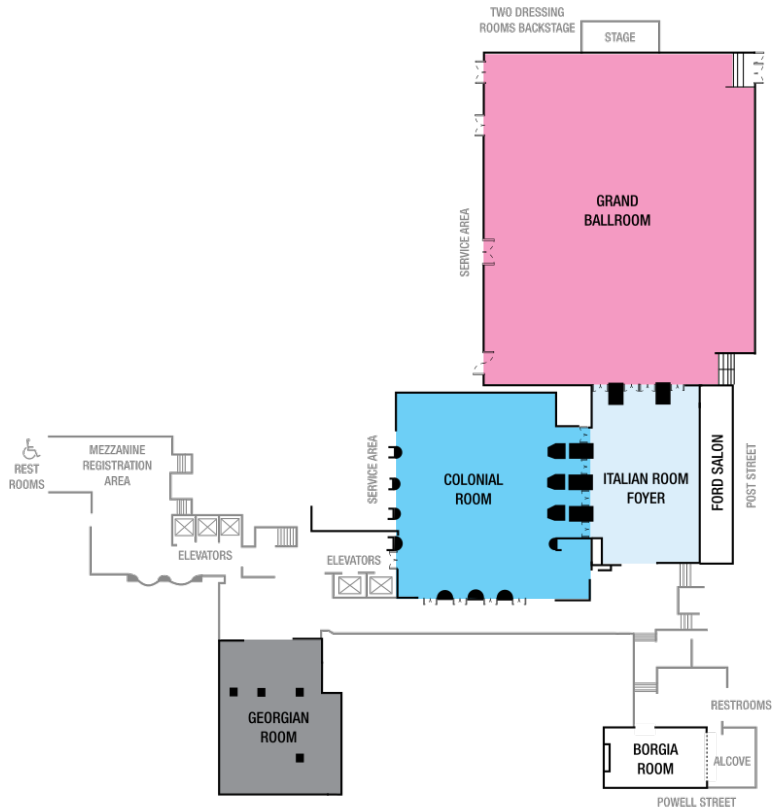
This award was established in 1999 to honor the memory of Nathan Holt, a claims representative with the California State Automobile Association, who was a longtime, ardent supporter of the ADCNCN and its ideals. The award is presented at the ADCNCN Annual Meeting Luncheon to acknowledge a non-member who has contributed significantly to the relationship between defense counsel and their clients and who has also helped to further the goals of the Association of Defense Counsel of Northern California and Nevada.

### Past recipients of the Nathan Holt Award include:

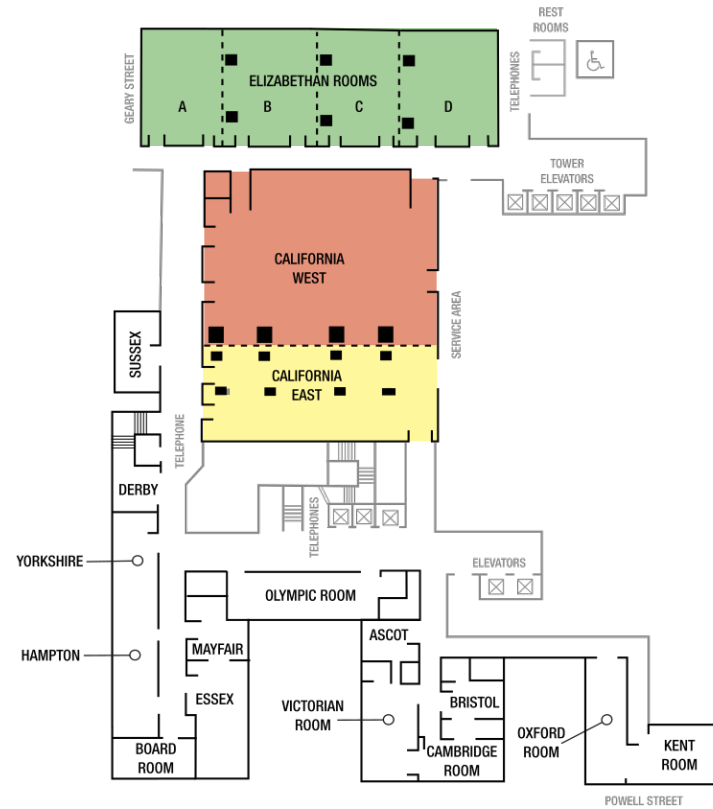
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| 1999 Nathan Holt<br>(posthumous)    | 2008 Steve Poulson         |
| 2002 Ringler Associates             | 2010 Lola Hogan            |
| 2003 Mike Brink                     | 2011 Vicki Campbell        |
| 2005 Patrick A. Long                | 2013 Stacey A. Jackson     |
| 2006 David Prescott<br>(posthumous) | 2014 Lawrence Green        |
| 2007 Sharon Wills                   | 2016 Ralph Woodard         |
|                                     | 2019 John C. Trimble, Esq. |

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## MEZZANINE FLOOR



## SECOND FLOOR



**Colonial Room**

**Grand Ballroom**

**Elizabethan Rooms**

**Georgian Room**

**Italian Room**

**California West**

**California East**

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| <b>REGISTRATION FEES:</b>                                       | on or before 11/15/24<br><b>EARLY</b> | 11/16/24 – 12/4/24<br><b>REGULAR</b> | after 12/5/24<br><b>ON-SITE</b> |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> ADCNCN Members                         | \$575                                 | \$625                                | \$655                           |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Member Attorneys                   | \$895                                 | \$895                                | \$895                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Young Lawyer Member*                   | \$495                                 | \$545                                | \$595                           |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Companion (President's Reception Only) | N/A                                   | \$150                                | N/A                             |
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\* In practice 5 years or less.

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