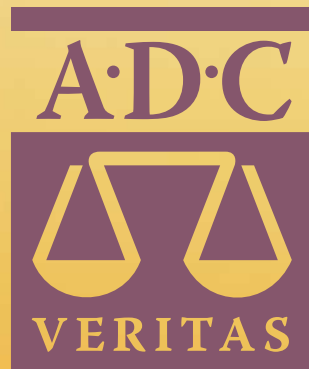




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FRIDAY, AUGUST 14, 2026

12:00 pm – 4:00 pm **Registration & Exhibits Open**

1:00 pm – **Voir Dire [1.25 General MCLE]**

2:15 pm Chris Beeman of Clapp Moroney and Rich Schoenburger of Walkup Melodia are teaming up with Andrew Walker of Cogent Legal to present on Voir Dire strategies to help you pick your best jury.

- Christopher J. Beeman, Esq.,
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- Richard H. Schoenberger, Esq., *Walkup Media*
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2:15 pm – 2:30 pm **Break**

2:30 pm – **Ethics Landscape: Bar Reporting, the Snitch Rule, and ADR Obligations [1.0 Ethics MCLE]**

3:30 pm Andrew Westley (Signature Resolution), Judge Davidian (Ret.) (JAMS), and Erin Joyce (ARC) will examine the new and evolving ABA Formal Opinion 518, confidentiality and ethical considerations in mediation, the intersection of civility and “zealous advocacy,” and the evolving implications of the State Bar’s Client Trust Account Protection Program (CTAPP).

- Andrew Westley, Esq., *Signature Resolution*
- Hon. Benjamin Davidian (Ret.), *JAMS*
- Erin Joyce, Esq., *Erin Joyce Law, PC*

3:30 pm – 3:45 pm **Break**

3:45 pm – **Life Care Plan Presentation [1.25 General MCLE]**

5:00 pm David Frankenberger, Esq., (Tyson & Mendes) and Miranda Van Horn, RN, BSN, CLCP, will present on the topic of plaintiff Life Care Plans, including a discussion on recent trends and strategies for defending Life Care Plans, as well as a review of recent case law.

- David Frankenberger, Esq., *Tyson & Mendes*
- Miranda Van Horn, RN, BSN, CLCP,
Life Care Planner, Olzack Healthcare Consulting, Inc.



5:00 pm – **Welcome Cocktail Reception**
6:00 pm Guests welcome.



SATURDAY, AUGUST 15, 2026

7:30 am – 12:00 pm **Registration & Exhibits Open**

8:00 am – 9:00 am **Women in the Law Breakfast**

9:00 am – **AI for Defense Attorneys: What Works, What Doesn't, and What's Risky [1.0 Ethics MCLE]**

10:00 am Lisa Costello, Esq. and Trevor Hickey, Esq. (Koyama & Costello), will provide a presentation on Artificial Intelligence in the legal field, including guidance for practical, day-to-day use, tips for prompting and maximizing results, and pitfalls to avoid. The discussion will also touch upon ethical handling of AI in law firms and monitoring staff use.

- Lisa Costello, Esq., *Koyama & Costello*
- Trevor Hickey, Esq., *Koyama & Costello*

10:00 am – 10:15 am **Break**

10:15 am – **A Mediator's Perspective on Emerging Trends in Mediation from SoCal to NorCal [1.5 General MCLE]**

11:45 am This presentation will focus on complex negotiation tactics and modern trends in mediating claims, addressing issues like dealing with lien-based treatment bills as a hurdle to resolution and providing a claimant-side perspective to aid in preparation for mediation and achieving settlement.

- Nolan Armstrong, Esq., *Signature Resolution*
- Debra Bogaards, Esq., *ADR Services, Inc.*

11:45 am **End of Session**

