



Navigating the County Courts

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Lantz Welch Education Center,
KCMBA Headquarters,
1125 Grand Blvd., Suite 400,
Kansas City, MO 64106



Seminar Information

Registration: 1:15 p.m. Seminar: 1:30 to 5:05 p.m.
4.0 CLE Hours in Missouri and Kansas (pending)
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1:15 p.m. Registration
Moderator: Emily Haverkamp, The Mdivani Law Firm, LLC

1:30 p.m. **Knowing Your Mates and How to Work Together: Advice from the Clerks of Courts**
Area county court and law clerks will discuss differences among the county courts, best practices for filing with their court, pet peeves and other practical advice for navigating the courts. They will also answer any burning questions attorneys may have.
Erin Malashock, Law Clerk to Hon. John R. O'Malley, Jackson County
Kelly Sue Elliott, Circuit Clerk, Cass County
Sandra Horseman, Supervising Court Clerk, Platte County

2:20 p.m. **Checking the Log: Acquisition of Court Records**
Mary Ann McClure will discuss the most effective use of CaseNet to acquire civil and criminal records. Bring your own laptop for hands-on instruction. Mary Ann will also discuss situations that may present unique challenges in surrounding counties in Missouri and Kansas.
Mary Ann McClure, 16th Judicial Circuit District Department of Civil Records

3:10 p.m. Break

3:25 p.m. **Charting Your Course for Smooth Sailing: Advice from Practitioners**
A panel of experienced attorneys who practice in different courts and areas of law will share their experiences working with the county courts. They will provide valuable advice on communicating with court personnel, court room do's and don'ts, working with opposing counsel, and lessons learned.
Kevin Harrell, Deputy Jackson County Prosecutor
Laurence R. Tucker, Armstrong Teasdale LLP (Civil)
Andrea M. Welch, Welch, Martin & Albano LLC (Criminal/Traffic)
Larry D. Wright, Law Offices of LD Wright LLC (Family)

5:05 p.m. Adjourn

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