

YLD TRIAL PRACTICE SERIES 2012 Taking and Defending Effective Depositions April 26, 2012 Nashville, TN

Program Description: You can't win a trial at deposition, but you certainly can lose one. This CLE is designed to avoid that outcome by addressing basic and intermediate deposition techniques in general personal injury cases. Attendees will hear from experienced litigators – both from the plaintiff and defense perspective – who will discuss key components of the deposition process.

<u>Agenda</u>

8:00 - 8:30am	Registration
8:30 - 9:00am	Introduction and an overview of Applicable Tennessee and Federal Rules of Civil Procedure Mary Beth Haltom; Lewis, King, Krieg & Waldrop, P.C. Will Helou; MGLAW PLLC
9:00 - 10:00am	Preparing and Taking a Plaintiff's Deposition in a Personal Injury Case, use of exhibits at depositions, and witness/party attendance at depositions. Tom Wiseman; Wiseman Ashworth Law Group
10:00 - 11:00am	Preparing the Client for a Deposition, makings objections at depositions, and defending the client in a deposition Daniel Clayton; Kinnard Clayton & Beveridge
11:00 - 11:15am	Break
11:15 - 12:00pm	Words of Wisdom on hypothetical deposition situations. Tom Wiseman; Wiseman Ashworth Law Group Daniel Clayton; Kinnard Clayton & Beveridge
12:00 - 1:00pm	Lunch (On Your Own)
1:00 - 2:00pm	The Rule 30(b) Witness: Preparing, Taking, and Defending and all things in between. Gino Bulso; Leader, Bulso & Nolan, PLC
2:00 - 3:00pm	The Expert Deposition: Preparing, Taking, and Defending and all things in between. Bob Chapski; Lewis, King, Krieg & Waldrop, P.C.
3:00 - 3:15pm	Question & Answer with Bulso and Chapski
3:15 - 3:30pm	Break
3:30 - 4:30pm	Panel Discussion on Dealing with Difficult Counsel in Depositions. Gino Bulso; Leader, Bulso & Nolan, PLC Bob Chapski; Lewis, King, Krieg & Waldrop, P.C. Will Helou; MGLAW PLLC Mary Beth Haltom; Lewis, King, Krieg & Waldrop, P.C.