



YLD TRIAL PRACTICE SERIES 2012
Taking and Defending Effective Depositions
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Memphis, 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.

Agenda

8:00 – 8:30am	Registration
8:30 – 9:00am	Introduction and an overview of Applicable Tennessee and Federal Rules of Civil Procedure <i>Nic Vescovo; Baker Donelson Bearman Caldwell & Berkowitz PC</i>
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. <i>Jeff Rosenblum; Rosenblum & Reisman</i>
10:00 – 11:00am	Preparing the Client for a Deposition, making objections at depositions, and defending the client in a deposition <i>Russell E. Reviere; Rainey, Kizer, Reviere & Bell, PLC</i>
11:00 – 11:15am	Break
11:15 – 12:00pm	Words of Wisdom on hypothetical deposition situations. <i>Nic Vescovo; Baker Donelson Bearman Caldwell & Berkowitz PC</i> <i>Jeff Rosenblum; Rosenblum & Reisman</i> <i>Russell E. Reviere; Rainey, Kizer, Reviere & Bell, PLC</i>
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. <i>Chris Vescovo; Thomason Hendrix</i>
2:00 – 3:00pm	The Expert Deposition: Preparing, Taking, and Defending and all things in between. <i>Les Jones; Burch, Porter & Johnson PLLC</i>
3:00 – 3:15pm	Question & Answer with Vescovo and Jones
3:15 – 3:30pm	Break
3:30 – 4:30pm	Panel Discussion on Dealing with Difficult Counsel in Depositions.