



2023 Annual Meeting

March 10-12, 2023
Loews Coronado Bay Resort | San Diego, CA

Friday, March 10

8:00am - 4:30pm	Registration Open <i>Britannia + Cambria Room - Second Floor</i>
1:00pm - 1:15pm	President's Welcome: Meeting the Moment! David Tenner, ACAN President Randi Ilyse Roth, ACAN President-Elect
1:15pm - 2:30pm	Meeting the Moment of the Trump Case: How Court-Appointed Neutrals Can Work Effectively and Ethically with Journalists to Develop Professionally and Promote the Profession Megan Braverman, Principal, Berbay Marketing & PR Amanda Bronstad, ALM/Law.com Staff Reporter William Marimow, Fund for Investigative Journalism Facilitated by: Douglas Brush, ACAN Fellow
2:30pm - 2:45pm	Sponsor Spotlight: Epiq "What Do I Do" <i>presented by Cecilia Flores Rueda</i>
2:45pm - 3:00pm	Break
3:00pm - 4:15pm	Meeting the Moment of the Flint Water Case: with Hon. Judith Levy (E.D. Mich.), Presiding Judge, speaking with ACAN Treasurer Deborah Greenspan
5:30pm - 7:00pm	Welcome Reception <i>Citrus Garden - Outdoors</i>
7:00pm - 9:00pm	Annual Dinner: New Fellow Induction, Recognition of New Members, Awards Presentation, Sponsor Recognition <i>Avalon Ballroom - Second Floor</i> Keynote Presentation by Hon. J. Michelle Childs (D.C. Cir.), President-Elect of the Federal Judges Association; Past Chair ABA Judicial Division and National Conference of Federal Trial Judges
9:00pm	After-Hours Networking <i>Cays Lounge Bar - Loews Lobby</i>

Saturday, March 11

8:00am - 5:00pm	Registration Open <i>Britannia + Cambria Room - Second Floor</i>
8:00am - 9:00am	Continental Breakfast - <i>sponsored by JND</i> <i>Commodore A - First Floor</i>
9:00am - 10:15am	Meeting the Moment in San Diego & Southern California: How Can Court-Appointed Neutrals Help Hon. Randa Trapp (ret.), JAMS San Diego, CA Hon. Rupert Byrdsong (LA Cty. Super. Ct.), Immediate Past President, California Judges Association Julie Park, Managing Partner, San Diego Office, Morrison & Foerster Facilitated by: Janice Sperow, ACAN Member; Former President, National Association of Women Lawyers
10:15am - 10:30am	Sponsor Spotlight: Huntington National Bank “What Do I Do?” <i>presented by Kassi Burns</i>
10:30am - 10:45am	Break
10:45am - 11:45am	Meet the Moment with Hon. Kristen Mix (USMJ D. Col.), Immediate Past President, Federal Magistrate Judges Association, speaking with ACAN Annual Meeting Chair J. Gregory Whitehair
11:45am - 12:00pm	Sponsor Spotlight: Milestone “What Do I Do?” <i>presented by Michele Fuller</i>
12:00pm - 1:30pm	Networking Lunch - <i>sponsored by Rubris</i> <i>Commodore A - First Floor</i>
1:30pm - 2:30pm	Meeting the Moment: ACAN Partners Discuss Collaboration and Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Hon. Toni Clarke, President, National Association of Women Judges; Past Chair, ABA Judicial Division Hon. Stephanie Domitrovich, Ph.D (ret.), Past Chair, National Conference of State Trial Judges Joy D. Lyngar, President, National Association of State Judicial Educators; Provost, National Judicial College Ana Sambold, Chair-Elect, ABA Section of Dispute Resolution Facilitated by: Merril Hirsh, ACAN Executive Director
2:30pm - 2:45pm	Break

2:45pm - 3:45pm	Meeting the Moment: The MDL Bankruptcy Escape Hatch Hon. R. David Proctor (N.D. Ala.) Anne Andrews, Managing Partner, Newport Beach Office, Andrews & Thornton James L. Patton Jr., Chair Emeritus, Young Conway Stargatt & Taylor Deborah Greenspan, ACAN Treasurer Facilitated by: Edgar C. Gentle III, ACAN Past-President
3:45pm - 4:00pm	“What Do I Do?” <i>presented by Harrie Samaras and Sidney Kanazawa</i>
4:00pm - 4:45pm	Meeting the Moment: The Role of Court-Appointed Neutrals in Building Public Trust and Confidence in the Judiciary Hon. Jeremy Fogel (N.D. Cal.) (ret.), Director, Berkeley Judicial Institute; Former Director, Federal Judicial Center Facilitated by: Susan McDonald, ACAN Member
5:30pm - 9:00pm	An Evening in Coronado - <i>sponsored by Western Alliance Bank & LitPRO</i> Join us for a beautiful evening at the historic Hotel del Coronado. Start your evening by enjoying a tour of The Hotel del Coronado followed by a reception on the beach filled with cozy firepits, beach games and delicious food. Transportation will be provided. <i>Busses will depart the Loews hotel from out front of the lobby at 5:30pm and 5:45pm. Busses will depart the reception every half hour from 7:30pm - 9:00pm to return to the Loews.</i>

Sunday, March 12

8:00am - 11:30am	Registration Open <i>Britannia + Cambria Room - Second Floor</i>
8:00am - 9:00am	Continental Breakfast <i>Commodore A - First Floor</i>
9:00am - 10:00am	Meeting the Problems of the Moment: Real Life Solutions for Court-Appointed Discovery Neutrals David Tenner, ACAN President J. Gregory Whitehair, ACAN Annual Meeting Chair

10:00am - 11:00am	Meeting the Moment: Professional Standards and a Professional Identity: A Chance to Comment on ACAN's Upcoming Statement of Professional Standards Randi Ilyse Roth, ACAN President-Elect Merril Hirsh, ACAN Executive Director
11:00am - 11:15am	ACAN Annual Business Meeting: Announcement of 2023-2024 Officers and Board of Directors
11:15am	Adjourn
6:00pm	Dine Arounds <i>Blue Water Grill - 1701 Strand Way, Coronado, CA 92118</i>

Access supporting documents and presentations
using the QR Code below.

