



Make your plans to join us from June 9-12 for the 55th GDLA Annual Meeting at Hammock Beach Resort in Palm Coast, Florida! Earn 6 hours of CLE during the Friday and Saturday educational program, and network with your friends and colleagues at various social events.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

We'll kick off Thursday with our traditional Welcome, Y'all Reception sponsored by **BAY Mediation & Arbitration Services**.

We'll kick off the CLE program, planned by **President Dart Meadows**, on Friday morning with a presentation by **Jay Reeves**, author of *The Most Powerful Attorney in the World: Stories from Your Law Life* (find it on Amazon). Following are the other speakers and topics for Friday and Saturday:

- Defending the Catastrophic Damages Case - **Jim Hollis and Jena Lombard**, Balch & Bingham
- Uninsured Motorist Cases - **Kevan Dorsey**, Swift Currie
- Effective Use of PowerPoint for Trial - **Matt Moffett**, Gray Rust St. Amand Moffett & Brieske
- The Importance of Typography - **Jace Williams**, Balch & Bingham
- Apportionment Update - **Chris Perniciaro**, Gray Rust St. Amand Moffett & Brieske
- Legislative Action Committee Report - **Jake Daly**, Freeman Mathis & Gary; **Marty Levinson**, Hawkins Parnell & Young; and **Kade Cullefer** (GDLA lobbyist), Troutman Pepper Strategies
- Professionalism: A View from The Bench - **Judge Sara Doyle**, Court of Appeals of Georgia
- Human Factors in Accident Reconstruction - **Chris Stewart**, PE, Senior Engineer, J.S. Held
- Millennials and Gen Z Jurors: To Strick or Not? - **Maithilee Pathak**, R&D Strategic Solutions

Friday evening is the traditional President's Reception, where we'll pay special tribute to the memory of **President George Hall**, who passed away shortly after being sworn-in last year. George's family will join us.

Friday and Saturday afternoons we'll have a hospitality area poolside thanks to sponsors **ESi** and **Collision Specialists, Inc.** That evening we'll say farewell at the Closing Reception and Dinner, sponsored by **FORCON**, featuring a casual oceanfront gathering.

REGISTRATION – Register [here](#)

This year's registration fee* is the same since 2014 and is tiered as set forth below:

- Young Lawyers, age 36 or under - covers member + one spouse/guest:
 - \$495.00: early bird postmarked before May 6
 - \$595.00: postmarked May 7 or later
- All other GDLA members - covers member + one spouse/guest:
 - \$595.00: early bird postmarked before May 6
 - \$695.00: postmarked May 7 or later

ACCOMMODATIONS

Our room block at Hammock Beach Resort is sold out. Please email [Jennifer Ward](#) to be put on a waiting list. You may also want to book alternative accommodations at the [Marriott](#) and [Hilton](#)..

*The registration fee includes Thursday's Welcome, Y'all Reception; Friday's President's Reception; and Saturday's Closing Dinner for two (GDLA member and one spouse/guest). It also includes CLE credits and breakfast both days for the GDLA member. The forthcoming e-brochure will include pricing for additional guests to attend social functions. REGISTRATION CANCELLATION POLICY: A full refund of the registration fee will be given for cancellation requests received in writing by May 25. NO REFUNDS after May 26.