

GDLA's 5th ANNUAL

# PRE-TRIAL DISCOVERY & DEPOSITION BOOT CAMP

OCTOBER 2-3

STATE BAR  
HEADQUARTERS

TWENTY-FOURTEEN



Georgia Defense  
Lawyers Association  
Advancing the Civil Defense Bar®

The Georgia Defense Lawyers Association (GDLA) presents the 5th Annual Pre-Trial Discovery & Deposition Boot Camp. This CLE seminar is a "must do" for every lawyer serious about improving his/her litigation skills.

This workshop combines lectures and demonstrations from an expert faculty with practical exercises to learn and apply skills critical for effectively taking and defending witness, expert and party depositions. You should attend this seminar if:

1. You are newly licensed and want to develop an effective litigation practice.
2. You are engaged in a litigation practice and feel you have not perfected your trial preparation skills through effective use of depositions.
3. You have questions regarding ethical issues that may arise before and during depositions.

**13 CLE HOURS | 1 ETHICS | 1 PROFESSIONALISM | 6 TRIAL**

**LOCATION:** State Bar Headquarters | Third Floor Conference Center | 104 Marietta St. NW | Atlanta GA 30303

## PLEASE PRINT/TYPE

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name for badge: \_\_\_\_\_

Firm: \_\_\_\_\_

Bar #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### REGISTRATION FEE:

**\$265 GDLA Members**  
**\$315 GDLA Non-Members\***

\*Non-member defense lawyers who apply for GDLA membership along with their CLE registration can pay the Members' Rate. Visit [gdla.org](http://gdla.org) for an application. The application fee is waived for those admitted to their first bar after July 2, 2009.

Make check payable to GDLA and mail with this form to:  
GDLA, Attn: Boot Camp  
P.O. Box 191074, Atlanta GA 31119-1074

CANCELLATIONS: Refunds available less \$25 handling fee before Sept. 25. DISABILITY: If you have a disability that may affect your participation, please contact the GDLA at 404.816.9455 so accommodations can be made.

**REGISTER**

**2 OCTOBER****DAY ONE**

7:30 - 8:00 am	Registration & Continental Breakfast
8:00 - 8:05 am	Welcome <i>C. Jason Willcox, Program Chair Moore Clarke DuVall &amp; Rodgers</i>
8:05 - 8:30 am	Planning Discovery and Deposition Basics: Strategy & Issues in Written Discovery and Identifying Deponents <i>Andy Treese, Program Vice-chair McCain Allen &amp; O'Mahoney</i>
8:30 - 9:15 am	Using Documents and Creating Exhibits in Deposition <i>C. Jason Willcox</i>
9:15 - 10:35 am	Breakout: Written Discovery (RFA, INT & RPD); Prepare Plaintiff and Defendant Depo Outlines
10:35 - 10:45 am	BREAK
10:45 - 11:20 am	Questioning the Deponent: Plaintiff and Witness <i>Erica L. Morton, Hicks Casey &amp; Foster</i>
11:20 am - 12:20 pm	Breakout: Deposition of Plaintiff Margaret Morton
12:20 - 1:20 pm	LUNCH – Professionalism Keynote Address Featuring: <i>Judge Alvin T. Wong, DeKalb State Court</i>
1:20 - 2:00 pm	Surveillance Evidence: Is Impeachment Dead in Georgia? <i>Jeffrey S. Ward, Drew Eckl &amp; Farnham</i>
2:00 - 3:15 pm	Breakout: Deposition of Officer Carswell
3:15 - 3:30 pm	BREAK
3:30 - 4:30 pm	Ethical Considerations in Depositions <i>Anandhi S. Rajan, Swift Currie McGhee &amp; Hiers</i>
4:30 - 5:00 pm	Panel Discussion, War Stories, and Questions & Answers
5:00 - 6:00 pm	Beer & Wine Networking Reception

**3 OCTOBER****DAY TWO**

7:30 - 8:00 am	Continental Breakfast
8:00 - 8:15 am	Introduction to the Day's Program <i>C. Jason Willcox, Program Chair Moore Clarke DuVall &amp; Rodgers</i>
8:15 - 9:00 am	Preparing for Motion for Summary Judgment through Depositions <i>T. Peter Allen II, Martin Snow</i>
9:00 - 10:00 am	Preparing Your Witness <i>Wayne S. Melnick Freeman Mathis &amp; Gary</i>
10:00-11:00 am	Breakout of Bob King or Erin Epps
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Defending the Deposition <i>Curtis J. Martin II, Miller &amp; Martin</i>
12:00 -12:15 pm	BREAK
12:15 - 1:15 pm	LUNCH – How the Other Side Sees Us <i>Special Guest: S. Lester Tate, III Akin &amp; Tate   State Bar Past President</i>
1:15 - 2:15 pm	Breakout: Deposition of Defendant Clark
2:15 - 2:45 pm	Knowing the Deponent Through Social Media <i>Ashley Rice, Waldon Adelman Castilla Hiestand &amp; Prout</i>
2:45 - 3:00 pm	BREAK
3:00 - 3:45 pm	BREAKOUT – Depo of Witness of Your Choice
3:45 - 4:00 pm	Video Deposition of Donald Trump <i>Jessica Sabbath King &amp; Spalding</i>
4:00 - 4:30 pm	Panel Discussion, War Stories, and Questions & Answers

Registration fee includes CLE credits, breakfast and lunch both days, plus the beer & wine reception.

