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Sent: Monday, February 15, 2021 12:35 PM EST
To: AO Records <records@americanoversight.org>
CC: Jett Conn <connj@flcourts.org>
Subject: Public records request - Florida Supreme Court - American Oversight

EXTERNAL SENDER

Good morning Katie,

We have successfully processed your payment for the public records request.

You may access the responsive records at the following address through any web browser: <ftp://199.242.69.15>

Please login with the following account and password when prompted:

Username: gencouncil

Password: G\$F!le27

Please let me know if you have any difficulty accessing the documents.

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- Social security numbers: Fla. R. Jud. Admin 2.420(c)(7), (8); § 119.071(5)(a)5., Fla. Stat.
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Sincerely,

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Stephen N. Zack](#)
Subject: Accepted: (12pm) Call Re: Topics and Format

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: [Cruz, Edgar A - \(FLA\)](#)
Subject: Accepted: 3DCA Phase 3 - OAC Meeting

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)

To: [Bach, Lara](#)

Subject: Accepted: The Florida Bar Practicing with Professionalism Judicial Panel (Chief Justice Canady, Justice Lagoa, and Justice Lawson)

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Georgia Franklin](#); [Debbie Nable](#)
Bcc: [REDACTED] [andbarbara\[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](#)
Subject: Change of Address for Barbara Lagoa
Date: Tuesday, November 19, 2019 12:47:32 PM

Good afternoon Georgia and Debbie,

I recently moved to a new house in Miami. My new address is [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Please update my records to reflect my new address.

Thank you so much for your assistance.

Best regards,

Justice Lagoa

Sent from my iPad

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: [Cruz, Edgar A - \(FLA\)](#)
Subject: Declined: 3DCA Phase 3 - OAC Meeting

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: knutting@lawgical.com
Subject: Declined: Updated invitation: Interview with Legal Talk Network at Florida Bar Annual C... @ Wed Jun 26, 2019 3:30pm - 4pm (EDT) (lagoab@flcourts.org)

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: FW: HNBF Judicial Leadership Award
Date: Tuesday, May 28, 2019 1:17:00 PM

Need airline tickets and hotel.. Let's discuss. BL

From: Brenda Williams
Sent: Tuesday, May 28, 2019 12:55 PM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: FW: HNBF Judicial Leadership Award

Sent calendar invite earlier, but wanted to forward Ms. Khan's e-mail as well.

Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: Aleesha Khan <aleesha.khan@hnbfb.org>
Sent: Tuesday, May 28, 2019 12:16 PM
To: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: HNBF Judicial Leadership Award

Hi Brenda,
I hope you had an enjoyable long weekend.
I am following up to ask if Justice Lagoa will accept the Hispanic National Bar Foundation's invitation to be our 2019 Judicial Leadership Awardee.

Last year's recipient was California Supreme Court Justice Mariano Florentino Cuéllar. I would be happy to answer any questions that Justice Lagoa may have about the event and the HNBF.

We look forward to Justice Lagoa's response. As our event is coming up on July 25 at the Ritz Carlton in Washington, D.C., we are making preparations for our event and sending out invitations - if you are able to let us know soon, it would be greatly appreciated.

Many thanks on behalf of HNBF President Jorge Mestre and our Board of Directors.

Best,
Aleesha

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Aleesha Khan
Co-Executive Director
Hispanic National Bar Foundation

aleesha.khan@hnbfb.org
<https://hnbfb.org/>

On Mon, May 20, 2019 at 2:41 PM Brenda Williams [REDACTED] wrote:

Okay, thank you.

Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: Aleesha Khan <aleesha.khan@hnbfb.org>
Sent: Monday, May 20, 2019 2:41 PM
To: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: HNBF Judicial Leadership Award

Yes - the HNBF can cover her travel expenses and accommodation at the Ritz Carlton in Washington DC.

On Mon, May 20, 2019 at 2:39 PM Brenda Williams [REDACTED] wrote:

Aleesha, I will be able to review this request with J. Lagoa later this week.
Will her travel expenses be covered?

Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: Aleesha Khan <aleesha.khan@hnbfb.org>
Sent: Monday, May 20, 2019 2:35 PM
To: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: HNBF Judicial Leadership Award

Hi Brenda, as discussed please see the email below with details on the Hispanic National Bar Foundation's awards dinner July 25 in Washington DC. Please do let us know if Justice Lagoa is able to attend and accept the award!

Thank you,
Aleesha

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Aleesha Khan
Co-Executive Director
Hispanic National Bar Foundation
aleesha.khan@hnbf.org
<https://hnbf.org/>

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Jamie Coter** <jamie.cotera@hnbf.org>
Date: Mon, May 20, 2019 at 2:25 PM
Subject: HNBF Judicial Leadership Award
To: Aleesha Khan <aleesha.khan@hnbf.org>

Dear Justice Lagoa,

On behalf of the Hispanic National Bar Foundation's Board of Directors, and our president, Jorge Mestre, we would like to invite you to accept our HNBF Judicial Leadership Award.

I wanted to confirm that you're available to accept the award at our dinner on July 25, 2019 at the Ritz-Carlton, Washington, D.C. (located at 1150 22nd Street, N.W.).

You can find more information about our Future Latino Leaders Summer Law Institute in the attached brochure and on our website: www.hnbf.org. You can specifically find information about the dinner and past awardees here: <https://hnbf.org/programs-partnerships/annual-awards-dinner/>

Our Future Latino Leaders Class of 2019 will be in attendance at the dinner, and we know you will be an inspiration to them, given that you embody all of the qualities and characteristics of the type of leader that we strive for our students to become.

Please do not hesitate to reach out with any questions. We look forward to honoring you at our event!

All the best,

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Jamie Coter
Co-Executive Director
Hispanic National Bar Foundation
www.hnbf.org

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Aleesha Khan
Co-Executive Director
Hispanic National Bar Foundation
aleesha.khan@hnbf.org
<https://hnbf.org/>

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: tlagoa@outlook.com
Subject: FW: Investiture
Date: Friday, May 10, 2019 10:10:00 AM

-----Original Message-----

From: Craig Waters
Sent: Friday, May 10, 2019 9:27 AM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <tlagoab@flcourts.org>
Cc: Tricia Knox [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Investiture

Yes, it will be on the Florida Channel provided nothing happens to preempt it. Our broadcast information page has details:

<https://www.floridasupremecourt.org/Oral-Arguments/Oral-Argument-Broadcasts>

Craig Waters

-----Original Message-----

From: Justice Barbara Lagoa
Sent: Friday, May 10, 2019 9:22 AM
To: Craig Waters [REDACTED]
Subject: Investiture

Craig,

Is this ceremony going to be televised on the Florida Channel ?

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Gmail](#)
Subject: FW: Photos
Date: Wednesday, April 3, 2019 5:32:00 PM
Attachments: [Lagoa-Informal \(001\).jpg](#)
[Lagoa-Formal Robe.jpg](#)

Please see formal and informal photos. Will send you photos from Jenny Ruiz.

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: 2019 Legislature Opening Day
Date: Thursday, February 28, 2019 1:19:13 PM

FYI

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Silvester Dawson <[REDACTED]>
Date: February 28, 2019 at 12:34:29 PM EST
To: SC-JUSTICES [REDACTED]
Cc: JAs [REDACTED], Ferman Richardson [REDACTED],
Woodrow Kerce <[REDACTED]>, Robert Smith <smithr@flcourts.org>,
Sarah Naf Biehl <nafs@flcourts.org>
Subject: 2019 Legislature Opening Day

Although the full itinerary is forthcoming, please be aware of the following departure times concerning the 2019 Legislature Opening Day events, Tuesday, March 5th:

Justices:

9:10 A.M. --- **Meet in the Supreme Court rotunda for departure to holding room:** [Chief Justice Canady, Justice Polston, Justice Labarga, Justice Lawson, Justice Lagoa, Justice Luck, and Justice Muñiz] will depart from the **Supreme Court rotunda** to House Room #420 [lobby area conference/robing room].

Gallery Guests:

10:30 A.M. --- **House Joint Session Gallery guests** will meet in the **Supreme Court rotunda** and depart to the House Gallery. Marshal Dawson will secure gallery passes and deliver them to Deputy Marshal Robert Smith. Deputy Marshal Smith will meet, escort, and remain with guests in the House gallery. Then, he will escort guests back to the rotunda at the conclusion of the Governor's state of the state speech.

*Silvester Dawson
Marshal
Supreme Court of Florida
500 South Duval Street
Tallahassee, FL 32399
Office: (850) 488-8845*

Fax: (850) 921-2775

Email: [REDACTED]



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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Debbie Nable](#)
Bcc: [REDACTED] [andbarbara\[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](#)
Subject: Fwd: Automatic reply: Last Day
Date: Friday, December 6, 2019 1:43:17 PM

Debbie,

I see that Georgia is away. Please see my email below and let me know what paperwork I need to fill out.

Thank you,

Barbara Lagoa

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Georgia Franklin <franklig@flcourts.org>
Date: December 6, 2019 at 10:54:49 AM EST
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Automatic reply: Last Day

Hello,

Thank you for your message. I am currently away from the office through 12/17/19. I will respond to you upon my return. If you need immediate assistance, please contact the main number at (850) 487-0778 or contact Debbie Nable at (850) 488-3708.

Thank you.

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: dcaldas@aol.com
Subject: Fwd: Confirmation info
Date: Tuesday, June 4, 2019 10:39:41 AM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Desi,

See below to confirm the hotel room for the Bar. The confirmation number is below. Thanks
Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Date: June 4, 2019 at 10:38:18 AM EDT
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: FW: Confirmation info

Judge,

I just received this e-mail from Rosalyn. Desi Johnson needs to phone the hotel to provide credit card information to guarantee the room. (561) 447-3000

Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: Scott, Rosalyn <rscott@floridabar.org>
Sent: Tuesday, June 4, 2019 9:17 AM
To: Brenda William [REDACTED]
Subject: Confirmation info

Good Morning,

If you haven't already, please call the hotel and guarantee the reservation with a credit card. Thank you!

GUEST NAME	CONFIRMATION	ROOM TYPE	RATE	DEPOSIT	BILLING	ARRIVAL	DEPARTURE
JOHNSON/DESI	3503708810	TOWER WATERVIEW	\$209.00	\$0.00	N	6/26/2019	6/28/2019

Rosalyn A. Scott
Assistant to the President
651 East Jefferson Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2300
850-561-5759
rscott@floridabar.org



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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: Dinner following JJ. Luck & Muñiz investiture
Date: Wednesday, August 21, 2019 10:00:28 AM

See below

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Shannon Hudson" [REDACTED]
To: "Justice Barbara Lagoa" <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Dinner following JJ. Luck & Muñiz investiture

See the below invitation from J. Luck. Spouses welcome.

From: Betsy Johansen [REDACTED] >
Sent: Wednesday, August 21, 2019 8:52 AM
To: Jessica Outlaw [REDACTED];
Tamara Adkins [REDACTED] B.J.
Vickers [REDACTED]; Deborah
Riddell [REDACTED]; Brooke Conlan
[REDACTED]; Shannon Hudson
Cc: Justice Robert Luck <luckr@flcourts.org<<mailto:luckr@flcourts.org>>>
Subject: Dinner following the investiture (Tues., Sept. 24)

Justice Luck would like to invite the justices to a dinner he is hosting following the investiture and a brunch the next morning. The dinner will be at 6:00 at the University Club, and the brunch will be at 9:00 the next morning at his home. Please pass along this invitation to your justice.

Thank you,
Betsy

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: prints@birthtoblacktie.com
Subject: Fwd: Draft Investiture Invitation w/Supreme Court Seal
Date: Monday, April 8, 2019 8:26:05 PM
Attachments: [Draft Investiture Invitation.docx](#)
[ATT00001.htm](#)

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Brenda Williams [REDACTED] >
Date: April 4, 2019 at 4:01:01 PM EDT
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Draft Investiture Invitation w/Supreme Court Seal

Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: prints@birthtoblacktie.com
Subject: Fwd: Justice Perry's Address
Date: Thursday, May 2, 2019 10:55:05 AM

Elvia, I need another envelope and I need to Fed Ex this invitation.

Paul told me that you have extra envelopes.

Thanks,

Barbara
Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Date: May 2, 2019 at 10:43:35 AM EDT
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Justice Perry's Address

The Honorable and Mrs. James E.C. Perry

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: prints@birthtoblacktie.com
Subject: Fwd: Seal for Invitations
Date: Wednesday, April 10, 2019 9:28:34 AM
Attachments: [SCSEAL \(002\).TIF](#)

Elvia,

Does this work ?

Let me know.

Thanks,

Barbara

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Date: April 10, 2019 at 8:59:22 AM EDT
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: RE: Seal for Invitations

Yes, it was sent as an attachment.

Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: Justice Barbara Lagoa
Sent: Wednesday, April 10, 2019 8:51 AM
To: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: Seal for Invitations

Can it be sent as an attachment ?

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 10, 2019, at 8:41 AM, Brenda Williams [REDACTED] wrote:

Judge, please see attached seal from PIO office. Thanks.

Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: Justice Barbara Lagoa
Sent: Tuesday, April 9, 2019 4:03 PM
To: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Subject: Seal for Invitations

Brenda,

I spoke to the person I am working with on the invitations. Can you send us the seal in an attachment and also can the seal be at least 300 dpi (dots per inch) ? Maybe Gage can help you.

Thanks,

BL

<SCSEAL (002).TIF>



From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: prints@birthtoblacktie.com
Subject: Fwd: Supreme Court Seal
Date: Monday, April 8, 2019 8:26:25 PM

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Date: April 4, 2019 at 2:29:44 PM EDT
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Supreme Court Seal

Here is the seal. Just have to click on it to copy/paste it. Thanks.



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Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: Women of Distinction Event Wednesday 3/20
Date: Tuesday, March 12, 2019 10:39:22 AM

See below

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Date: March 12, 2019 at 10:13:03 AM EDT
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Women of Distinction Event Wednesday 3/20

Justice Lagoa, I have this event on your calendar for 3/20 with a question mark. I am confirming that you are planning to be here for Conference and not attending, correct? Thanks.

Join hundreds of judges, attorneys, in-house counsel, and corporate executives at the Women of Distinction Judicial Reception.

About this Event

The annual **Women of Distinction Gala** honors the role of women judges & lawyers in the community. Attended by an audience of hundreds of judge & attorneys, the program has become the largest of its kind in the Florida.

Wednesday, March 20

Cocktail Reception begins at 6 PM

Dinner & program to follow

Lifetime Achievement Award:

Hilarie Bass - Immediate Past President of the American Bar Association

Hon. Lenore Nesbitt Federal Judicial Award:

Judge Patricia Seitz - Southern District of Florida

Hon. Rosemary Barkett Award for Judicial Excellence:

Justice Barbara Lagoa - Florida Supreme Court

10-30 Year Practice Award:

Jennifer Altman - Pillsbury Wintrop Shaw Pittman
Deborah Baker - Greenspoon Marder LLP
Ardith Bronson - DLA Piper
Nina Greene - Genovese Joblove & Battista
Karen Josefsberg Ladis - Dade Legal Aid
Melba Pearson - ACLU of Florida
Effie Silva - Associate General Counsel, Tyson Foods, Inc.
Government Service Award:
Liesbeth Boots - Office of the Public Defender
Rising Star Award:
Marianne Curtis - Berger Singerman
Marbely Hernandez - Office of the State Attorney
Rochelle Wimbush - Ver Ploeg and Lumpkin PA
10-30 Year of Practice Award (Chair: Dolly Hernandez)
Federal Judge Award (Chair: Sherril Colombo)
Government Service Award (Chair: Katie Phang)
Host Committee (Chair: Hon. Tanya Brinkley)
Lifetime Achievement Award (Chairs: Hon. Abby Cynamon & Hon. Samantha Ruiz-Cohen)
Rising Star Award (Chair: Amber Kornreich)
State Judge Award (Chair: Alice Sum)
If you are interested in serving on the Award Selection Committee for one of the above committees, kindly email ASum@fowler-white.com.

Date And Time

Wed, March 20, 2019

6:00 PM – 8:30 PM EDT

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Location

Rusty Pelican Miami Restaurant

3201 Rickenbacker Causeway

Key Biscayne, FL 33149

Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: Drh17d@my.fsu.edu
Subject: Internship
Date: Wednesday, March 20, 2019 5:23:00 PM

Deborah,

Thank you for your email and for sharing the photo that we took at the FAWL event. Would you mind sending me the contact information for the FSU externship coordinator ? Additionally, please send me your transcript and a writing sample. Please forward them to my attention.

Congratulations on your award and it was my pleasure to meet you.

Best regards,

Justice Lagoa

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Gmail](#)
Subject: Interview of Justice Barbara Lagoa_Final (1)
Date: Wednesday, March 27, 2019 3:26:16 PM
Attachments: [Interview of Justice Barbara Lagoa_Final \(1\).docx](#)

Rachel,

Attached please find my edited document. I made some stylistic changes and corrected Hilarie's name and the Third District Court of Appeal. Hilarie only has one "l" and the Third DCA is without an "s" in Appeal.

I have asked Jenny to send me the photos.

Please let me know if you cannot open the edited document.

Many thanks on writing such a nice article.

All the best,

Justice Lagoa

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Gmail](#)
Bcc: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
Subject: Interview of Justice Barbara Lagoa_Final (1)
Date: Wednesday, March 27, 2019 3:25:00 PM
Attachments: [Interview of Justice Barbara Lagoa_Final \(1\).docx](#)

Rachel,

Attached please find my edited document. I made some stylistic changes and corrected Hilarie's name and the Third District Court of Appeal. Hilarie only has one "l" and the Third DCA is without an "s" in Appeal.

I have asked Jenny to send me the photos.

Please let me know if you cannot open the edited document.

Many thanks on writing such a nice article.

All the best,

Justice Lagoa

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: Chaz.lecocq@gmail.com
Subject: Interview with Justice Lagoa
Date: Thursday, March 28, 2019 5:47:26 PM

Mr. LeCocq,

I have reviewed your resume and would like to interview you for a Staff Attorney (Law Clerk) position in my Chambers. Please let me know if you are available for an interview either tomorrow or next week.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Justice Lagoa

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: Chaz.lecocq@gmail.com
Bcc: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
Subject: Interview with Justice Lagoa
Date: Thursday, March 28, 2019 5:47:00 PM

Mr. LeCocq,

I have reviewed your resume and would like to interview you for a Staff Attorney (Law Clerk) position in my Chambers. Please let me know if you are available for an interview either tomorrow or next week.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Justice Lagoa

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Investiture Alpha and Non-Alpha as of 05-08-19.xlsx
Date: Thursday, May 9, 2019 11:10:00 PM
Attachments: [Investiture Alpha and Non-Alpha as of 05-08-19.xlsx](#)

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: jennifer.ruiz@csklegal.com; jennifer.v.ruiz@gmail.com
Subject: Investiture Alpha and Row Assignment.xlsx
Date: Sunday, May 12, 2019 3:24:00 PM
Attachments: [Investiture Alpha and Row Assignment.xlsx](#)
[ATT00001.txt](#)

Here is our Alpha List. W is for Well

From: [Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Barbara](#); [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
Subject: Investiture Attendees - Alpha - Deleting Cope and Kise - Adding Smachetti
Date: Wednesday, May 8, 2019 1:53:18 PM
Attachments: [Investiture Attendees - Alpha.xlsx](#)

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: prints@birthtoblacktie.com
Subject: Investiture Attendees 2 - Nonalpha.xlsx
Date: Tuesday, May 7, 2019 2:54:00 PM
Attachments: [Investiture Attendees 2 - Nonalpha.xlsx](#)

Elvia,

Here are the names for the name cards. I would like the largest size which was the 3 1/2 by 5.

The cards for the rows should read ROW 1A, ROW 1B. There are 8 rows.

Let me know if you have any issues opening

Thanks,

Barbara

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Georgia Franklin](#)
Bcc: [\[REDACTED\] andbarbara \[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](#)
Subject: Last Day
Date: Friday, December 6, 2019 10:54:49 AM

Good morning Georgia,

This is to advise you that my last day as a Justice is today, December 6, 2019. Let me know what paperwork I need to fill out.

Thank you for your assistance,

Barbara Lagoa
Sent from my iPad

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: KATE@edisonally.com
Subject: May 10 event
Date: Wednesday, April 24, 2019 6:08:48 PM

Kate,

I would like to speak about catering an cocktail/buffet dinner on May 10 following my Investiture ceremony.

Could you please call or text me at [REDACTED] ? I apologize for sending you so may emails but since I have so many out of town guests coming I need to let them know what the plans are for Friday evening.

Thank you,

Barbara Lagoa

Sent from my iPad

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Billie J. Blaine](#)
Cc: [April Veilleux](#)
Bcc: [REDACTED] [andbarbara\[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](#)
Subject: Need some dictionary definitions
Date: Friday, November 15, 2019 10:41:06 AM

Good morning Billie,

Could you obtain for me the definitions for the following words: “importance”, “public”, “public importance” (this one may be hard to find), and “great” ?

If possible, can you get the definitions from the following dictionary:

American Heritage Dictionary of the English Language, 2d edition 1980

Black’s Law Dictionary, 5th edition, 1981.

Thank you for your assistance,

Justice Lagoa

Sent from my iPad

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Gmail](#)
Subject: Photos
Date: Wednesday, April 3, 2019 5:30:00 PM
Attachments: [Lagoa-Informal \(001\).jpg](#)
[Lagoa-Formal Robe.jpg](#)

Please see formal and informal photos. Will send you photos from Jenny Ruiz.

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [John Tomasino](#)
Bcc: [\[REDACTED\]ndbarbara\[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](#)
Subject: Question
Date: Monday, September 9, 2019 10:35:45 AM

John,

Can you tell me how many cases I have participated in since joining the FSC ? How many resulted in written opinions and percentage wise what was the breakdown between civil and criminal ?

Thanks

Barbara

Sent from my iPhone

From: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief
To: "Greco, John A."
Subject: RE:
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:23:03 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Thank you so much for your well wishes.

From: Greco, John A. [mailto:jagreco@miamigov.com]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 12:44 PM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject:

Judge,
Congratulations on your appointment!

John A. Greco, Deputy City Attorney



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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Kate Biel](#)
Subject: RE: 05.10.19 Investiture Dinner @ The Edison
Date: Tuesday, April 30, 2019 10:57:00 AM

Great. See you then.

From: Kate Biel <kate@edisonally.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2019 10:54 AM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Re: 05.10.19 Investiture Dinner @ The Edison

Hi Barbara, 1:00pm is perfect! See you then.

The Edison 470 Suwannee Street

Kate Biel
Director of Catering and Private Events
The Edison
Tallahassee, Florida
www.edisonally.com

On Apr 29, 2019, 2:35 PM -0400, Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>, wrote:

I will be in Tallahassee tomorrow. What time can we meet tomorrow?

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 29, 2019, at 2:29 PM, Kate Biel <kate@edisonally.com> wrote:

Hi Barbara,
I have attached an event order to get us started! This proposal featuring a dinner buffet for 60 guests in Innovation Hall. The menu includes a chicken option, filet of beef, as well as salmon. Bread service, tea and water served at each seat. The bar will be consumption, meaning you will receive a bill at the end including everything that was ordered. This will be closed out to the card on file. I will be able to circle back with you tomorrow with an updated wine list for you to select bottled wine. Please let me know if you would like me to make any changes, I have also attached our private event packet for you to look over.

Ready to Book?

Please review the attached Catering and Private Events Agreement and menu proposal and feel free to contact me if you have any questions. If the attached menu proposal meets with your approval, and you are ready to move forward, please sign and return the agreement to me at your earliest convenience. Please note, the space and reservation is not held until the Catering and Private Events Agreement has been returned to us along with half the total amount due as deposit. Final guest count and payment in full is required two weeks prior to the event.

Kate Biel
Director of Catering and Private Events
The Edison

Tallahassee, Florida

www.edisontally.com<<http://www.edisontally.com/>>

On Apr 24, 2019, 6:03 PM -0400, [REDACTED] andbarbara [REDACTED]@gmail.com, wrote:

Kate,

We would be putting drinks on our tab. Let me know if you need additional information to draw up a quote.

Many thanks,

[REDACTED]

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 22, 2019, at 3:36 PM, Kate Biel

<kate@edisontally.com<<mailto:kate@edisontally.com>>> wrote:

Hi Barbara,

Thank you for the email, I would love to get this all set up for you. Hosting an investiture ceremony is such a honor! How many guests are you anticipating? Will you be providing drinks on your tab, or will this be separate tabs? I have attached some information on our space & menus, please have a look and let me know what you have in mind and Ill bounce a quote back for you to consider.

Kate Biel

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On Apr 20, 2019, 12:38 PM -0400, Barbara Lagoa

[REDACTED] andbarbara [REDACTED]@gmail.com<[mailto:\[REDACTED\] andbarbara \[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](mailto:[REDACTED] andbarbara [REDACTED]@gmail.com)>>, wrote:

Good afternoon,

A friend of mine recommended your venue for a catered event. My name is Barbara Lagoa and I have an Investiture ceremony on Friday, May 10, 2019, in Tallahassee. I have many out of town guests coming for the ceremony, and I am looking to host a cocktail and dinner for these guests starting after 6 p.m. . I will be in Tallahassee next week, and was hoping we could meet assuming of course that you have availability on May 10, 2019. My cell is

[REDACTED], and my email is

[REDACTED] andbarbara [REDACTED]@gmail.com<[mailto:\[REDACTED\] andbarbara \[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](mailto:[REDACTED] andbarbara [REDACTED]@gmail.com)>.

Thank you for your assistance.

Best regards,

Barbara Lagoa

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<05.10.19 Barbara Lagoa- Dinner in Innovation.pdf>

<Catering and Private Events Contract.pdf>

<The Edison Catering & Events Menu.pdf>

<Innovation Hall.jpg>

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["Linda Wells"](#)
Subject: RE: Appointment
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 2:55:48 PM

Linda,

Thank you so much. It means the world to me that you are in Argentina and are sending me congratulations.

Hope you are having a marvelous time. Let's get together soon when you return.

All the best,

Barbara

-----Original Message-----

From: Linda Wells [<mailto:linda@wellsrw.com>]
Sent: Thursday, January 10, 2019 9:38 AM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Appointment

Justice Lagoa,

From the very bottom of Argentina, I send congratulations on your appointment. Well done and well selected.

Linda

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Stephen N. Zack](#); [Jordan Dresnick](#); [Judge K. Michael Moore](#); [BERTILA SOTO](#); [Laurel Isicoff](#); [Justice Robert Luck](#); [B.J. Vickers](#)
Cc: [Carmen Washenko](#)
Subject: RE: Bench & Bar
Date: Friday, January 25, 2019 12:37:00 PM

Steve,

Thank you for reaching out to the panel members. I am available on the following proposed dates: Feb. 4, Feb. 15 and Feb. 19 (both at 12 or 5). I look forward to speaking to everyone regarding the format and possible topics for the session.

Best regards,

Barbara

From: Stephen N. Zack <szack@bsfllp.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 24, 2019 4:39 PM
To: Jordan Dresnick <jordandresnick@gmail.com>; Judge K. Michael Moore <K_Michael_Moore@flsd.uscourts.gov>; BERTILA SOTO [REDACTED]; Laurel Isicoff <Laurel_M_Isicoff@flsb.uscourts.gov>; Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; Justice Robert Luck <luckr@flcourts.org>; B.J. Vickers [REDACTED]
Cc: Carmen Washenko <cwashenko@bsfllp.com>
Subject: RE: Bench & Bar

Thank you, Jordan, for putting us in touch.

It is an honor to participate in this panel with our esteemed judiciary.

I would like to set up a call to discuss format and topics and propose the following dates. Please let me know what works best.

Monday, February 4th at 12pm ET
Tuesday, February 5th at 5pm ET
Friday, February 15th at 12pm ET
Tuesday, February 19th at 12pm ET
Tuesday, February 19th at 5pm ET

Kind regards,
Steve

From: Jordan Dresnick [<mailto:jordandresnick@gmail.com>]

Sent: Thursday, January 17, 2019 7:56 PM

To: Stephen N. Zack <szack@bsflfp.com>; Judge K. Michael Moore

<K_Michael_Moore@flsd.uscourts.gov>; Soto, Bertila [REDACTED]; Laurel Isicoff

<Laurel_M_Isicoff@flsb.uscourts.gov>; Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; Judge Robert J.

Luck <luckr@flcourts.org>; [REDACTED]

Subject: Bench & Bar

Dear Justice Labarga, Justice Lagoa, Justice Luck, Chief Judge Moore, Chief Judge Soto, Chief Judge Isicoff, & Mr. Zack,

Thank you for agreeing to speak on the opening plenary session, "A Conversation with the Supreme Court Justice & Chief Judges" panel at the Spellman-Hoeveler Inns of Court's upcoming Bench & Bar Conference. I am writing to connect members of this distinguished panel.

The program will take place on Friday, March 1, at the Hyatt Regency Miami (400 SE 2nd Ave., Miami, FL 33131) and this panel will run from 9 to 10 AM. To date, over 1,600 judges & lawyers have already RSVPed for the Conference and we are expecting it to be the largest CLE of its kind in the nation this year. All of the attendees will participate in the opening session.

Mr. Zack has generously agreed to moderate the panel. It is completely up to you to determine the specific format and topics to be covered.

Additional details on the program, including the agenda and speakers (full list to be released shortly) at:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/bench-bar-conference-tickets-51945221556>

We look forward to a wonderful program thanks to each of you.

Regards,
Jordan

Jordan A. Dresnick
President, Spellman-Hoeveler Inns of Court
Tel.: 305-905-4526

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From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["John L. Badalamenti"](#)
Subject: RE: Brava!
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:51:06 PM

John,

Thank you so much for your well wishes. I am truly humbled by the appointment.

All the best to you and your family,

Barbara

-----Original Message-----

From: John L. Badalamenti [<mailto:johnbadalamenti@yahoo.com>]

Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 10:41 AM

To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>; [REDACTED]

Subject: Brava!

Congratulations on your appointment! So well-deserved, Barbara! My wife, Dina, and I are so proud of you and are Blessed to have you as our newest Justice! Congratulations to the whole Family!

With Appreciation,

John

(813) 263-4970 (mobile)

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["David Oscar Markus"](#)
Subject: RE: CONGRATS!!!
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:48:09 PM

Thank you David. Send my love to Mona and the girls.

-----Original Message-----

From: David Oscar Markus [<mailto:dmarkus@markuslaw.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 10:32 AM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: CONGRATS!!!

We are so happy for you!!!!

--David Oscar Markus
Markus/Moss
markuslaw.com
305-379-6667

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Steven Hall](#)
Subject: RE: Car rental question
Date: Tuesday, June 18, 2019 12:02:00 PM

Steven,

I have a quick question. I was looking at the reimbursement form for the Board of Bar Examiners and rental car expenses are reimbursable up to \$30.50 car reimbursement per day and a full size vehicle under the state contract is reimbursable at \$29.50 per day. Why is there a discrepancy in the reimbursable rate for the State Court system ?

I have the form if you would like me to scan it and send it you.

Thanks,

Justice Lagoa

From: Steven Hall <shall255@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, May 5, 2019 1:49 PM
To: Lisa Kiel [REDACTED]; Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Cc: Steven Hall <halls@flcourts.org>
Subject: RE: Car rental question

Good Afternoon Justice Lagoa,

The state term contract for rental vehicles is with Enterprise Holdings, which includes both Enterprise and National. You can rent from either. National is "mostly" at airports, but not exclusively. You have two primary options for reserving a car, telephone or website and I'll include both here. I've cc'd my work e-mail address, which you can typically reach me there readily between about 7am and 11pm most days.

Telephone:

There is a state contract toll free number you can use, 877-690-0064. If they ask what agency you are with, indicate State Courts System. They will ask you for a corporate discount number, that number is FL00051.

Website:

Visit: <https://partners.rentalcar.com/stateofflorida/> and click on business, then state agencies. You would then select State Courts System. The screens that follow allow you to select the location you wish to rent from, dates, car size, etc. The optional extras offered online (carbon offset, etc.) are not reimbursable. You will receive your confirmation online and if you provided an e-mail address, via e-mail as well.

A bit of other helpful information:

- When renting for business purposes, insurance is included in the rental at no additional cost. When renting for personal use, insurance is not included with the rental. (You can use the state contract for personal rentals, just tell them when reserving on the phone or select personal use on the website.)
- The reimbursable rate is at the compact car level (\$25.55/day) unless there is a justification for a larger car (such as number of persons traveling, amount of boxes or materials being transported, etc.). Should you wish to rent a larger car, you may do so without justification. Simply request reimbursement only for the compact rate on your travel voucher. Personally, I always rent a larger car and pay the difference myself, so it's a common occurrence.
- If you reserve a compact car but when you show up they do not have a compact car, it is acceptable for them to provide you a larger vehicle and only charge the compact rate. This happens periodically.
- While not always possible, Enterprise has requested that we try to make reservations at least 48 hours in advance. Should you need a particular vehicle (usually mini-vans, SUV or high capacity vans), some can take time to guarantee and reservations should be made at least one to two weeks in advance to ensure availability.
- If you are driving through an area that has tolls and you do not have a transponder to take with you, either pay cash and request reimbursement (if cash is an option) or drive through the E-Pass or similar lane. The system will take a picture of the car's license plate and do "toll by plate." Enterprise is billed for the toll and links the charge back to your reservation. As you may know, the state's toll system has had a backlog in their billing system. If you utilize toll by plate, it is possible you would have already completed your travel voucher when the toll charge comes through. When that happens, you would simply submit a supplemental travel voucher.
- You are able to participate in the Emerald Club program, which provides the ability to store your information and preferences, which can make reserving a bit faster. There are also perks such as the "Emerald Aisle" at some locations (you select any car you want on that aisle when you show up) and earning free rentals. You can sign up here:
<https://www.nationalcar.com/en/emerald-club.html>.

Attached are a quick reference guide that covers much of what I typed above and then some, and a list of Tallahassee locations. The FSU and Southwood locations are ONLY for state rental use. There is actually one location not included on that list, which is on North Monroe near Brevard Street. If you are flying in, there are both an Enterprise and a National at our airport.

If you need any assistance, do not hesitate to reach out. I will be happy to make the reservation for you this time if you would like me to. Once you are ready, myself or one of my staff could meet with you and/or your judicial assistant to go through the reservation process in person.

Hope you enjoy the rest of your weekend!

Steven

Steven Hall
Chief of General Services
Office: (850) 487-2373

Sent from [Mail](#) for Windows 10

From: [Lisa Kiel](#)
Sent: Sunday, May 5, 2019 1:11 PM
To: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
Cc: shall255@gmail.com
Subject: Re: Car rental question

No problem. I have copied Steven Hall in my office who will be able to provide this information to you. I haven't had to rent a car since I have been back so he will give you the best guidance.

Lisa

Sent from my iPhone

> On May 5, 2019, at 11:49 AM, Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org> wrote:
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> Lisa,
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> I am sorry to bother you on a Sunday but I am trying to rent a car for this upcoming week as I will be in Tallahassee for the full week. Is there a state rate for a particular car rental company and is there a code or coupon number that I can use in order to obtain the state rate ?
>
> Thank you,
>
> Barbara
>
>
> Sent from my iPhone

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: "Mark Herron"; Michael Andrews; Judge Nina Ashenafi Richardson; Roberto Arias; Judge James A. Edwards; Melissa Hamilton; Judge Joel Boles; David Green; Michael Raiden; Miguel De La O; Charles Reynolds; Judge Matthew Lucas
Subject: RE: Confidential JEAC draft opinion [REDACTED] Inquiry
Date: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 6:12:43 PM

Nothing that the inquiring judge has been asked to do—conduct an interview of a high school senior for his alma mater, fill out a form detailing the interview, provide impressions on the applicant or whether the alumnus would recommend the high school applicant for admission—is dependent on the inquiring judge’s position as a judge. The same process and form is required for all alumni who interview high school seniors for college admission.

From: Mark Herron [mailto:mherron@lawfla.com]
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 5:22 PM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; Michael Andrews [REDACTED]; Judge Nina Ashenafi Richardson <[REDACTED]>; Roberto Arias [REDACTED]; Judge James A. Edwards [REDACTED]; Melissa Hamilton [REDACTED]; Judge Joel Boles [REDACTED]; David Green [REDACTED]; Michael Raiden [REDACTED]; Miguel De La O [REDACTED]; Charles Reynolds <creynolds@trenam.com>; Judge Matthew Lucas [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Confidential JEAC draft opinion: [REDACTED] Inquiry

Judge Lagoa: Here is the request for an opinion –

From: Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 5:17 PM
To: Mark Herron <mherron@lawfla.com>; Michael Andrews [REDACTED]; Judge Nina Ashenafi Richardson [REDACTED]; Roberto Arias [REDACTED]; Judge James A. Edwards [REDACTED]; Melissa Hamilton [REDACTED]; Judge Joel Boles [REDACTED]; David Green [REDACTED]; Michael Raiden [REDACTED]; Miguel De La O [REDACTED]; Charles Reynolds <creynolds@trenam.com>; Judge Matthew Lucas [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Confidential JEAC draft opinion: [REDACTED] Inquiry

I did not read the draft opinion as the University expecting or asking a judge to make a recommendation. The inquiry is whether an alum—who happens to be a judge—can participate in the interview process for applicants applying to the school. Most universities require applicants to interview with an alum and the alum then forwards their thoughts and recommendation on the candidate. It is one part of the admission process but I have never felt it has much weight. I do not believe anything more needs to be added to the opinion.

Thanks,

Barbara

From: Mark Herron [<mailto:mherron@lawfla.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 5:11 PM
To: Michael Andrews <[REDACTED]>; Judge Nina Ashenafi Richardson
[REDACTED]; Roberto Arias [REDACTED]; Judge James A. Edwards
[REDACTED]; Melissa Hamilton [REDACTED]; Judge Barbara Lagoa
<lagoab@flcourts.org>; Judge Joel Boles [REDACTED]; David Green
[REDACTED]; Michael Raiden [REDACTED]; Miguel De La O
[REDACTED]; Charles Reynolds <creynolds@trenam.com>; Judge Matthew Lucas
[REDACTED]>
Subject: RE: Confidential JEAC draft opinion: [REDACTED] Inquiry

Frankly: It is unknown to me what the university expects the judge to do in “recommending” the student for admission, if anything.

That is why, I suggest that we don’t know whether there are any standards that govern whether the judge would recommend the student for admission to the university.

From: Andrews, Judge Michael [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 5:04 PM
To: Nina Ashenafi Richardson [REDACTED]; Roberto Arias [REDACTED];
Judge James A. Edwards [REDACTED]; Melissa Hamilton [REDACTED];
Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; Judge Joel Boles [REDACTED]; David
Green [REDACTED]; Michael Raiden [REDACTED]; Miguel De La O
[REDACTED]; Mark Herron <mherron@lawfla.com>; Charles Reynolds
<creynolds@trenam.com>; Judge Matthew Lucas [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Confidential JEAC draft opinion: [REDACTED] Inquiry

I am happy to amend the draft but I confess that it is lost on me at the moment how talking about “standards” is of any value. The point of the draft is that a single interview is insufficient to offer a “personal” recommendation using the judicial title. Is there a standard that would make a difference in that decision?

From: Nina Ashenafi Richardson [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 4:56 PM
To: Roberto Arias [REDACTED]; Judge James A. Edwards [REDACTED]; Melissa
Hamilton [REDACTED]; Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; Judge Joel Boles
<[REDACTED]>; David Green [REDACTED]; Michael Raiden
[REDACTED]; Miguel De La O [REDACTED]; Andrews, Judge
Michael [REDACTED]; Mark Herron <mherron@lawfla.com>; Charles Reynolds
<creynolds@trenam.com>; Judge Matthew Lucas [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: Confidential JEAC draft opinion: [REDACTED] Inquiry

Agree with Mark Herron's suggested editions.

Nina

From: Judge Matthew Lucas [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 4:03:14 PM
To: Roberto Arias; Judge James A. Edwards; Melissa Hamilton; Judge Barbara Lagoa; Judge Joel Boles; David Green; Michael Raiden; Miguel De La O; Michael Andrews; Mark Herron; Nina Ashenafi Richardson; Charles Reynolds
Subject: RE: Confidential JEAC draft opinion: [REDACTED] Inquiry

I agree with the draft opinion but also agree with the gist of Mark's comment below. I wasn't really sure from the analysis why it would matter why the judge had been asked to participate in the interviews. Just my two cents. Like I said, I agree with the opinion overall.

-Matt

Matthew C. Lucas
Florida Second District Court of Appeal
[REDACTED]

From: Mark Herron [<mailto:mherron@lawfla.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 3:47 PM
To: Judge James A. Edwards <[REDACTED]>; Charles Reynolds <creynolds@trenam.com>; Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; David Green <[REDACTED]>; Judge Joel Boles <[REDACTED]>; Judge Matthew Lucas [REDACTED]; Michael Andrews [REDACTED]; Michael Raiden [REDACTED]; Miguel De La O [REDACTED]; Judge Nina Ashenafi Richardson [REDACTED]; Roberto Arias <[REDACTED]>; Melissa Hamilton <[REDACTED]>
Subject: RE: Confidential JEAC draft opinion: [REDACTED] Inquiry

The draft includes the following sentence: "Absent from the inquiry is whether the judge has been requested to participate in the interviews because the judge is an alumnus, a judge or because the judge is an alumnus who is a judge."

I would suggest the following as well: "Absent from the inquiry is whether there are any standards that govern whether the judge would recommend the student for admission to the university."

Mark Herron
Messer Caparello
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From: Judge James A. Edwards <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 10:34 AM
To: Charles Reynolds <creynolds@trenam.com>; Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; David Green [REDACTED]; Judge Joel Boles [REDACTED]; Judge Matthew Lucas [REDACTED]; Michael Andrews [REDACTED]; Michael Raiden [REDACTED]; Miguel De La O [REDACTED]; Judge Nina Ashenafi Richardson [REDACTED]; Roberto Arias [REDACTED]; Mark Herron <mherron@lawfla.com>; Melissa Hamilton [REDACTED]
Subject: Confidential JEAC draft opinion: [REDACTED] Inquiry

Please review the draft opinion prepared by Judge Andrews and let me know if you approve or have suggested edits at your earliest opportunity. If possible please provide your responses to me by 2:00 p.m. this Friday, but let me know if you need more time. Thanks to Judge Andrews for another well-done opinion.

Best regards to all.

Jim

James A. Edwards
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From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["Mendez, Victoria"](#)
Subject: RE: Congrats!!!!
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:21:28 PM

Thank you so much for your well wishes.

From: Mendez, Victoria [mailto:VMendez@miamigov.com]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 12:55 PM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Congrats!!!!

Wishing you continued success!!!!

Victoria Méndez, City Attorney



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Assistant: Marta Gomez [\(305\) 416-1844](tel:305-416-1844)

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["Simone Marstiller"](#)
Subject: RE: Congratulations!
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:22:28 PM

Simone,

Thank you so much for your well wishes. Congratulations to you as well. Hopefully, we will see each other soon in Tallahassee.

All the best,

Barbara

-----Original Message-----

From: Simone Marstiller [<mailto:s.marstiller@comcast.net>]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 12:45 PM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Congratulations!

So very happy for and proud of you!

Simone

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["Edward G. Guedes"](#)
Subject: RE: Congratulations!
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:35:40 PM

Ed,

Thank you so much for your well wishes. I am looking forward to attending the FSCHS dinner on February 7th. Do I need to get a table or tickets ? Please let me know.

On a personal note, I wanted to acknowledge that as a judge on the Third District Court of Appeal for the last 12 years I can attest that you are a great appellate lawyer. I always knew when I saw that you would be appearing before me for an OA that you would be: (1) well prepared and (2) your brief would be well-written and accurately reflect the record. Thank you for your professionalism and for the dedication you have shown to this Court as a member of the Historical Society.

All the best,

Barbara

From: Edward G. Guedes [mailto:EGuedes@wsh-law.com]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 11:53 AM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Cc: Mark.Miller@FICourtHistory.org
Subject: Congratulations!
Importance: High

Dear Judge (Justice) Lagoa:

Wonderful news, and well-deserved! I look forward to seeing you (and arguing before you) in Tallahassee.

In my capacity as president of the Florida Supreme Court Historical Society (FSCHS), I wanted to make certain that you knew now that on February 7, the FSCHS holds its premier annual dinner in Tallahassee. This is the highlight of the judicial scene in Tallahassee and is attended by the justices each year along with several hundred guests. This year's dinner will feature Ted Olson as our keynote speaker and will include an introduction of and welcome to the new justices on the Court. We very much hope you will be able to attend the dinner along with your new colleagues at the Court.

I have copied our executive director, Mark Miller, who is always available to assist you in connection with the event or other matters pertaining to our interaction with Court.

On a personal note, if I may take the privilege, it fills me with tremendous pride that you are the first Cuban-American woman to serve on the Court! Felicidades!!

Respectfully,

Ed

Edward G. Guedes

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From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["Alexandra Valdes"](#)
Subject: RE: Congratulations!
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:42:16 PM

Alex,

Thank you so much for your thoughtful well wishes. I personally want to acknowledge that the work ethic and dedication of law clerks like you helped me attain this moment. Thank you.

Hope you are doing well and I hope you will be able to come to my Investiture in Tallahassee.

All the best,

Justice Lagoa

-----Original Message-----

From: Alexandra Valdes [<mailto:alexandra.valdes18@gmail.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 11:14 AM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Congratulations!

Congratulations, Justice!

Such exciting news! Can't tell you enough how lucky I feel to have had the honor to clerk for you. You truly are an inspiration—a great mother, an accomplished attorney and district court judge, and now our next brilliant Florida Supreme Court Justice!

Congratulations, again!

All the best,
Alex

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["Paul Morris"](#)
Subject: RE: Congratulations!
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:17:31 PM

Paul,

Thank you so much for your kind words. You are an excellent appellate attorney and I always knew when I saw that you were one of the lawyers for a scheduled OA that: (1) you would be well prepared and (2) your brief would be well-written and accurately reflect the record.

Thank you again for your well wishes.

Best regards,

Barbara

From: Paul Morris [mailto:paulappeal@gmail.com]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 2:41 PM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Congratulations!

Dear Chief Judge Soon-To-Be Justice Lagoa,

Doesn't that sound great? But it's bittersweet for us in the 3d DCA appellate bar. We will miss you dearly.

It has been my privilege to have been there from the beginning in June 2006. I hope to see you in Tallahassee as well.

Warmest regards,
Paul

P.S. If you have not heard former Justice Cantero's very amusing accounts about trying to get the attention of counsel at oral arguments when he first sat on the end of that very big bench or finding a decent cafecito, I bet he would love to share with you.

PM



From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["Michael Feiler"](#)
Subject: RE: Congratulations
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:25:18 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Michael,

Thank you so much for your well wishes. I truly appreciate them.

All the best,

Barbara

From: Michael Feiler [mailto:mbf@flmlegal.com]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 12:04 PM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Congratulations

Your Honor:

Congratulations on your elevation to the Florida Supreme Court. I know that you will continue to serve the citizens of Florida well and with continued distinction. As an experienced trial lawyer, I have to admit I am beaming with local pride.

The new Governor had a pretty darn good first day with a home run like this.

Michael B. Feiler, B.C.S.
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From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["Manny Diaz"](#)
Subject: RE: Congratulations
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:46:00 PM

Manny,

Thank you so much. It is such an honor and I was so thrilled to be able to have my parents there to be able to share the moment with me. Their sacrifices mattered.

All the best,

Barbara

From: Manny Diaz [mailto:manny@lydeckerdiaz.com]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 10:59 AM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Congratulations

So, so proud of you.

Manny Diaz

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["hsepler@aol.com"](mailto:hsepler@aol.com)
Subject: RE: Congratulations
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 2:58:35 PM

Harvey,

Thank you for your kind words. I truly appreciate your well wishes.

All the best,

Barbara

From: hsepler@aol.com [mailto:hsepler@aol.com]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 11:53 PM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Cc: hsepler@aol.com
Subject: Congratulations

Judge --

I am so pleased by your appointment to the FSCT -- they couldn't have chosen a more worthy Justice.
May you enjoy your time on the Court for many years to come. It's an honor to know you.

Harvey

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Ryan Blair](#)
Subject: RE: Edison Dinner Party DJ
Date: Thursday, May 9, 2019 4:32:00 PM

May I call you later ?

From: Ryan Blair <RyanJBlair@hotmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, May 9, 2019 3:53 PM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Edison Dinner Party DJ

Hi Barbara,

My name is Ryan and I'll be Dj'ing the dinner party at The Edison Tomorrow on the 10th!

I thought I emailed you earlier this week but sent it to a .com address rather than a .org

If you could just give me a run through of the itinerary and expectations for the evening!

Thank you!
-Ryan

Ryan J Blair

phone: (309) 242-0390

web: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/ryanjamesblair>

email: ryanjblair@hotmail.com

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Gmail](#)
Subject: RE: FAWL Journal's Article Request
Date: Tuesday, February 5, 2019 7:56:00 PM

I am not free tomorrow at 3. This is a very busy week. In addition to OA, we have multiple bar lunch/dinners. Let me look at my schedule tomorrow in order to see what time I have.

Thank you

From: Gmail <rbauer000@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, February 5, 2019 7:06 PM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Re: FAWL Journal's Article Request

Dear Justice Lagoa,

No problem at all! I can imagine you must be very busy. Thank you so much for getting back to me.

Yes, tomorrow afternoon is great. Would 3 pm work with your schedule?

If not, I'm happy to work around your schedule for something later this week or even setting up a time for next week.

My cell phone number is 919 612 4657.

Thank you again,

Rachel Kamoutsas

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 5, 2019, at 4:06 PM, Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org> wrote:

Sorry that I have not responded sooner. I just landed in Tallahassee and have oral arguments this week. May I reach out to you tomorrow afternoon or later this week ?
Could you send me the best number to reach you ?

Thank you,

Justice Lagoa

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 5, 2019, at 1:07 PM, Gmail <rbauer000@gmail.com> wrote:

Dear Justice Lagoa,

I hope you are well.

I am reaching out to see if you have had an opportunity to consider my request to interview you for the Spring 2019 issue of the FAWL Journal.

It would be an honor and privilege to be able to interview you for this article submission and I am happy to accommodate the brief phone interview for any time that you are available.

Thank you again for your time and consideration,

Rachel Kamoutsas

On Jan 31, 2019, at 8:15 AM, Rachel Bauer <rbauer000@gmail.com> wrote:

Dear Justice Lagoa,

I hope you are well.

Congratulations on your recent appointment to the Supreme Court of Florida.

I am reaching out to you on behalf of the FAWL (Florida Association of Women Lawyers) Journal. In our Spring 2019 issue, we hope to include an article recognizing your recent appointment to the state's highest court, your experience as a judge and capture any advice you may have for our readers.

It would be an honor and privilege to have a brief phone interview with you at your earliest convenience. The article deadline is March 15.

I look forward to hearing back from you and I appreciate your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Rachel Kamoutsas

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Rachel B. Kamoutsas

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Deborah Huveltdt](#)
Subject: RE: Internship
Date: Thursday, April 4, 2019 2:41:00 PM

Deborah,

Thank you so much for reaching out to me regarding the internship. I am a big believer that you should always follow your interest. My door is always open if you need advice or guidance.

All the best,

Justice Lagoa

From: Deborah Huveltdt <drh17d@my.fsu.edu>
Sent: Thursday, April 4, 2019 2:15 PM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Re: Internship

Dear Justice Lagoa,

After meeting with my advisor, and discussing my future plans in detail, I am afraid I need to withdraw myself from consideration for a Supreme Court internship.

I am truly honored at the opportunity and your invitation to apply. However, my main interest is in intellectual property law, and rearranging my schedule to make a clerkship possible would prevent me from taking the patent bar exam this summer.

It has been a difficult decision to withdraw however, I do know that FSU Law has some fantastic students ready to clerk this fall.

Thank you so much for your consideration. It was a pleasure to meet you, and I hope to see you again at other Tallahassee and FSU events.

Best wishes,

Deb

Deborah R. Huveltdt, M.S.

President, Nontraditional Students Association

Executive Article Selection Editor, Business Review vol. 19

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<https://www.linkedin.com/in/debhuveltdt/>

From: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>

Sent: Wednesday, March 20, 2019 17:23

To: Deborah Huveltdt

Subject: Internship

Deborah,

Thank you for your email and for sharing the photo that we took at the FAWL event. Would you mind sending me the contact information for the FSU externship coordinator? Additionally, please send me your transcript and a writing sample. Please forward them to my attention.

Congratulations on your award and it was my pleasure to meet you.

Best regards,

Justice Lagoa

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Charles LeCocq](#)
Subject: RE: Interview with Justice Lagoa
Date: Wednesday, April 3, 2019 2:11:00 PM

Charles,

Thank you for meeting with me yesterday. My law clerks, April and Mike, have reached out to you. Please call them at your convenience so that you can speak to them.

Best regards,

Justice Lagoa

From: Charles LeCocq [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, April 2, 2019 11:10 PM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Re: Interview with Justice Lagoa

Justice Lagoa,

Thank you for taking the time to meet with me this afternoon. Please let Brenda know how much I enjoyed meeting her as well. If you want any letters of recommendation or additional writing samples, just let me know. I look forward to hearing from you.

Respectfully,

Charles LeCocq

On Fri, Mar 29, 2019 at 4:57 PM Charles LeCocq <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Justice Lagoa,

I will be there Tuesday at around 4:00 with a writing sample. I will also email a copy of the writing sample to your office in case you wish to review it in advance. Thank you for your interest and have a great weekend!

Charles LeCocq
Law Clerk to Chief Judge Bradford L. Thomas
Florida First District Court of Appeal

On Fri, Mar 29, 2019 at 4:09 PM Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org> wrote:

Charles,

Tuesday would be great for an interview. Are you free after 4 pm ? I have a meeting at 3 and

another meeting at 5:30.

If possible, could you bring a writing sample with you to the interview.

Thank you,

Justice Lagoa

Sent from my iPad

On Mar 29, 2019, at 9:52 AM, Charles LeCocq <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Justice Lagoa,

I look forward to interviewing for the position. Monday or Tuesday of next week would be perfect. Just let me know a time that works for you.

Respectfully,

Charles LeCocq

On Thu, Mar 28, 2019 at 5:47 PM Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org> wrote:

Mr. LeCocq,

I have reviewed your resume and would like to interview you for a Staff Attorney (Law Clerk) position in my Chambers. Please let me know if you are available for an interview either tomorrow or next week.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Justice Lagoa

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Msgr. Jude O'Doherty](#)
Subject: RE: Invocation
Date: Thursday, April 11, 2019 4:26:00 PM

Thank you Monsignor for your kind words.

God bless you as well,

Barbara

From: Msgr. Jude O'Doherty <judeo@epiphanycatholicchurch.com>
Sent: Thursday, April 11, 2019 3:09 PM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Invocation

Dear Barbara:

Thank you for your invitation to do the Invocation at your Investiture on May 10. I am extremely honored to have been invited by you to this great occasion. As stated in my telephone message to you, I am unable to accept your gracious invitation for several reasons. I have numerous things going on in my life at this time which prevent me from scheduling anything else. I would love to be in Tallahassee with you and your family, but unfortunately, I cannot do it.

I know Father Alex has many connections with priests in the Tallahassee area, and he would be happy to assist you, if needed. I even asked him if he could travel, but he cannot go on that weekend either. If there is anything we can do to help you further, please let me know.

I wish you all of God's blessings as you assume your seat in the Florida Supreme Court. I know you will be very successful since you bring with you a solid faith in God.

God bless you,

Monsignor Jude O'Doherty

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: ["Harvey J. Sepler"](#)
Subject: RE: Judge Cope
Date: Tuesday, November 27, 2018 12:05:51 PM

Any time before 2 p.m. as I need to attend a construction meeting at 2:30.

From: Harvey J. Sepler [mailto:hsepler@aol.com]
Sent: Tuesday, November 27, 2018 11:53 AM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Re: Judge Cope

Of course. What time is best for me to call today?

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 27, 2018, at 10:49 AM, Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org> wrote:

Harvey,

Can you call me in chamber ? I am happy to speak to you but I do not believe I can provide a written recommendation under the canons.

Judge Lagoa

From: hsepler@aol.com [mailto:hsepler@aol.com]
Sent: Monday, November 26, 2018 9:46 PM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Cc: hsepler@aol.com
Subject: Judge Cope

Judge Lagoa --

I'd like to submit my review tomorrow (Tuesday) of Judge Cope's nomination for Fellowship into the American Academy of Appellate Lawyers. When we last met, I believe you said you'd like to submit comments on the nomination. That would be great and I'd love to include them.

Do you think you could e-mail me your thoughts tomorrow? And, please, don't mention this to Jerry -- the nomination and selection process are secret and I'd like to keep it that way.

Please let me know one way or the other. So nice to see you at Judge Suarez's retirement ceremony; I look forward to congratulating you at the Passing the Gavel ceremony.

Harvey

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: ["hsepler@aol.com"](mailto:hsepler@aol.com)
Subject: RE: Judge Cope
Date: Tuesday, November 27, 2018 10:49:30 AM

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Judge Lagoa

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Harvey

From: [Lagoa Intern](#)
To: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
Cc: blaynejudis@gmail.com
Subject: RE: Thank You
Date: Wednesday, July 3, 2019 4:48:00 PM

Justice Lagoa,

It would be an honor to continue interning with you in Miami. I begin clerking at a law firm in Coral Gables on July 15th. If the firm is not already expecting me to continue with them through the fall semester, I would love to continue interning for you.

I have cc'ed my other e-mail address so that I can continue to receive e-mails from this chain after I leave. I would appreciate the opportunity to meet with you and discuss this opportunity in Miami at a later date.

Thank you,

From: Justice Barbara Lagoa
Sent: Wednesday, July 3, 2019 3:34 PM
To: Lagoa Intern <lagin@flcourts.org>
Cc: Charles LeCocq [REDACTED]; Michael Woods [REDACTED]; April Veilleux [REDACTED]; Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: Thank You

Blayne,

Thank you for all your hard work these past eight weeks. It was greatly appreciated. I know that you will be busy when you start school again in the Fall but we would love to have you continue to intern with us in Miami. As you know, April, Mike and I are at the Children's Courthouse downtown. If this is something that interests you, please let us know. We could use the top notch legal skills that you brought to the team.

Have a happy Independence Day and enjoy the rest of your summer.

All the best,

Justice Lagoa

Sent from my iPad

On Jul 3, 2019, at 1:12 PM, Lagoa Intern <lagin@flcourts.org> wrote:

Good Afternoon Justice Lagoa,

Today is my last day interning at the Florida Supreme Court, so I wanted to thank you for the opportunity to work in your chambers this summer. It has been an honor and a privilege working alongside Charles and Brenda here in Tallahassee these past eight weeks. Charles is an outstanding supervising staff attorney. I have grown as a legal writer, *almost lawyer, and professional due to his patience and encouragement each day. Thank you April and Mike as well for this opportunity.

I hope you have a relaxing July 4th weekend and a wonderful rest of your summer.

Thank you,

Blayne Yudis

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: ["Katarina Dobsinska"](#)
Subject: RE: Thank You
Date: Thursday, January 17, 2019 2:06:38 PM

Katarina,

Thank you so much for your kind words. It was my pleasure to have you as an intern this past year. I wish you much success in your future endeavors. If you ever need any guidance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

All the best,

Justice Lagoa

From: Katarina Dobsinska [mailto:kdobs003@fiu.edu]
Sent: Thursday, January 17, 2019 1:30 PM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Thank You

Dear Justice Lagoa,

Hope this email finds you well.

Congratulations on your appointment to the Florida Supreme Court. I saw your beautiful speech; it was very moving and even made me cry. I would like to let you know how much I enjoyed interning for you this past year. I learned so much and I will always be grateful for this opportunity. I stopped by the office last Friday and left there something for you and your daughters. I hope you will like it.

Thank you for everything.

Respectfully,

Katarina Dobsinska
Juris Doctor Candidate, 2019
Florida International University College of Law
Cell: [\(786\) 355-6598](tel:7863556598)

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Kate Biel](#)
Subject: Re: 05.10.19 Investiture Dinner @ The Edison
Date: Wednesday, May 1, 2019 8:31:37 PM

Thank you so much for working with me. This is becoming much bigger than I anticipated but it will be fun. And since I am managing this by myself, it has become quite a project. Thank you for the assist.

Sent from my iPhone

On May 1, 2019, at 7:03 PM, Kate Biel <kate@edisontally.com> wrote:

Hi Barbara, just wanted to touch base really quick! Still working on the adjusted quotes for your party. Looking to have something to you tomorrow afternoon. Didn't want you to think I forgot about you!

Have a great evening & safe travels

Kate Biel
Director of Catering and Private Events
The Edison
Tallahassee, Florida
www.edisontally.com

On Apr 30, 2019, 10:57 AM -0400, Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>, wrote:

Great. See you then.

From: Kate Biel <kate@edisontally.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2019 10:54 AM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Re: 05.10.19 Investiture Dinner @ The Edison

Hi Barbara, 1:00pm is perfect! See you then.

The Edison 470 Suwannee Street

Kate Biel
Director of Catering and Private Events
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Tallahassee, Florida

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On Apr 29, 2019, 2:35 PM -0400, Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>, wrote:

I will be in Tallahassee tomorrow. What time can we meet tomorrow?

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 29, 2019, at 2:29 PM, Kate Biel <kate@edisontally.com> wrote:

Hi Barbara,

I have attached an event order to get us started! This proposal featuring a dinner buffet for 60 guests in Innovation Hall. The menu includes a chicken option, filet of beef, as well as salmon. Bread service, tea and water served at each seat. The bar will be consumption, meaning you will receive a bill at the end including everything that was ordered. This will be closed out to the card on file. I will be able to circle back with you tomorrow with an updated wine list for you to select bottled wine. Please let me know if you would like me to make any changes, I have also attached our private event packet for you to look over.

Ready to Book?

Please review the attached Catering and Private Events Agreement and menu proposal and feel free to contact me if you have any questions. If the attached menu proposal meets with your approval, and you are ready to move forward, please sign and return the agreement to me at your earliest convenience. Please note, the space and reservation is not held until the Catering and Private Events Agreement has been returned to us along with half the total amount due as deposit. Final guest count and payment in full is required two weeks prior to the event.

Kate Biel

Director of Catering and Private Events

The Edison

Tallahassee, Florida

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On Apr 24, 2019, 6:03 PM -0400, [REDACTED] andbarbara [REDACTED]@gmail.com, wrote:
Kate,

We would be putting drinks on our tab. Let me know if you need additional information to draw up a quote.

Many thanks,
[REDACTED]

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 22, 2019, at 3:36 PM, Kate Biel

<kate@edisontally.com<<mailto:kate@edisontally.com>>> wrote:

Hi Barbara,

Thank you for the email, I would love to get this all set up for you. Hosting an investiture ceremony is such a honor! How many guests are you anticipating? Will you be providing drinks on your tab, or will this be separate tabs? I have attached some information on our space & menus, please have a look and let me know what you have in mind and Ill bounce a quote back for you to consider.

Kate Biel

Director of Catering and Private Events

The Edison

Tallahassee, Florida

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On Apr 20, 2019, 12:38 PM -0400, Barbara Lagoa

[\[REDACTED\]andbarbara\[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](mailto:[REDACTED]andbarbara[REDACTED]@gmail.com)<[mailto:\[REDACTED\]andbarbara\[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](mailto:[REDACTED]andbarbara[REDACTED]@gmail.com)>>, wrote:

Good afternoon,

A friend of mine recommended your venue for a catered event. My name is Barbara Lagoa and I have an Investiture ceremony on Friday, May 10, 2019, in Tallahassee. I have many out of town guests coming for the ceremony, and I am looking to host a cocktail and dinner for these guests starting after 6 p.m. . I will be in Tallahassee next week, and was hoping we could meet assuming of course that you have availability on May 10, 2019. My cell is [REDACTED], and my email is

[\[REDACTED\]andbarbara\[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](mailto:[REDACTED]andbarbara[REDACTED]@gmail.com)<[mailto:\[REDACTED\]andbarbara\[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](mailto:[REDACTED]andbarbara[REDACTED]@gmail.com)>.

Thank you for your assistance.

Best regards,

Barbara Lagoa

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Kate Biel](#)
Subject: Re: 05.10.19 Investiture Dinner @ The Edison
Date: Monday, April 29, 2019 2:35:42 PM

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> Thank you for the email, I would love to get this all set up for you. Hosting an investiture ceremony is such a honor! How many guests are you anticipating? Will you be providing drinks on your tab, or will this be separate tabs? I have attached some information on our space & menus, please have a look and let me know what you have in mind and Ill bounce a quote back for you to consider.
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> Kate Biel
> Director of Catering and Private Events
> The Edison
> Tallahassee, Florida
> www.edisontally.com<<http://www.edisontally.com>>
> On Apr 20, 2019, 12:38 PM -0400, Barbara Lagoa
> <paulandbarbarahuck@gmail.com<<mailto:paulandbarbarahuck@gmail.com>>>, wrote:
> Good afternoon,

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> A friend of mine recommended your venue for a catered event. My name is Barbara Lagoa and I have an Investiture ceremony on Friday, May 10, 2019, in Tallahassee. I have many out of town guests coming for the ceremony, and I am looking to host a cocktail and dinner for these guests starting after 6 p.m. . I will be in Tallahassee next week, and was hoping we could meet assuming of course that you have availability on May 10, 2019. My cell is 305 608 4806, and my email is paulandbarbarahuck@gmail.com<<mailto:paulandbarbarahuck@gmail.com>>.

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> Thank you for your assistance.

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> Best regards,

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> Barbara Lagoa

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: Jamie.Moses@hklaw.com
Subject: Re: CFAWL's Judicial Reception
Date: Thursday, June 20, 2019 3:32:32 PM

Thank you for inviting me to speak. I will let you know as soon as I learn about the Court's OA November schedule. How long should the speech be and any topic in particular ?

All the best,

Justice Lagoa

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 20, 2019, at 2:54 PM, "Jamie.Moses@hklaw.com" <Jamie.Moses@hklaw.com> wrote:

Justice Lagoa,

Thank you so much for agreeing to be CFAWL's Guest of Honor at its November 7, 2019 Judicial Reception. We have booked the venue – Casa Feliz in Winter Park and have made a room reservation for you at the Alford Inn for the evening of November 7, 2019.

When you decide how you plan to get to Orlando, please let me know. Of course, we will reimburse your travel expenses and can arrange to pick you up at the airport if you will be flying.

I understand that the Court has oral argument that week. Justice Lawson mentioned that if a conflict should arise with the oral argument calendar, you would know that around September.

Please let me know if there is anything you need from me at this time.

Jamie Billotte Moses | [Holland & Knight](#)

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Steven Hall](#)
Subject: Re: Car rental question
Date: Tuesday, June 4, 2019 10:27:25 AM

Steven,

Quick question: In April, I rented a car in Miami and drove to Tallahassee as I needed to bring boxes with me from Miami. I have been told that I can not be reimbursed for the mileage because it was a rental. Is this correct ?

Thank you,

Justice Lagoa

Sent from my iPad

On May 5, 2019, at 1:49 PM, Steven Hall <shall255@gmail.com> wrote:

Good Afternoon Justice Lagoa,

The state term contract for rental vehicles is with Enterprise Holdings, which includes both Enterprise and National. You can rent from either. National is “mostly” at airports, but not exclusively. You have two primary options for reserving a car, telephone or website and I’ll include both here. I’ve cc’d my work e-mail address, which you can typically reach me there readily between about 7am and 11pm most days.

Telephone:

There is a state contract toll free number you can use, 877-690-0064. If they ask what agency you are with, indicate State Courts System. They will ask you for a corporate discount number, that number is FL00051.

Website:

Visit: <https://partners.rentalcar.com/stateofflorida/> and click on business, then state agencies. You would then select State Courts System. The screens that follow allow you to select the location you wish to rent from, dates, car size, etc. The optional extras offered online (carbon offset, etc.) are not reimbursable. You will receive your confirmation online and if you provided an e-mail address, via e-mail as well.

A bit of other helpful information:

- When renting for business purposes, insurance is included in the rental at no additional cost. When renting for personal use, insurance is not included with the rental. (You can use the state contract for personal rentals, just tell them

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Hope you enjoy the rest of your weekend!

Steven

Steven Hall
Chief of General Services
Office: (850) 487-2373

Sent from [Mail](#) for Windows 10

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To: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Steven Hall](#)
Cc: [Lisa Kiel](#); [Steven Hall](#)
Subject: Re: Car rental question
Date: Sunday, May 5, 2019 2:14:57 PM

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [John Tomasino](#)
Bcc: [REDACTED] [andbarbara\[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](#)
Subject: Re: Checking in
Date: Monday, December 2, 2019 10:20:48 AM

John,

Yes, I am still at the FSC. I will not be at OA this week as that did not make sense. I am waiting to hear when I will be receiving the Commission. I will let you know as soon as I hear.

Thanksgiving was lovely. How was your Thanksgiving?

Barbara

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 2, 2019, at 7:07 AM, John Tomasino [REDACTED] wrote:

Good morning, Justice Lagoa. Just checking in to confirm your status before we issue any orders today/this week. I'm assuming you are still with the FSC but wanted to verify just to make sure.

And I hope you had a wonderful (relaxing?) Thanksgiving holiday!

Thanks,
John

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Michael Raiden](#)
Cc: [Mark Herron](#); [Michael Andrews](#); [Judge Nina Ashenafi Richardson](#); [Roberto Arias](#); [Judge James A. Edwards](#); [Melissa Hamilton](#); [Judge Joel Boles](#); [David Green](#); [Miguel De La O](#); [Charles Reynolds](#); [Judge Matthew Lucas](#)
Subject: Re: Confidential JEAC draft opinion: [REDACTED] Inquiry
Date: Thursday, December 6, 2018 11:39:00 AM

We are definitely overthinking this one. Why doesn't someone reach out to Judge [REDACTED] and ask him if this is asked of all alumni who want to participate in assisting the university with applicant interviews? I suspect that the answer is yes and he was not asked because he is a judge.

Barbara

On Dec 6, 2018, at 10:04 AM, Raiden, Michael [REDACTED] wrote:

When I did this for my alma mater – it's been many years, so the details are elusive – there were certain areas the school wanted us to inquire into, and we had to score the applicant as an A-lister, B-lister, etc. We also had to write an essay on what we saw as the applicant's strengths and weaknesses. As far as the judicial prestige this carried (and I'm not sure I was even identified as a judge) none of my applicants was accepted though one got onto a wait list.

From: Mark Herron <mherron@lawfla.com>
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 5:11 PM
To: Andrews, Judge Michael [REDACTED]; Nina Ashenafi Richardson [REDACTED]; Roberto Arias [REDACTED]; Judge James A. Edwards [REDACTED]; Melissa Hamilton [REDACTED]; Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; Judge Joel Boles [REDACTED]; David Green [REDACTED]; Raiden, Michael [REDACTED]; Miguel De La O [REDACTED]; Charles Reynolds <creynolds@trenam.com>; Judge Matthew Lucas [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Confidential JEAC draft opinion: [REDACTED] Inquiry

Frankly: It is unknown to me what the university expects the judge to do in "recommending" the student for admission, if anything.

That is why, I suggest that we don't know whether there are any standards that govern whether the judge would recommend the student for admission to the university.

From: Andrews, Judge Michael [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 5:04 PM
To: Nina Ashenafi Richardson [REDACTED]; Roberto Arias [REDACTED]; Judge James A. Edwards [REDACTED]; Melissa Hamilton [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]; Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; Judge Joel Boles [REDACTED]; David Green [REDACTED]; Michael Raiden [REDACTED]; Miguel De La O [REDACTED]; Mark Herron <mherron@lawfla.com>; Charles Reynolds <creynolds@trenam.com>; Judge Matthew Lucas [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Confidential JEAC draft opinion: [REDACTED] Inquiry

I am happy to amend the draft but I confess that it is lost on me at the moment how talking about “standards” is of any value. The point of the draft is that a single interview is insufficient to offer a “personal” recommendation using the judicial title. Is there a standard that would make a difference in that decision?

From: Nina Ashenafi Richardson [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 4:56 PM
To: Roberto Arias [REDACTED] Judge James A. Edwards [REDACTED]; Melissa Hamilton [REDACTED]; Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; Judge Joel Boles [REDACTED] David Green [REDACTED]; Michael Raiden [REDACTED]; Miguel De La O [REDACTED]; Andrews, Judge Michael [REDACTED] Mark Herron <mherron@lawfla.com>; Charles Reynolds <creynolds@trenam.com>; Judge Matthew Lucas [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: Confidential JEAC draft opinion: [REDACTED] Inquiry

Agree with Mark Herron's suggested editions.

Nina

From: Judge Matthew Lucas [REDACTED] >
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 4:03:14 PM
To: Roberto Arias; Judge James A. Edwards; Melissa Hamilton; Judge Barbara Lagoa; Judge Joel Boles; David Green; Michael Raiden; Miguel De La O; Michael Andrews; Mark Herron; Nina Ashenafi Richardson; Charles Reynolds
Subject: RE: Confidential JEAC draft opinion: [REDACTED] Inquiry

I agree with the draft opinion but also agree with the gist of Mark’s comment below. I wasn’t really sure from the analysis why it would matter why the judge had been asked to participate in the interviews. Just my two cents. Like I said, I agree with the opinion overall.

-Matt

Matthew C. Lucas
Florida Second District Court of Appeal
[REDACTED]

From: Mark Herron [<mailto:mherron@lawfla.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 3:47 PM
To: Judge James A. Edwards [REDACTED]; Charles Reynolds <creynolds@trenam.com>; Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; David Green [REDACTED]; Judge Joel Boles [REDACTED]; Judge Matthew Lucas [REDACTED]; Michael Andrews [REDACTED]; Michael Raiden [REDACTED]; Miguel De La O [REDACTED]; Judge Nina Ashenafi Richardson [REDACTED]; Roberto Arias [REDACTED]; Melissa Hamilton <Hamiltonm@flcourts.org>
Subject: RE: Confidential JEAC draft opinion: [REDACTED] Inquiry

The draft includes the following sentence: "Absent from the inquiry is whether the judge has been requested to participate in the interviews because the judge is an alumnus, a judge or because the judge is an alumnus who is a judge."

I would suggest the following as well: "Absent from the inquiry is whether there are any standards that govern whether the judge would recommend the student for admission to the university."

Mark Herron
Messer Caparello
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From: Judge James A. Edwards [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 10:34 AM
To: Charles Reynolds <creynolds@trenam.com>; Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; David Green [REDACTED]; Judge Joel Boles [REDACTED]; Judge Matthew Lucas [REDACTED]; Michael Andrews [REDACTED]; Michael Raiden [REDACTED]; Miguel De La O [REDACTED]; Judge Nina Ashenafi Richardson [REDACTED]; Roberto Arias [REDACTED]; Mark Herron <mherron@lawfla.com>; Melissa Hamilton [REDACTED]
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Please review the draft opinion prepared by Judge Andrews and let me know if you approve or have suggested edits at your earliest opportunity. If possible please provide your responses to me by 2:00 p.m. this Friday, but let me know if you need more time. Thanks to Judge Andrews for another well-done opinion.
Best regards to all.

Jim

James A. Edwards
Chair - JEAC
District Judge
Fifth District Court of Appeal
300 South Beach Street
Daytona Beach, FL 32114
(386) 947-1586

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Marta Galan Ricardo](#)
Subject: Re: Congratulations from Columbia Law School
Date: Friday, January 11, 2019 4:15:15 PM

Law Review preferred. I need one clerk immediately.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 11, 2019, at 3:24 PM, Marta Galan Ricardo <mgr33@columbia.edu> wrote:

Barbara-

Is there any specific timing for the hiring of clerks that we should take into consideration in identifying candidates? If you have an immediate need, we usually have alumni we could reach out to.

Marta

Marta Galan Ricardo
Assistant Dean and Dean of Career Services and Professional Development
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On Fri, Jan 11, 2019 at 2:42 PM Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org> wrote:

Marta,

I am so happy to hear from you. It does only seem like yesterday. Thank you for offering to identify students for me. I would be thrilled to have students or alumni sent my way. I would also welcome the opportunity to speak with students and faculty at the school.

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All the best,

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Un abrazo,
Marta

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From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: monicagordo@gmail.com
Subject: Re: Congratulations!
Date: Tuesday, November 27, 2018 8:56:56 PM

Thanks on the congratulations. Now onto the next round for me. Happy to meet with you. Let me know what works. Is your interview on Dec. 5 ?

Sent from my iPhone

> On Nov 27, 2018, at 5:17 PM, "monicagordo@gmail.com" <monicagordo@gmail.com> wrote:
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> Dear Barbara,
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> Congratulations! How exciting it would be to have you be the first Cuban American woman on the Florida Supreme Court. I know you will make us proud. Best of luck.
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> I am one of the finalists scheduled to interview with Governor Scott on November 9th. I would still love to meet for coffee or even a drink after work, if you have time. Please let me know.
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> :)
> Monica
>
> Sent from my iPhone

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Charles George](#)
Cc: [Judge Leslie B. Rothenberg](#), [Chief](#); [Veronica Antonoff](#); [Helga Morales](#)
Subject: Re: December 14th Event Scheduling Conflict
Date: Monday, December 3, 2018 4:07:50 PM

Chip,

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

All the best,

Barbara

On Dec 3, 2018, at 2:56 PM, Charles George <cgeorge@cmpg-law.com> wrote:

FYI - we sent this just now - will resend Thursday.

Be well.

Chip George

Begin forwarded message:

From: Third District Court of Appeal Historical Society <cgeorge@cmpg-law.com>
Subject: December 14th Event Scheduling Conflict
Date: December 3, 2018 at 2:51:29 PM EST
To: Charles M-P George <cgeorge@cmpg-law.com>
Reply-To: Third District Court of Appeal Historical Society <cgeorge@cmpg-law.com>

Due to a scheduling conflict
the Court will be unable to "Pass the Gavel"
at the scheduled December 14, 2018 Ceremony.

Thus, the Ceremony on December 14th
will be a Retirement Ceremony at which
Chief Judge Rothenberg
will formally say her goodbyes.

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Gmail](#)
Subject: Re: FAWL Journal article follow up
Date: Thursday, March 14, 2019 9:33:02 AM

Unfortunately, I am attending a few events today and receiving another award this evening. I would be able to get it to you by tomorrow afternoon at the latest. If I return early enough tonight, I could possibly finish it tonight.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Mar 14, 2019, at 9:28 AM, Gmail <rbauer000@gmail.com> wrote:

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> Dear Justice Lagoa,

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> Ideally, by close of business today. That way I am able to complete a draft and submit it to my editor by the due date.

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> I am happy to work on the draft through the evening today to meet the deadline.

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> Thank you again and I look forward to your responses.

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> Kindly,

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> Rachel Kamoutsas

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> Sent from my iPhone

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>> On Mar 14, 2019, at 9:22 AM, Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org> wrote:

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>> By what time, do I have to have my answers emailed back to you ?

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>>> Dear Justice Lagoa,

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>>> I hope you're well.

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>>> Congratulations on receiving FAWL's Women Making History Award!

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>>> I am following up to see if you've had an opportunity to respond to interview questions for the FAWL Journal's Spring journal as the article submission date is tomorrow, March 15.

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>>> Considering your recent award from FAWL, please feel free to share any comments or thoughts regarding the award to be included in the article.

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Subject: Re: FAWL Journal article follow up
Date: Friday, March 15, 2019 6:30:24 PM

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Subject: Re: FAWL Journal's Article Request
Date: Tuesday, February 5, 2019 4:06:49 PM

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Thank you,

Justice Lagoa

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On Feb 5, 2019, at 1:07 PM, Gmail <rbauer000@gmail.com> wrote:

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It would be an honor and privilege to be able to interview you for this article submission and I am happy to accommodate the brief phone interview for any time that you are available.

Thank you again for your time and consideration,

Rachel Kamoutsas

On Jan 31, 2019, at 8:15 AM, Rachel Bauer <rbauer000@gmail.com> wrote:

Dear Justice Lagoa,

I hope you are well.

Congratulations on your recent appointment to the Supreme Court of Florida.

I am reaching out to you on behalf of the FAWL (Florida Association of Women Lawyers) Journal. In our Spring 2019 issue, we hope to include an article recognizing your recent appointment to the state's highest court, your experience as a judge and capture any advice you may have for our readers.

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Rachel B. Kamoutsas

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Hill, Terry L](#)
Cc: [Seitz, Patricia A](#); [Nikki Fried](#); [Rundle, Katherine F](#); [Krista Marx](#); [Fox, Amira D.](#); [Judge Nina Ashenafi Richardson](#); [Miller, Katherine H](#); [Suskauer, Michelle R](#); [Doyle, Joshua](#); [Scott, Rosalyn](#)
Subject: Re: Florida Bar Annual Convention: "How She Did It: unCONVENTIONAl Paths to Leadership" Conference Call, Monday, June
Date: Saturday, June 15, 2019 3:43:46 PM

I am unable to participate on the conference call at noon on Monday as I am attending an event at that time.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 14, 2019, at 4:30 PM, Hill, Terry L <THill@floridabar.org> wrote:

Good afternoon. The planning conference call for the "How She Did It: unCONVENTIONAl Paths to Leadership" panel program will be **Monday, June 17th at 12:00 noon eastern time**. A separate calendar invite will be sent to each of you. The conference call information is also provided below.

"How She Did It: unCONVENTIONAl Paths to Leadership" planning conference call
Monday, June, 17, 2019
12:00 noon eastern time

Conference call dial-in 1-888-376-5050 and enter Participation Code 5487139641#

Thank you.

Terry L. Hill
Division Director, Programs
The Florida Bar
651 East Jefferson Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2300
Direct Phone 850-561-5700
E-Mail thill@floridabar.org

From: Hill, Terry L <THill@floridabar.org>
Sent: Monday, June 10, 2019 9:02 PM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; Seitz, Patricia A <seitz@flsd.uscourts.gov>; Nikki Fried <nikki.fried@freshfromflorida.com>; Rundle, Katherine F <katherinefernandezrundle@miamisao.com>; Krista Marx <[REDACTED]>; Fox, Amira D. <afox@sao.cjis20.org>; [REDACTED]
Cc: Suskauer, Michelle R <michelle@dkrpa.com>; Miller, Katherine H <kmiller@surfcoastlaw.com>
Subject: The Florida Bar Annual Convention Program: "How She Did It: unCONVENTIONAl Paths to Leadership"
Importance: High

Good evening everyone.

This email will provide additional information on The Florida Bar Annual Convention Program, "**How She Did It: unCONVENTIONAl Paths to Leadership**". The final list of confirmed panelists is provided below. Attached to this email is the Annual Convention seminar PDF for the this panel program that includes everyone's bio and photo. We anticipate this program will have 100 attendees.

I have attached a draft list of potential questions and discussion topics for the "How She Did It..." panel discussion. Please review the list of potential questions and discussion topics. Each of you are encouraged to submit additional suggestions questions and/or discussion topics, please email them to me for inclusion on the list. Once compiled, a final list will be distributed to everyone.

MODERATOR:

Michelle Suskauer, President, The Florida Bar

PANELISTS:

Justice Barbara Lagoa, Florida Supreme Court
Judge Patricia Seitz, Senior United States District Judge, Southern District
Nicole (Nikki) Fried, Florida Agriculture Commissioner
Katherine Fernandez Rundle, Miami Date State Attorney
Judge Krista Marx, Chief Judge, Fifteenth Judicial Circuit
Amira Fox, State Attorney, Twentieth Judicial Circuit
Judge Nina Ashenafi-Richardson, Leon County Court Judge

OVERVIEW:

This high-powered program will consist of eight (8) successful women having candid conversations; exchanging stories of challenges, obstacles, and successes; and providing valuable advice and takeaways on paths to leadership including the essential lessons of what it takes to excel in the legal profession and in life. This will NOT be your traditional panel discussion with a moderator behind a podium and panelists behind a panel table. Think more along the lines of a talk show with eight extremely successful women.

The "**How She Did It: unCONVENTIONAL Paths to Leadership**" panel program is scheduled for Wednesday afternoon, June 26th from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. Please arrive at the seminar room (Grand Ballroom C) at 12:30 pm. This seminar is part of the 2019 Annual Florida Bar Convention. The location of the program is the Boca Raton Resort & Club located at 501 East Camino Real, Boca Raton, FL 33432. The seminar is scheduled for the Grand Ballroom C Meeting Room. The room will include a stage/riser that will include eight chairs and small tables in a semicircle. Each participant will have their own wireless lavalier microphone. The format of the program is more of a talk show open dialogue discussion with prepared questions and discussion topics with some limited questions from the audience at the end of each session. The plan is to have two 50 minute sessions with a 10 minute break in between the two sessions.

Each panelist is eligible for reimbursement of reasonable travel expenses including one-night hotel stay at the Boca Raton Resort and the Bar's group rate. The speaker/panelist reimbursement form is attached to this email. Please complete the speaker/panelists reimbursement form within one-week of the Bar Annual Convention so that it can be processed in the correct Bar fiscal year. The completed reimbursement form should be submitted after Annual Convention with the appropriate receipts to Tammy Wright at email address twright@floridabar.org or mailed to The Florida Bar, ATTN: Tammy Wright, PROGRAMS, 651 E. Jefferson Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-2300.

If you have any questions or if I can be of further assistance, please let me know. Please provide your additional draft questions and topics for the program by the end of the day this Friday, June 14, 2019.

Thank you.

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<3215 Annual Convention Seminar PDF.pdf>

<Draft potential panelist questions and topics for How She Did It.docx>

<2019 Speaker Travel Reimbursement Form - How She Did It Panel Program.pdf>

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Clesi,Aimee B](#)
Subject: Re: Graham Central Fall 2019 Article
Date: Wednesday, September 25, 2019 6:35:11 AM
Attachments: [Outlook-vprdbxrf.png](#)

Aimee,

Please call me or send me your contact information. If this article is to be published, I would need to edit my section prior to publication. If that is not possible, please delete the section on me from the article.

Thank you,

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On Sep 25, 2019, at 12:17 AM, Clesi,Aimee B <aimee.clesi@ufl.edu> wrote:

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Sincerely yours,
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<AIMEE CLESI Power Women Article 9-19 Revised.pdf>

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Cc: [Laurence Colletti](#); [Public Information](#); [Israel, Jonathon](#); [Jonathon Israel](#); [Bilbrey, Christine A](#); [Christine Bilbrey](#); [Eckardt, Karla](#); [Evan Dicharry](#); [Kate Nutting](#)
Subject: Re: Interview Request at Florida Bar Annual Convention
Date: Wednesday, June 19, 2019 7:29:13 PM

I am sorry but I am not able to do this interview. I need to rush to a meeting shortly after the panel ends.

Thank you for the invitation.

Regards,

Justice Lagoa

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 19, 2019, at 6:30 PM, Nina Ashenafi Richardson [REDACTED] wrote:

Ms. Colletti,

Hello. I'm honored. Thank you for including me.
Count me in.

Look forward to seeing you and Justice Lagoa.

My cell number is [REDACTED]. Don't hesitate to call me too if you need to reach me by phone.

Nina

Nina Ashenafi Richardson

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From: Laurence Colletti <lcolletti@legaltalknetwork.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 19, 2019 8:45:40 AM
To: lagoab@flcourts.org; publicinformation@flcourts.org; Nina Ashenafi Richardson; Israel, Jonathon; Jonathon Israel; Bilbrey, Christine A; Christine Bilbrey; Eckardt, Karla; Evan Dicharry; Kate Nutting
Subject: Interview Request at Florida Bar Annual Convention

Hello Justice Lagoa and Judge Ashenafi-Richardson (Florida Bar Leadership CC'd),

My name is Laurence Colletti and I am the executive producer for Legal

Talk Network. The reason for my communication is that we are producing radio-style interviews in conjunction with the Florida Bar at the upcoming Annual Convention and would like to interview you about your presentation "How She Did It: Unconventional Paths to Leadership". This interview will be played on the official Florida Bar podcast.

The interview would be about 15 minutes long. Currently, we are planning to do this interview at the Boca Raton Resort & Club (same place as the Annual Convention) on Wednesday 6/26, 30 minutes after your presentation ends (interview at 3:30pm Eastern time).

Please let me know if you are interested and we'll work to set something up with you. My team members Evan and Kate (CC'd) are going to help with the scheduling, so please continue including them in our communications. In addition, I've placed links to past audio coverage of the Florida Bar Annual Convention below. Thank you in advance. Hoping to see you in Boca Raton!

- [Florida Bar President: Michael Higer](#)
- [Federal Judicial Roundtable](#)
- [Masters Seminar on Ethics](#)
- [Ethical Use of Social Media with Ethan Wall](#)
- [Criminal Law Update with Denis deVlaming](#)

Kindest Regards,

Laurence Colletti, JD, MBA
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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Rachel Bauer](#)
Cc: [Brenda Williams](#)
Subject: Re: Interview of Justice Barbara Lagoa_Final (1)
Date: Tuesday, April 2, 2019 8:58:25 AM

Yes, I did. I am about to get on a flight to Tallahassee. I will forward the photos to you this afternoon/evening.

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 2, 2019, at 8:48 AM, Rachel Bauer <rbauer000@gmail.com> wrote:

Good morning Justice Lagoa,

I hope you're well.

Thank you for taking the time to review the article and gather photos.

I am reaching out to follow up and see if you've received the photos from Mrs. Ruiz or a high resolution photo from your Florida Supreme Court headshot?

Thursday is the last day I am able to submit a photo to my editor for the article.

Thank you again and I look forward to hearing from you.

Best,

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On Wed, Mar 27, 2019 at 3:26 PM Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org> wrote:

Rachel,

Attached please find my edited document. I made some stylistic changes and corrected Hilarie's name and the Third District Court of Appeal. Hilarie only has one "l" and the Third DCA is without an "s" in Appeal.

I have asked Jenny to send me the photos.

Please let me know if you cannot open the edited document.

Many thanks on writing such a nice article.

All the best,

Justice Lagoa

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Rachel B. Kamoutsas

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Charles LeCocq](#)
Subject: Re: Interview with Justice Lagoa
Date: Friday, March 29, 2019 4:09:23 PM

Charles,

Tuesday would be great for an interview. Are you free after 4 pm ? I have a meeting at 3 and another meeting at 5:30.

If possible, could you bring a writing sample with you to the interview.

Thank you,

Justice Lagoa

Sent from my iPad

On Mar 29, 2019, at 9:52 AM, Charles LeCocq <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Justice Lagoa,

I look forward to interviewing for the position. Monday or Tuesday of next week would be perfect. Just let me know a time that works for you.

Respectfully,

Charles LeCocq

On Thu, Mar 28, 2019 at 5:47 PM Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org> wrote:

Mr. LeCocq,

I have reviewed your resume and would like to interview you for a Staff Attorney (Law Clerk) position in my Chambers. Please let me know if you are available for an interview either tomorrow or next week.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Justice Lagoa

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Lisa Walsh](#)
Subject: Re: Invitation from Gilbert Squires, Incoming President of DCBA
Date: Saturday, March 16, 2019 3:30:41 PM

Lisa,

Thank you so for your kind words. I would love to attend but I need to check my schedule. Two of the girls have a volleyball tournament in Orlando and I don't know if we have to be there on Saturday or not until Sunday. I'll check with the coach and get back to you.

All the best,

Barbara

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 16, 2019, at 2:50 PM, Lisa Walsh <lisasharonwalsh@gmail.com> wrote:

Hello Justice!!

Again, your speech this week was exceptional and inspirational. One of my mentees received a scholarship and she was stunned by you.

Have you have a chance to think about joining us on June 15 for the panel at the DCBA installation? Please let me know because I would like to start setting up a brief conference call in the next couple of weeks if I could. So far we have confirmed Judge Hendon, Judge Miller, Justice Luck and Judge Francis. We would really love to have you with us. I promise if I have the control over this that I hope to have, I will do my best to make this palatable and easy. Take care and thank you again, Lisa

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Bach, Lara](#)
Cc: ashlea.edwards@akerman.com
Subject: Re: Invitation to Participate on The Florida Bar Practicing with Professionalism Judicial Panel
Date: Monday, July 1, 2019 12:23:47 PM

Earlier is better because I need to fly back to Miami on September 25 in order to make sure I am back for the speech on the 26th of September. I have had 2 flights cancelled recently because of weather so if I need to drive back I want to make sure I give myself time to do that.

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Subject: Re: Inviting you to a panel of citizen leaders next Tuesday
Date: Wednesday, December 12, 2018 3:54:24 PM

Ms. Gray,

As I indicated before, hopefully, I will have a better sense of the schedule for next week after the interviews this weekend. I will keep you advised.

Thank you,

Barbara Lagoa

On Dec 12, 2018, at 3:11 PM, Priscilla M Gray <pgray911@gmail.com> wrote:

Dear Judge Lagoa,

I am writing to invite you to a private panel of thoughtful citizen leaders to discuss your views on topics related to our Florida and U.S. Constitutions at the office of Max R Price, Esq in South Miami on Tuesday, December 18th.

Also invited--but at separate times that day--are Judge Luck and Mr Couriel-- but they will not be scheduled at the same time as you.

Mr Price would be present, as would Anthony Verdugo (Christian Family Coalition), myself and an assortment of people--mostly attorneys.

I am a native of Miami, not an attorney --presently living in Naples--just moved back to my beloved Florida from southern California. The last time I was much active in Florida was 1992 when I worked with Citizens for a Responsible Judiciary--a long time ago!

I hope you will/can join us. I'd enjoy meeting you. We were thinking anytime after 10 am next Tuesday. The address of the discussion is 6701 Sunset Dr # 104, South Miami, FL 33143.

I look forward to hearing from you and pray that Tuesday might work for you.

Sincerely,
Priscilla Gray, Director

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
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Subject: Re: Law & Government Explorers Post 450
Date: Tuesday, October 1, 2019 9:36:04 AM

I am sorry but I am not available next week to travel to Orlando. Send me other dates in November.

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To: [Cohen, Jeffrey Michael](#)
Subject: Re: Mazel Tov from Betsy and me!!! [You may have to translate that for the folks in Tallahassee] We are thrilled for you and your family.
Date: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 11:00:29 PM

Jeff and Betsy,

Thank you so much. Paul and I will always have a special place for both of you in our hearts.

All the best,

Barbara and 

On Jan 9, 2019, at 11:49 AM, Cohen, Jeffrey Michael <jmcohen@carltonfields.com> wrote:

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Judge Barbara Lagoa

**Chief Judge Barbara Lagoa appointed to the
Florida Supreme Court**

**On January 9, 2019, Governor Ron DeSantis
announced the appointment of Chief Judge
Barbara Lagoa as Justice to the Florida Supreme
Court. This announcement was made at the
historic Freedom Tower building in Miami, FL.
Chief Judge Lagoa is the first female Cuban-
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Congratulations Chief Judge Lagoa

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Subject: Re: Message from President Michelle Suskauer - Wednesday, June 26th
Date: Tuesday, April 16, 2019 12:32:48 PM

I am available and pleased to participate in such a worthy endeavor. Thank you for including me.

On Apr 16, 2019, at 11:44 AM, Scott, Rosalyn <rscott@floridabar.org> wrote:

I am pleased to invite you to participate on an special panel at the upcoming [2019 Annual Florida Bar Convention in Boca Raton, Florida](#). The overall theme of the 2019 Convention is **unCONVENTIONAL**. The specific program I am inviting you to serve as a panelist for is titled, ***"How She Did It: unCONVENTIONAL Paths to Leadership"***. This program will take place [on Wednesday afternoon, June 26, 2019 from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. eastern](#) and will consist of two back-to-back panel discussions with 3 to 4 women on each panel. It will be an innovative and interactive panel discussion of top women leaders on the essential lessons of what it takes to excel in your career and in life. I will moderate the panel and facilitate the discussion. I am so excited about this program and expect it will be very well attended during convention. Please respond to this email to confirm your participation in the program. I would be honored for you to join me in presenting this program to our Bar colleagues during the 2019 Annual Florida Bar Convention.

Proposed Panelists:

Katherine Fernandez Rundle, Miami Date State Attorney
Nicole (Nikki) Fried, Florida Agriculture Commissioner
Marlene Gordon, Senior Vice President, General Counsel, Fresh Del Monte Produce
Justice Barbara Lagoa, Florida Supreme Court
Ashley Moody, Florida Attorney General
Ariana Fajardo Orshan, United States Attorney, Southern District
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If you have any questions, please contact me.

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Subject: Re: OAC Meeting #24 - Thursday, 11/29/18, at 1:30p.m. - Agenda, Minutes & Action Items
Date: Thursday, November 29, 2018 11:05:22 AM

Thank you

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On Nov 29, 2018, at 10:57 AM, Cruz, Edgar A - (FLA) <eacruz@tcco.com> wrote:

Good Morning Judge Lagoa:

Below the call-in number we used.

Phone No.: 1-866-244-8528
Passcode: 152269

Thank you,

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From: Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Sent: Thursday, November 29, 2018 10:24 AM
To: Rosalia Rodriguez [REDACTED]
Cc: Helga Morales <[REDACTED]>; Judge Leslie B. Rothenberg, Chief [REDACTED]; Santiago Palacios <palacios@flcourts.org>; Steven Hall <halls@flcourts.org>; Veronica Antonoff [REDACTED]; Whitfield, Jeff (Jeff.Whitfield@dms.myflorida.com) <Jeff.Whitfield@dms.myflorida.com>; Cruz, Edgar A - (FLA) <eacruz@tcco.com>; Lopez, Petronio - (FLA) <plopez@tcco.com>; McKenzie, Doug (Doug.McKenzie@aecom.com) <Doug.McKenzie@aecom.com>; Vidaurre, Jaime J - (FLA) <jyidaurre@tcco.com>; Perea, Claudia - (FLA) <cperea@tcco.com>
Subject: Re: OAC Meeting #24 - Thursday, 11/29/18, at 1:30p.m. - Agenda, Minutes & Action Items

May I have a call in number ? I have to be at a dental appointment at 2 p.m.

Thank you,

Judge Lagoa

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On Nov 29, 2018, at 8:15 AM, Rosalia Rodriguez [REDACTED] wrote:

Attached please find the following documents for the OAC Meeting today, Thursday, 11/29, at 1:30p.m. in the Robing Room.

<!--[if !supportLists]--> <!--[endif]-->Agenda
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Thank you,

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Stephen N. Zack](#)
Subject: Re: Our Bench & Bar Panel on Friday
Date: Wednesday, February 27, 2019 3:15:20 PM

Steve,

If possible, could you send some of the questions you will be asking. Looking forward to seeing you on Friday.

Best regards,

Barbara

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On Feb 27, 2019, at 2:24 PM, Stephen N. Zack <szack@bsfilp.com> wrote:

Looking forward to being with you on Friday at the Hyatt Regency in Downtown Miami, 400 SE 2nd Avenue.
The conference is taking place at the Main Theatre in the Main Lobby Level.
Jordan, where do you suggest we meet?

Respectfully,
Steve

From: Jordan Dresnick [<mailto:jordandresnick@gmail.com>]
Sent: Thursday, January 17, 2019 7:56 PM
To: Stephen N. Zack <szack@bsfilp.com>; Judge K. Michael Moore <K_Michael_Moore@flsd.uscourts.gov>; Soto, Bertila [REDACTED]; Laurel Isicoff <Laurel_M_Isicoff@flsb.uscourts.gov>; Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; Judge Robert J. Luck <luckr@flcourts.org>; [REDACTED]
Subject: Bench & Bar

Dear Justice Labarga, Justice Lagoa, Justice Luck, Chief Judge Moore, Chief Judge Soto, Chief Judge Isicoff, & Mr. Zack,

Thank you for agreeing to speak on the opening plenary session, "A Conversation with the Supreme Court Justice & Chief Judges" panel at the Spellman-Hoeveler Inns of Court's upcoming Bench & Bar Conference. I am writing to connect members of this distinguished panel.

The program will take place on Friday, March 1, at the Hyatt Regency Miami

(400 SE 2nd Ave., Miami, FL 33131) and this panel will run from 9 to 10 AM. To date, over 1,600 judges & lawyers have already RSVPed for the Conference and we are expecting it to be the largest CLE of its kind in the nation this year. All of the attendees will participate in the opening session.

Mr. Zack has generously agreed to moderate the panel. It is completely up to you to determine the specific format and topics to be covered.

Additional details on the program, including the agenda and speakers (full list to be released shortly) at:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/bench-bar-conference-tickets-51945221556>

We look forward to a wonderful program thanks to each of you.

Regards,
Jordan

Jordan A. Dresnick
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To: [Scott, Rosalyn](#)
Cc: [Election Services Co. for The Florida Bar](#); [Brenda Williams](#)
Subject: Re: PIN
Date: Monday, April 22, 2019 1:48:28 PM

Thank you to all. I was able to vote.

Much appreciated,

Justice Lagoa

On Apr 22, 2019, at 1:07 PM, Scott, Rosalyn <rscott@floridabar.org> wrote:

Please provide Justice Lagoa her PIN to vote. Her email address has changed and can be sent to her at lagoab@flcourts.org.

Thank you!

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To: [Lisa Walsh](#)
Cc: [Renatha Francis](#); [Judge Eric Hendon](#); [Judge Bronwyn Miller](#)
Subject: Re: Planning for Saturday
Date: Friday, June 14, 2019 6:20:29 PM

Thank you Lisa ! That is definitely better. I saw the program and it is long. We should probably keep it to 20-25 minutes max.

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On Jun 14, 2019, at 6:16 PM, Lisa Walsh <lisasharonwalsh@gmail.com> wrote:

Great news. He moved us up to 730. Our program will take max 30 min

On Jun 14, 2019, at 2:00 PM, Francis, Renatha S. [REDACTED] wrote:

Agreed it's pretty late. I'd imagine many would have left by then.

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From: Lisa Walsh <lisasharonwalsh@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 14, 2019 12:29:36 PM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa
Cc: Judge Eric Hendon; Judge Bronwyn Miller; Francis, Renatha S.
Subject: Re: Planning for Saturday

This is the decision of the president Gilbert Squires. I told him we should do this as a stand-alone separate from the gala, but he insists that this is what he really really wants.
I asked that we go first because of attrition, but this is what they scheduled..
I will convey your thoughts, as I have conveyed mine, but please plan on it going forward and don't leave me alone with the mike!
Thank you,
Lisa

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Date: Wednesday, September 25, 2019 8:05:51 AM

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Justice Lagoa

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Thank you for agreeing to participate in the Florida Bar's Practicing with Professionalism judicial panel on September 25, 2019 at 10 a.m. As a reminder, the panel is scheduled to take place at FSU College of Law in the John Frost Courtroom. All newly-admitted attorneys are required to take the Practicing with Professionalism course, which is now offered exclusively online. As a result, this panel will be filmed by a professional film crew and there will not be a live audience.

Your panel will be moderated by Judge Edwin Scales of the Third DCA (copied). He will be in touch with panel questions.

In the meantime, if you have any questions, please let us know.

All the best,

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Lara Bueso Bach

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Jackie Hart](#)
Cc: [Judge Nelly N. Khouzam](#)
Subject: Re: REPLY/request FROM JACKIE HART, EXEC DIR FOR FLABOTA Re Speaking Engagement Fri, July 26 CLE in Orlando (Four Seasons)
Date: Wednesday, June 12, 2019 12:25:52 AM

Nelly and Jackie,

I am truly sorry but I have tried to find a way to make both of these events happen but it is just too difficult to get back from DC to Orlando by Friday. I very much regret that I will not be able to attend but I know that you will be in good hands with Justice Luck. I hope that you will consider having me at another event for FLABOTA.

Again, my apologies.

All the best,

Barbara

Sent from my iPad

> On Jun 10, 2019, at 4:11 PM, Jackie Hart <jhart@gaebemullen.com> wrote:
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> Sorry, here is the brochure.
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> -----Original Message-----
> From: Jackie Hart
> Sent: Monday, June 10, 2019 4:08 PM
> To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
> Cc: Hart Jacqueline <flabota@flabota.org>; Judge Nelly N. Khouzam [REDACTED]; Hart Jacqueline <flabota@flabota.org>
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> Hello Justice Lagoa! Congrats on your award as well! Attached please find a copy of the brochure. I had scheduled you and Justice Luck from 12:00 to 2:00 (only to put something down). I can switch any of the afternoon speakers to accommodate your schedule. I am attaching the brochure so that you can see the time slots available in the afternoon. Please let me know which works and I'll switch them!
>
> Your Honor, what I do need from you is the topic phrase and a few of sentences of what you will speaking about so I can get the CLE approved. If you could let me know when I might expect it, I would greatly appreciate it. I am running close to the date to submit it to the FL Bar for that accreditation. You could let me know by email and I will put it on a blank piece of paper with your picture and bio which is what I am doing for Justice Luck.
>
> Of course we will reimburse you for your travel and I am having your hotel stay place on our master account. In that regard, please let me know if you will be staying Friday night after your speech (we have a cocktail party that evening) and if so, would you like to also stay Saturday night? We have our trial lawyer and jurist of the year awards banquet. Whatever your needs are, we will certainly accommodate you.
>
> Thank you for your time.
>
> Respectfully,
>
> Jacqueline Hart, Executive Director
> Florida American Board of Trial Advocates
> 420 South Dixie Highway, Third Floor, Coral Gables, FL 33146

> Cell: 786-348-3766 (text messages welcomed)

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Judge Nelly N. Khouzam [REDACTED]

> Sent: Monday, June 10, 2019 12:59 PM

> To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>

> Cc: Hart Jacqueline <flabota@flabota.org>; Jackie Hart <jhart@gaebemullen.com>

> Subject: RE: Touching base re: Fla-Abota's Annual convention in Orlando

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> Congratulations on receiving the award, such a great honor! Wow as to timing, I understand that you and Justice Luck have been scheduled for the 11:45- 1:00 pm time slot for Friday July 26. I am hoping that we can be flexible to accommodate your schedule, but Jackie is the person who can better answer this. As far as Justice Luck, I am interviewing him in a fireside chat format, I've prepared some questions (serious and fun ones) which I will send to him shortly.

> Hoping that you can still make it!

> Nelly

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> Judge Nelly N. Khouzam

> Second District court of Appeal

> [REDACTED]

> 813/272-3430

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Justice Barbara Lagoa

> Sent: Monday, June 10, 2019 12:45 PM

> To: Judge Nelly N. Khouzam [REDACTED]

> Cc: Hart Jacqueline <flabota@flabota.org>; jhart@gaebemullen.com

> Subject: Re: Touching base re: Fla-Abota's Annual convention in Orlando

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> Thanks,

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> Justice Lagoa

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> Sent from my iPad

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>> On Jun 10, 2019, at 11:56 AM, Judge Nelly N. Khouzam <[REDACTED]> wrote:

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>>> Nelly

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> <2019_Brochure-Four_Seasons-main.pdf>

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Manuel Farach](#)
Subject: Re: SJL March 13 Meeting Minutes
Date: Thursday, September 12, 2019 8:01:24 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Manny,

That would be great if you could look into that for me.

Thanks,

Barbara

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 12, 2019, at 6:16 PM, Farach, Manny <mfarach@mcglinchey.com> wrote:

Justice Lagoa,

I asked the Florida Bar Liaison to the Committee and she stated there were no major submissions to the Court during your term. As we discussed, this was due to my concern of getting verdict forms completed to go with the instructions we had approved. We did submit joint reports with the Civil Jury Instructions Committee; I don't recall those dates but can find those if you would like.

Manny

Manuel Farach

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From: Farach, Manny
Sent: Thursday, September 12, 2019 3:44 PM
To: 'lagoab@flcourts.org' <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: SJI March 13 Meeting Minutes

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Cc: [Hart Jacqueline](#); jhart@gaebemullen.com
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Date: Monday, June 10, 2019 12:45:02 PM

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Miami Law Moot Court Board](#)
Cc: [Barquero, Farah](#)
Subject: Re: University of Miami School of Law - Charles C. Papy, Jr. Moot Court Board
Date: Wednesday, July 3, 2019 9:57:34 AM

Thank you. I have the event calendared for October 29 at 6:30 p.m.

Best regards,

Justice Lagoa

On Jul 2, 2019, at 11:26 PM, Miami Law Moot Court Board
<gaubatzcompetition@gmail.com> wrote:

Good evening, Judge Lagoa,

We are very excited to have you. When selecting all three of our Final Round Judges, the Charles C. Papy, Jr. Moot Court Board unanimously thought of you. Your participation in the John T. Gaubatz Competition truly means a lot to our Miami Law community.

To clarify the date, the competition is on *Tuesday*, October 29, 2019. We are currently in the process of finalizing this year's problem. I will send you a copy of the final problem and the bench brief in August. In the mean time, please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Once again, thank you. We look forward to this exciting evening.

Respectfully,

Selene C. Vazquez
Vice President, Gaubatz Competition
Charles C. Papy, Jr. Moot Court Board
(954) 687 - 6243

On Tue, Jul 2, 2019 at 8:57 PM Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org> wrote:

Good evening,

Thank you for inviting me to serve as a judge at the John T. Gaubatz Moot Court competition on Thursday, October 29, 2019. I look forward to judging the competition along with Judge Jordan and Judge Altman.

Please send me the moot court materials at your earliest convenience.

Best regards,

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On Jun 11, 2019, at 11:19 AM, Miami Law Moot Court Board
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Honorable Barbara Lagoa
500 South Duval Street,
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

June 11, 2019

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Should you have any questions concerning the John T. Gaubatz Competition or the Moot Court Board in general, please do not hesitate to contact us at gaubatzcompetition@gmail.com. We would truly be honored to have you and hope to hear from you soon.

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President

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Kate Biel](#)
Subject: Re: Updated Quote
Date: Wednesday, May 8, 2019 1:40:05 PM

Hi I just got out of Court. Going to get a quick bite. Can I call you at 2:15 or 3 ?

Sent from my iPhone

On May 8, 2019, at 12:33 PM, Kate Biel <kate@edisontally.com> wrote:

Hi Barbara! Hope you're having a nice afternoon so far. Just wanted to follow up to collect the total for the party.

Kate Biel
Director of Catering and Private Events
The Edison
Tallahassee, Florida
www.edisontally.com

On May 7, 2019, 12:52 PM -0400, Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>, wrote:

Perfect. I will pay when I return to my office.

Sent from my iPhone

On May 7, 2019, at 10:58 AM, Kate Biel <kate@edisontally.com> wrote:

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From: Frankie L. Collier & Tangy Williams <Epluxedesigns@gmail.com>
Date: May 6, 2019, 5:16 PM -0400
To: Kate Biel <kate@edisontally.com>
Subject: Updated Quote



Thanks, Kate!



Review Quote

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Todd Baker](#)
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: Write-up of Justice Lagoa's path
Date: Friday, June 28, 2019 1:31:07 PM
Attachments: [image005.png](#)

Todd,

Thank you for reaching out to me. I also enjoyed speaking to you yesterday. Let's touch base after the Bar convention is over to see if we can organize an event for the Young Lawyers where I can share my war stories.

All the best,

Justice Lagoa

Sent from my iPad

On Jun 28, 2019, at 10:13 AM, Todd Baker <tbaker@injurylawyers.com> wrote:

Good morning,

I had such a great time speaking with you last night and I wanted to thank you for sharing some of your "war stories" from your career. It's nice to know even Supreme Court Justices have had great experiences, not so great experiences, funny experiences, and career changing experiences. I would love the opportunity to speak with you in greater detail and do either an interview or a write-up of our conversation so that other young lawyers can hear your story.

Please let me know if you're interested and we'll figure out the details.

Sincerely,

Todd L. Baker, Esq.

Director - Jewish Federation of Broward County

Chair – Jewish Federation of Broward County, Young Leaders Division

Committee Member – 17th Judicial Circuit Professionalism Committee

Director – Broward County Trial Lawyers Association

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Eric Hendon](#)
Subject: Re: Your Investiture
Date: Wednesday, May 15, 2019 11:18:09 PM

Eric,

Thank you for your kind wishes.

Best regards,

Barbara

On May 15, 2019, at 7:52 PM, Eric Hendon <erichendon123@aol.com> wrote:

Dear Justice Lagoa (Barbara),

Sorry I was unable to attend your investiture. Fortunately, I was able to watch the live stream in its entirety.

It was a beautiful ceremony. You were surrounded by your loving family and friends, and an incredible group of colleagues.

The remarks given by your speakers were heartfelt and your closing remarks were wonderful.

Wishing you a wonderful tenure at the Supreme Court of Florida where you will serve us well.

Warmest Regards,

Eric Hendon

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: info@epiphanycatholicchurch.com
Bcc: [REDACTED] [andbarbara \[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](#)
Subject: Request for Monsignor O'Doherty to perform Invocation at my Investiture as a Florida Supreme Court Justice
Date: Thursday, April 11, 2019 12:09:00 PM

Good morning,

I previously left a message at the parish but was also advised that I should do an invitation request via e-mail.

My Investiture as the 87th Justice of the Florida Supreme Court is scheduled for Friday, May 10, 2019 at 3 pm. I would be honored if Monsignor could do the Invocation for me, however, I understand that he may have other commitments. Could you please ask Monsignor if he is available? My cell is [REDACTED]. I would appreciate an answer as soon as possible as I will need to find a replacement if Monsignor is unavailable.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this request.

Best regards,

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Bcc: [REDACTED] [andbarbara \[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](#)
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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: cec15n@my.FSU.edu
Subject: Resume and transcript
Date: Friday, February 8, 2019 5:22:00 PM

Good afternoon Chelsea,

It was so nice to meet you this morning with Dean O'Hara O'Connor. Please send me at your earliest convenience a copy of your resume and transcript.

Best regards,

Justice Barbara Lagoa

From: [Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Barbara](#); [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#); [REDACTED]
Subject: Updated Attendance Lists (10:04 pm)
Date: Wednesday, May 8, 2019 10:05:04 PM
Attachments: [Investiture Attendees.xlsx](#)
[Investiture Attendees - Alpha.xlsx](#)

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Timeless Impressions Invitations](#)
Subject: hello
Date: Monday, April 8, 2019 6:52:27 PM

Elvia,

It's Barbara Lagoa. I hope all is well with you. I wanted to see if I could come by and order invitations. I need formal invitations printed for my judicial swearing in. My cell is [REDACTED]. Could you call me ? Or text or email me ?

Thanks,

Barbara

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 11, 2013, at 1:12 PM, Timeless Impressions Invitations <invitations@timelessimp.com> wrote:

Perfect, I will wait to hear from you.

Elvia
www.timelessimp.com

Sent via the Samsung GALAXY S™4, an AT&T 4G LTE smartphone

----- Original message -----

From: Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Date: 12/11/2013 1:03 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: Timeless Impressions Invitations <invitations@timelessimp.com>
Subject: Re: Revised Proof

Elvia,

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Sent from my iPhone

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Hi Barbara,
Attached is the revised proof without the design on the front of the envelope.

Please let me know if we are good to proceed with the order.
Thank you!
Elvia

ELVIA [Timeless Impressions Invitations](#)

Tel: [305.223.1158](#)

Website: www.timelessimp.com

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Stephen N. Zack](#)
Subject: Accepted: (12pm) Call Re: Topics and Format

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: [Cruz, Edgar A - \(FLA\)](#)
Subject: Accepted: 3DCA Phase 3 - OAC Meeting

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)

To: [Bach, Lara](#)

Subject: Accepted: The Florida Bar Practicing with Professionalism Judicial Panel (Chief Justice Canady, Justice Lagoa, and Justice Lawson)

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Georgia Franklin](#); [Debbie Nable](#)
Bcc: [REDACTED] [andbarbara\[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](#)
Subject: Change of Address for Barbara Lagoa
Date: Tuesday, November 19, 2019 12:47:32 PM

Good afternoon Georgia and Debbie,

I recently moved to a new house in Miami. My new address is [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Please update my records to reflect my new address.

Thank you so much for your assistance.

Best regards,

Justice Lagoa

Sent from my iPad

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: [Cruz, Edgar A - \(FLA\)](#)
Subject: Declined: 3DCA Phase 3 - OAC Meeting

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: knutting@lawgical.com
Subject: Declined: Updated invitation: Interview with Legal Talk Network at Florida Bar Annual C... @ Wed Jun 26, 2019 3:30pm - 4pm (EDT) (lagoab@flcourts.org)

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: FW: HNBF Judicial Leadership Award
Date: Tuesday, May 28, 2019 1:17:00 PM

Need airline tickets and hotel.. Let's discuss. BL

From: Brenda Williams
Sent: Tuesday, May 28, 2019 12:55 PM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: FW: HNBF Judicial Leadership Award

Sent calendar invite earlier, but wanted to forward Ms. Khan's e-mail as well.

Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: Aleesha Khan <aleesha.khan@hnbfb.org>
Sent: Tuesday, May 28, 2019 12:16 PM
To: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: HNBF Judicial Leadership Award

Hi Brenda,
I hope you had an enjoyable long weekend.
I am following up to ask if Justice Lagoa will accept the Hispanic National Bar Foundation's invitation to be our 2019 Judicial Leadership Awardee.

Last year's recipient was California Supreme Court Justice Mariano Florentino Cuéllar. I would be happy to answer any questions that Justice Lagoa may have about the event and the HNBF.

We look forward to Justice Lagoa's response. As our event is coming up on July 25 at the Ritz Carlton in Washington, D.C., we are making preparations for our event and sending out invitations - if you are able to let us know soon, it would be greatly appreciated.

Many thanks on behalf of HNBF President Jorge Mestre and our Board of Directors.

Best,
Aleesha

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Aleesha Khan
Co-Executive Director
Hispanic National Bar Foundation

aleesha.khan@hnbfb.org
<https://hnbfb.org/>

On Mon, May 20, 2019 at 2:41 PM Brenda Williams [REDACTED] wrote:

Okay, thank you.

Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: Aleesha Khan <aleesha.khan@hnbfb.org>
Sent: Monday, May 20, 2019 2:41 PM
To: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: HNBF Judicial Leadership Award

Yes - the HNBF can cover her travel expenses and accommodation at the Ritz Carlton in Washington DC.

On Mon, May 20, 2019 at 2:39 PM Brenda Williams [REDACTED] wrote:

Aleesha, I will be able to review this request with J. Lagoa later this week.
Will her travel expenses be covered?

Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: Aleesha Khan <aleesha.khan@hnbfb.org>
Sent: Monday, May 20, 2019 2:35 PM
To: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: HNBF Judicial Leadership Award

Hi Brenda, as discussed please see the email below with details on the Hispanic National Bar Foundation's awards dinner July 25 in Washington DC. Please do let us know if Justice Lagoa is able to attend and accept the award!

Thank you,
Aleesha

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Aleesha Khan
Co-Executive Director
Hispanic National Bar Foundation
aleesha.khan@hnbfb.org
<https://hnbfb.org/>

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Jamie Cotera** <jamie.cotera@hnbfb.org>
Date: Mon, May 20, 2019 at 2:25 PM
Subject: HNBF Judicial Leadership Award
To: Aleesha Khan <aleesha.khan@hnbfb.org>

Dear Justice Lagoa,

On behalf of the Hispanic National Bar Foundation's Board of Directors, and our president, Jorge Mestre, we would like to invite you to accept our HNBF Judicial Leadership Award.

I wanted to confirm that you're available to accept the award at our dinner on July 25, 2019 at the Ritz-Carlton, Washington, D.C. (located at 1150 22nd Street, N.W.).

You can find more information about our Future Latino Leaders Summer Law Institute in the attached brochure and on our website: www.hnbfb.org. You can specifically find information about the dinner and past awardees here: <https://hnbfb.org/programs-partnerships/annual-awards-dinner/>

Our Future Latino Leaders Class of 2019 will be in attendance at the dinner, and we know you will be an inspiration to them, given that you embody all of the qualities and characteristics of the type of leader that we strive for our students to become.

Please do not hesitate to reach out with any questions. We look forward to honoring you at our event!

All the best,

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Jamie Cotera
Co-Executive Director
Hispanic National Bar Foundation
www.hnbfb.org

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Aleesha Khan
Co-Executive Director
Hispanic National Bar Foundation
aleesha.khan@hnbf.org
<https://hnbf.org/>

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: tlagoa@outlook.com
Subject: FW: Investiture
Date: Friday, May 10, 2019 10:10:00 AM

-----Original Message-----

From: Craig Waters
Sent: Friday, May 10, 2019 9:27 AM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Cc: Tricia Knox [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Investiture

Yes, it will be on the Florida Channel provided nothing happens to preempt it. Our broadcast information page has details:

<https://www.floridasupremecourt.org/Oral-Arguments/Oral-Argument-Broadcasts>

Craig Waters

-----Original Message-----

From: Justice Barbara Lagoa
Sent: Friday, May 10, 2019 9:22 AM
To: Craig Waters [REDACTED]
Subject: Investiture

Craig,

Is this ceremony going to be televised on the Florida Channel ?

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Gmail](#)
Subject: FW: Photos
Date: Wednesday, April 3, 2019 5:32:00 PM
Attachments: [Lagoa-Informal \(001\).jpg](#)
[Lagoa-Formal Robe.jpg](#)

Please see formal and informal photos. Will send you photos from Jenny Ruiz.





From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: 2019 Legislature Opening Day
Date: Thursday, February 28, 2019 1:19:13 PM

FYI

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Silvester Dawson <[REDACTED]>
Date: February 28, 2019 at 12:34:29 PM EST
To: SC-JUSTICES [REDACTED]
Cc: JAs [REDACTED], Ferman Richardson [REDACTED],
Woodrow Kerce <[REDACTED]>, Robert Smith <smithr@flcourts.org>,
Sarah Naf Biehl <nafs@flcourts.org>
Subject: 2019 Legislature Opening Day

Although the full itinerary is forthcoming, please be aware of the following departure times concerning the 2019 Legislature Opening Day events, Tuesday, March 5th:

Justices:

9:10 A.M. --- **Meet in the Supreme Court rotunda for departure to holding room:** [Chief Justice Canady, Justice Polston, Justice Labarga, Justice Lawson, Justice Lagoa, Justice Luck, and Justice Muñiz] will depart from the **Supreme Court rotunda** to House Room #420 [lobby area conference/robing room].

Gallery Guests:

10:30 A.M. --- **House Joint Session Gallery guests** will meet in the **Supreme Court rotunda** and depart to the House Gallery. Marshal Dawson will secure gallery passes and deliver them to Deputy Marshal Robert Smith. Deputy Marshal Smith will meet, escort, and remain with guests in the House gallery. Then, he will escort guests back to the rotunda at the conclusion of the Governor's state of the state speech.

*Silvester Dawson
Marshal
Supreme Court of Florida
500 South Duval Street
Tallahassee, FL 32399
Office: (850) 488-8845*

Fax: (850) 921-2775

Email: [REDACTED]



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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Debbie Nable](#)
Bcc: [REDACTED] [andbarbara \[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](#)
Subject: Fwd: Automatic reply: Last Day
Date: Friday, December 6, 2019 1:43:17 PM

Debbie,

I see that Georgia is away. Please see my email below and let me know what paperwork I need to fill out.

Thank you,

Barbara Lagoa

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Georgia Franklin <franklig@flcourts.org>
Date: December 6, 2019 at 10:54:49 AM EST
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Automatic reply: Last Day

Hello,

Thank you for your message. I am currently away from the office through 12/17/19. I will respond to you upon my return. If you need immediate assistance, please contact the main number at (850) 487-0778 or contact Debbie Nable at (850) 488-3708.

Thank you.

From: Justice Barbara Lagoa
To: dcalas@aol.com
Subject: Fwd: Confirmation info
Date: Tuesday, June 4, 2019 10:39:41 AM
Attachments: image001.png

Desi,

See below to confirm the hotel room for the Bar. The confirmation number is below. Thanks
Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Date: June 4, 2019 at 10:38:18 AM EDT
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: FW: Confirmation info

Judge,

I just received this e-mail from Rosalyn. Desi Johnson needs to phone the hotel to provide credit card information to guarantee the room. (561) 447-3000

Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: Scott, Rosalyn <rscott@floridabar.org>
Sent: Tuesday, June 4, 2019 9:17 AM
To: Brenda William [REDACTED]
Subject: Confirmation info

Good Morning,

If you haven't already, please call the hotel and guarantee the reservation with a credit card. Thank you!

GUEST NAME	CONFIRMATION	ROOM TYPE	RATE	DEPOSIT	BILLING	ARRIVAL	DEPARTURE
JOHNSON/DESI	3503708810	TOWER WATERVIEW	\$209.00	\$0.00	N	6/26/2019	6/28/2019

Rosalyn A. Scott
Assistant to the President
651 East Jefferson Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2300
850.561.5759
rscott@floridabar.org



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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: Dinner following JJ. Luck & Muñiz investiture
Date: Wednesday, August 21, 2019 10:00:28 AM

See below

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Shannon Hudson" [REDACTED]
To: "Justice Barbara Lagoa" <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Dinner following JJ. Luck & Muñiz investiture

See the below invitation from J. Luck. Spouses welcome.

From: Betsy Johansen [REDACTED] >
Sent: Wednesday, August 21, 2019 8:52 AM
To: Jessica Outlaw [REDACTED];
Tamara Adkins [REDACTED] B.J.
Vickers [REDACTED]; Deborah
Riddell [REDACTED]; Brooke Conlan
[REDACTED]; Shannon Hudson
Cc: Justice Robert Luck <luckr@flcourts.org<<mailto:luckr@flcourts.org>>>
Subject: Dinner following the investiture (Tues., Sept. 24)

Justice Luck would like to invite the justices to a dinner he is hosting following the investiture and a brunch the next morning. The dinner will be at 6:00 at the University Club, and the brunch will be at 9:00 the next morning at his home. Please pass along this invitation to your justice.

Thank you,
Betsy

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: prints@birthtoblacktie.com
Subject: Fwd: Draft Investiture Invitation w/Supreme Court Seal
Date: Monday, April 8, 2019 8:26:05 PM
Attachments: [Draft Investiture Invitation.docx](#)
[ATT00001.htm](#)

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Brenda Williams [REDACTED] >
Date: April 4, 2019 at 4:01:01 PM EDT
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Draft Investiture Invitation w/Supreme Court Seal

Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421



*You are cordially invited to attend
The Investiture of
Barbara Lagoa
As
A Justice of the Supreme Court of Florida
On Friday, the tenth day of
May,
two-thousand and nineteen
At 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon.
Courtroom of the Florida Supreme Court

Reception to follow in the Rotunda*

RSVP



or (850) 488-8421

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: prints@birthtoblacktie.com
Subject: Fwd: Justice Perry's Address
Date: Thursday, May 2, 2019 10:55:05 AM

Elvia, I need another envelope and I need to Fed Ex this invitation.

Paul told me that you have extra envelopes.

Thanks,

Barbara
Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Date: May 2, 2019 at 10:43:35 AM EDT
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Justice Perry's Address

The Honorable and Mrs. James E.C. Perry

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: prints@birthtoblacktie.com
Subject: Fwd: Seal for Invitations
Date: Wednesday, April 10, 2019 9:28:34 AM
Attachments: [SCSEAL \(002\).TIF](#)

Elvia,

Does this work ?

Let me know.

Thanks,

Barbara

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Date: April 10, 2019 at 8:59:22 AM EDT
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: RE: Seal for Invitations

Yes, it was sent as an attachment.

Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: Justice Barbara Lagoa
Sent: Wednesday, April 10, 2019 8:51 AM
To: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: Seal for Invitations

Can it be sent as an attachment ?

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 10, 2019, at 8:41 AM, Brenda Williams [REDACTED] wrote:

Judge, please see attached seal from PIO office. Thanks.

Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: Justice Barbara Lagoa
Sent: Tuesday, April 9, 2019 4:03 PM
To: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Subject: Seal for Invitations

Brenda,

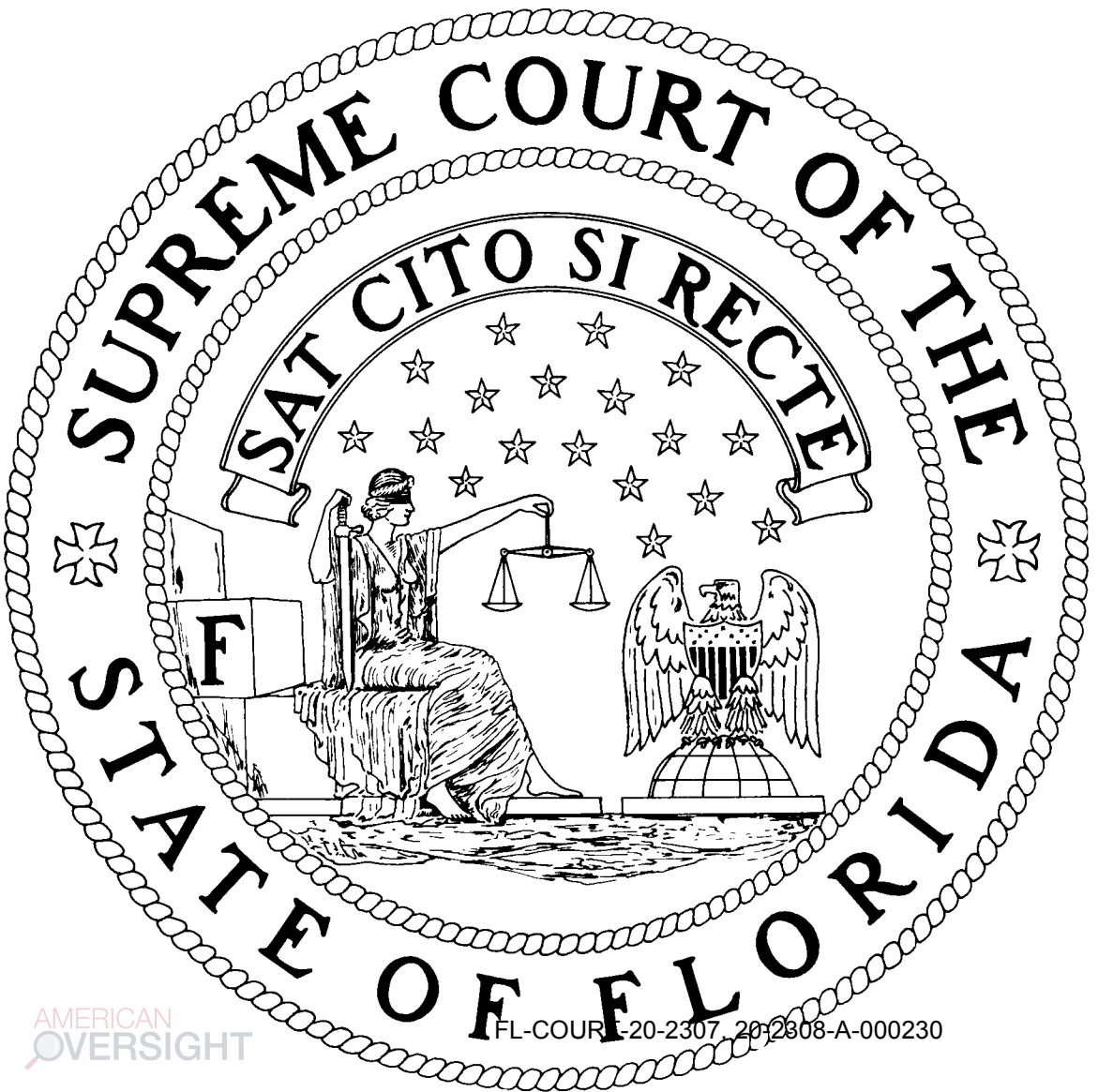
I spoke to the person I am working with on the invitations. Can you send us the seal in an attachment and also can the seal be at least 300 dpi (dots per inch) ? Maybe Gage can help you.

Thanks,

BL

<SCSEAL (002).TIF>





From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: prints@birthtoblacktie.com
Subject: Fwd: Supreme Court Seal
Date: Monday, April 8, 2019 8:26:25 PM

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Date: April 4, 2019 at 2:29:44 PM EDT
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Supreme Court Seal

Here is the seal. Just have to click on it to copy/paste it. Thanks.



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Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: Women of Distinction Event Wednesday 3/20
Date: Tuesday, March 12, 2019 10:39:22 AM

See below

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Date: March 12, 2019 at 10:13:03 AM EDT
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Women of Distinction Event Wednesday 3/20

Justice Lagoa, I have this event on your calendar for 3/20 with a question mark. I am confirming that you are planning to be here for Conference and not attending, correct? Thanks.

Join hundreds of judges, attorneys, in-house counsel, and corporate executives at the Women of Distinction Judicial Reception.

About this Event

The annual **Women of Distinction Gala** honors the role of women judges & lawyers in the community. Attended by an audience of hundreds of judge & attorneys, the program has become the largest of its kind in the Florida.

Wednesday, March 20

Cocktail Reception begins at 6 PM

Dinner & program to follow

Lifetime Achievement Award:

Hilarie Bass - Immediate Past President of the American Bar Association

Hon. Lenore Nesbitt Federal Judicial Award:

Judge Patricia Seitz - Southern District of Florida

Hon. Rosemary Barkett Award for Judicial Excellence:

Justice Barbara Lagoa - Florida Supreme Court

10-30 Year Practice Award:

Jennifer Altman - Pillsbury Wintrop Shaw Pittman
Deborah Baker - Greenspoon Marder LLP
Ardith Bronson - DLA Piper
Nina Greene - Genovese Joblove & Battista
Karen Josefsberg Ladis - Dade Legal Aid
Melba Pearson - ACLU of Florida
Effie Silva - Associate General Counsel, Tyson Foods, Inc.
Government Service Award:
Liesbeth Boots - Office of the Public Defender
Rising Star Award:
Marianne Curtis - Berger Singerman
Marbely Hernandez - Office of the State Attorney
Rochelle Wimbush - Ver Ploeg and Lumpkin PA
10-30 Year of Practice Award (Chair: Dolly Hernandez)
Federal Judge Award (Chair: Sherril Colombo)
Government Service Award (Chair: Katie Phang)
Host Committee (Chair: Hon. Tanya Brinkley)
Lifetime Achievement Award (Chairs: Hon. Abby Cynamon & Hon. Samantha Ruiz-Cohen)
Rising Star Award (Chair: Amber Kornreich)
State Judge Award (Chair: Alice Sum)
If you are interested in serving on the Award Selection Committee for one of the above committees, kindly email ASum@fowler-white.com.

Date And Time

Wed, March 20, 2019

6:00 PM – 8:30 PM EDT

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Location

Rusty Pelican Miami Restaurant

3201 Rickenbacker Causeway

Key Biscayne, FL 33149

Brenda D. Williams
Judicial Assistant to
Justice Barbara Lagoa
(850) 488-8421

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Timeless Impressions Invitations](#)
Subject: hello
Date: Monday, April 8, 2019 6:52:27 PM

Elvia,

It's Barbara Lagoa. I hope all is well with you. I wanted to see if I could come by and order invitations. I need formal invitations printed for my judicial swearing in. My cell is [REDACTED]. Could you call me ? Or text or email me ?

Thanks,

Barbara

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 11, 2013, at 1:12 PM, Timeless Impressions Invitations
<invitations@timelessimp.com> wrote:

Perfect, I will wait to hear from you.

Elvia
www.timelessimp.com

Sent via the Samsung GALAXY S™4, an AT&T 4G LTE smartphone

----- Original message -----

From: Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Date: 12/11/2013 1:03 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: Timeless Impressions Invitations <invitations@timelessimp.com>
Subject: Re: Revised Proof

Elvia,

The proof looks great but let me make sure that the picture is horizontal. I will get back to you by 2:30 at the latest. I need to put the disc in the computer. Barbara

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 11, 2013, at 12:44 PM, "Timeless Impressions Invitations"
<invitations@timelessimp.com> wrote:

Hi Barbara,
Attached is the revised proof without the design on the front of the envelope.

Please let me know if we are good to proceed with the order.
Thank you!
Elvia

ELVIA [Timeless Impressions Invitations](#)

Tel: [305.223.1158](#)

Website: www.timelessimp.com

<HuckRevisedProof.pdf>

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: Drh17d@my.fsu.edu
Subject: Internship
Date: Wednesday, March 20, 2019 5:23:00 PM

Deborah,

Thank you for your email and for sharing the photo that we took at the FAWL event. Would you mind sending me the contact information for the FSU externship coordinator ? Additionally, please send me your transcript and a writing sample. Please forward them to my attention.

Congratulations on your award and it was my pleasure to meet you.

Best regards,

Justice Lagoa

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Gmail](#)
Subject: Interview of Justice Barbara Lagoa_Final (1)
Date: Wednesday, March 27, 2019 3:26:16 PM
Attachments: [Interview of Justice Barbara Lagoa_Final \(1\).docx](#)

Rachel,

Attached please find my edited document. I made some stylistic changes and corrected Hilarie's name and the Third District Court of Appeal. Hilarie only has one "l" and the Third DCA is without an "s" in Appeal.

I have asked Jenny to send me the photos.

Please let me know if you cannot open the edited document.

Many thanks on writing such a nice article.

All the best,

Justice Lagoa

From Hialeah to Tallahassee: A Journey Powered by Mentorship and Dedication - An Interview
with Justice Barbara Lagoa
By Rachel Kamoutsas

On January 9, 2019, Justice Barbara Lagoa made her mark on history by becoming the first Hispanic woman and the first Cuban American woman appointed to the Florida Supreme Court.¹ Prior to her appointment to the state's highest court, she served for over 12 years as an appellate judge on the Third District Court of Appeal where she was also the first Hispanic woman and first Cuban American woman to serve on that Court.² She was also the first female Hispanic to serve as Chief Judge of the Third District Court of Appeal. Justice Lagoa's hard work and professional accomplishments that made her appointment to the highest state court possible, started with humble beginnings and encouragement from caring mentors.

Justice Lagoa grew up an only child in Hialeah, Florida. She remembers "riding her bike up and down the street under the watchful eye of her grandmother" while her parents worked long hours.³ "The beauty of my Cuban-American story is that is not unique in Miami. My parents, like many others, arrived here with nothing but the clothes on their back and their education. Castro took their personal possessions, their property, but he couldn't take their education. Because of that, they sacrificed to provide me with a Catholic school education and instilled in me the importance of education and hard work." Her deep admiration for her parents and their perseverance in spite of their plight in Cuba, motivated her to work hard.

Justice Lagoa's interest in the law developed in high school where she spent several summers working in the clerk's office at the courthouse in downtown Miami. Justice Lagoa recalled, "I would bring the paper files to the judges' chambers for motion calendar and got to know several of the judges. Judge Mario Goderich, who was on the trial court at the time and later became a judge on the Third District Court of Appeal, used to buy cafecitos and talk to me about the law." The chats over Cuban espresso shots during the summer experiences in the courthouse confirmed that the law was Justice Lagoa's passion.

Although Justice Lagoa aspired to become a lawyer, while she attended undergrad at Florida International University ("FIU"), she never thought she would be appointed to sit as a judge at the courthouse located next to the FIU campus years later.⁴ Her path to a legal degree began at FIU and was fostered through encouragement and mentorship from several professors in the English and Political Science Departments at the university. One professor in particular, John Stack, helped her develop the critical skills she would need to succeed in the practice of law. This same professor encouraged her to "expand [her] geographic and academic horizons to include the top law schools in the nation." Following that advice she applied and was accepted to Columbia University School of Law where she served as an associate editor for the law review journal.⁵

¹ <https://www.floridasupremecourt.org/Justices/Justice-Barbara-Lagoa>

² <http://www.3dca.flcourts.org/Judges/31-Lagoa.shtml> (last visited March 25, 2019).

³ "Governor Desantis names Miami-Born Justice to Supreme Court," January 9, 2019 at 12:00 pm, <https://miami.cbslocal.com/2019/01/09/gov-desantis-to-make-announcement-at-miamis-freedom-tower/>

⁴ Id.

⁵ <https://www-media.floridabar.org/uploads/2018/10/Lagoa-Barbara-1.pdf>

Along with the mentorship from professors at FIU, other men and women helped mentor her throughout her career. Justice Lagoa affirms that she “cannot overstate how important mentors have been in shaping my professional life.” One important female mentor was Hilarie Bass, who later became president of the ABA. Her mentors, including Ms. Bass, educated Justice Lagoa as a young attorney in the business side of the law, client services and built her confidence in practicing law. She shared, “if I prepared the motion for summary judgment, I argued that motion. If I prepped the witness, I handled that witness at trial. My mentors were generous with their time and their willingness to give me the in-court opportunities a young lawyer needs to cut his or her teeth.”

Her aspirations to serve as a judge began a few years into her legal practice, when she handled a landlord-tenant case in front of Cecilia Altonaga, who at the time was a county court judge in Hialeah, but now serves on the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida. Justice Lagoa remarked, “Seeing her—someone who looked like me—made me realize that I could do something like that as well. I didn’t know how you became a judge but I knew then that if I wanted to pursue that avenue, it was open to me.” That realization and interaction made a lasting impact on Justice Lagoa.

While it is undisputed Justice Lagoa is highly accomplished in a professional capacity, she also does a great job at balancing work and family life while raising 3 daughters.⁶ When asked, “how do you balance it all,” Justice Lagoa acknowledges there’s no definitive roadmap, but her personal role model for work life balance was her mother, an accountant. Justice Lagoa shared that her mom “made things seem effortless, but now I know she was waking up at 5 a.m. to get things done. Balancing career and motherhood is a juggling act and a constant challenge that requires you to be flexible—your day usually doesn’t end up looking like what you thought it would the night before.” Justice Lagoa shared some simple steps to help the juggling act go a bit more smoothly: 1) get a network of mothers for support; 2) say yes to help; and 3) keep a sense of humor. She also employs her favorite app, Instacart, to maximize grocery shopping efficiency, “I can order groceries when I land in either Tallahassee or Miami and that has been a wonderful timesaver.”

Still, even though work-life balance can already feel like managing two jobs at once it is important to keep the right perspective. Justice Lagoa shared one of her favorite quotes from another impressive and accomplished woman, First Lady Barbara Bush, who stated: “As important as your obligations as a teacher, a doctor, a lawyer or a business leader will be, your connections with spouses, with children, and with friends are the most important investments that you will ever make. There’s a big difference between having a career, and having a life. Be sure not to confuse the two.” The Sci-Fi fan in Justice Lagoa also believes you either “Do or do not. There is no try.” Yes, it’s Yoda.

Justice Lagoa is an example of how hard work and encouragement from mentors can help you make a mark on history. Her advice for rising female lawyers on how to make their mark, big or small, is: “First, hone your skills and learn your craft as a lawyer. It may seem obvious, but before anything else you have to learn to be an effective lawyer. Second, find mentors – women and men who will encourage your professional development, train you to become a better lawyer, and serve as your sounding boards for years to come. Finally, don’t be afraid to take chances or take risks because you think you might fail or because the timing isn’t perfect. The timing is never perfect, and life has no guarantees. Find the courage to do something you think you are not ready to do.”

⁶ <https://www.floridasupremecourt.org/Justices/Justice-Barbara-Lagoa>

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
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Rachel,

Attached please find my edited document. I made some stylistic changes and corrected Hilarie's name and the Third District Court of Appeal. Hilarie only has one "l" and the Third DCA is without an "s" in Appeal.

I have asked Jenny to send me the photos.

Please let me know if you cannot open the edited document.

Many thanks on writing such a nice article.

All the best,

Justice Lagoa

From Hialeah to Tallahassee: A Journey Powered by Mentorship and Dedication - An Interview
with Justice Barbara Lagoa
By Rachel Kamoutsas

On January 9, 2019, Justice Barbara Lagoa made her mark on history by becoming the first Hispanic woman and the first Cuban American woman appointed to the Florida Supreme Court.¹ Prior to her appointment to the state's highest court, she served for over 12 years as an appellate judge on the Third District Court of Appeal where she was also the first Hispanic woman and first Cuban American woman to serve on that Court.² She was also the first female Hispanic to serve as Chief Judge of the Third District Court of Appeal. Justice Lagoa's hard work and professional accomplishments that made her appointment to the highest state court possible, started with humble beginnings and encouragement from caring mentors.

Justice Lagoa grew up an only child in Hialeah, Florida. She remembers "riding her bike up and down the street under the watchful eye of her grandmother" while her parents worked long hours.³ "The beauty of my Cuban-American story is that is not unique in Miami. My parents, like many others, arrived here with nothing but the clothes on their back and their education. Castro took their personal possessions, their property, but he couldn't take their education. Because of that, they sacrificed to provide me with a Catholic school education and instilled in me the importance of education and hard work." Her deep admiration for her parents and their perseverance in spite of their plight in Cuba, motivated her to work hard.

Justice Lagoa's interest in the law developed in high school where she spent several summers working in the clerk's office at the courthouse in downtown Miami. Justice Lagoa recalled, "I would bring the paper files to the judges' chambers for motion calendar and got to know several of the judges. Judge Mario Goderich, who was on the trial court at the time and later became a judge on the Third District Court of Appeal, used to buy cafecitos and talk to me about the law." The chats over Cuban espresso shots during the summer experiences in the courthouse confirmed that the law was Justice Lagoa's passion.

Although Justice Lagoa aspired to become a lawyer, while she attended undergrad at Florida International University ("FIU"), she never thought she would be appointed to sit as a judge at the courthouse located next to the FIU campus years later.⁴ Her path to a legal degree began at FIU and was fostered through encouragement and mentorship from several professors in the English and Political Science Departments at the university. One professor in particular, John Stack, helped her develop the critical skills she would need to succeed in the practice of law. This same professor encouraged her to "expand [her] geographic and academic horizons to include the top law schools in the nation." Following that advice she applied and was accepted to Columbia University School of Law where she served as an associate editor for the law review journal.⁵

¹ <https://www.floridasupremecourt.org/Justices/Justice-Barbara-Lagoa>

² <http://www.3dca.flcourts.org/Judges/31-Lagoa.shtml> (last visited March 25, 2019).

³ "Governor Desantis names Miami-Born Justice to Supreme Court," January 9, 2019 at 12:00 pm, <https://miami.cbslocal.com/2019/01/09/gov-desantis-to-make-announcement-at-miamis-freedom-tower/>

⁴ Id.

⁵ <https://www-media.floridabar.org/uploads/2018/10/Lagoa-Barbara-1.pdf>

Along with the mentorship from professors at FIU, other men and women helped mentor her throughout her career. Justice Lagoa affirms that she “cannot overstate how important mentors have been in shaping my professional life.” One important female mentor was Hilarie Bass, who later became president of the ABA. Her mentors, including Ms. Bass, educated Justice Lagoa as a young attorney in the business side of the law, client services and built her confidence in practicing law. She shared, “if I prepared the motion for summary judgment, I argued that motion. If I prepped the witness, I handled that witness at trial. My mentors were generous with their time and their willingness to give me the in-court opportunities a young lawyer needs to cut his or her teeth.”

Her aspirations to serve as a judge began a few years into her legal practice, when she handled a landlord-tenant case in front of Cecilia Altonaga, who at the time was a county court judge in Hialeah, but now serves on the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida. Justice Lagoa remarked, “Seeing her—someone who looked like me—made me realize that I could do something like that as well. I didn’t know how you became a judge but I knew then that if I wanted to pursue that avenue, it was open to me.” That realization and interaction made a lasting impact on Justice Lagoa.

While it is undisputed Justice Lagoa is highly accomplished in a professional capacity, she also does a great job at balancing work and family life while raising 3 daughters.⁶ When asked, “how do you balance it all,” Justice Lagoa acknowledges there’s no definitive roadmap, but her personal role model for work life balance was her mother, an accountant. Justice Lagoa shared that her mom “made things seem effortless, but now I know she was waking up at 5 a.m. to get things done. Balancing career and motherhood is a juggling act and a constant challenge that requires you to be flexible—your day usually doesn’t end up looking like what you thought it would the night before.” Justice Lagoa shared some simple steps to help the juggling act go a bit more smoothly: 1) get a network of mothers for support; 2) say yes to help; and 3) keep a sense of humor. She also employs her favorite app, Instacart, to maximize grocery shopping efficiency, “I can order groceries when I land in either Tallahassee or Miami and that has been a wonderful timesaver.”

Still, even though work-life balance can already feel like managing two jobs at once it is important to keep the right perspective. Justice Lagoa shared one of her favorite quotes from another impressive and accomplished woman, First Lady Barbara Bush, who stated: “As important as your obligations as a teacher, a doctor, a lawyer or a business leader will be, your connections with spouses, with children, and with friends are the most important investments that you will ever make. There’s a big difference between having a career, and having a life. Be sure not to confuse the two.” The Sci-Fi fan in Justice Lagoa also believes you either “Do or do not. There is no try.” Yes, it’s Yoda.

Justice Lagoa is an example of how hard work and encouragement from mentors can help you make a mark on history. Her advice for rising female lawyers on how to make their mark, big or small, is: “First, hone your skills and learn your craft as a lawyer. It may seem obvious, but before anything else you have to learn to be an effective lawyer. Second, find mentors – women and men who will encourage your professional development, train you to become a better lawyer, and serve as your sounding boards for years to come. Finally, don’t be afraid to take chances or take risks because you think you might fail or because the timing isn’t perfect. The timing is never perfect, and life has no guarantees. Find the courage to do something you think you are not ready to do.”

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Mr. LeCocq,

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I look forward to hearing from you.

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Birriel, Sophie	
Buckner, David	
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Cordero, Rayza	
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de la Peña, Leo	
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DeSantis, Mrs. Ron	Speaker
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Fields, Lázaro	

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Floyd, Philip	
Forst, Alan	
Foster-Morales, Dori	
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Garcia, Susan	
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Gibson, Benjamin	Well
Gonzalez, Bryson	Young Adult
Gonzalez, James	Young Adult
Gonzalez, Jason	Speaker
Gonzalez, Richard	Young Adult
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Hanzman, Reva	
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Harding, Mrs. Major	Well - Former Justice
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Klinginsmith, Mark	

Knight, Jefferson	
Kottkamp, Jeffrey	
Lagoa, Barbara	Well
LeCocq, Charles	Law Clerk
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Lim, Ofelia	Well
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Miller, Mark	
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Moulton, Diane	
Nuñez, Lieutenant Governor Jeanette	Speaker
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Nordby, Rachel	Well
Osterhaus, Timothy	

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Pedrosa, Nilda	Well
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Primrose, Nicholas	
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Ruíz, Jenny	Well
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Sánchez, Lilly	
Sánchez, USN MIDN Michael A.	Speaker
Sánchez-Medina, Roland	Speaker
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Sayfie, Nushin	

Shepherd, Frank	
Silberman, Morris	
Smachetti, Emily	
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Strum, Shane	
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Suárez, Richard	
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Timmann, Carolyn	
Toledo, Richard	
Unger, Jason	JNC
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Vázquez, Oscar	Young Adult
Vázquez, Oscar	
Veilleux, April	Law Clerk
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Wetherell, Kent	
Williams, Brenda	
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Wolf, James	
Woods, Michael	Law Clerk

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Elvia,

Here are the names for the name cards. I would like the largest size which was the 3 1/2 by 5.

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Let me know if you have any issues opening

Thanks,

Barbara

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Georgia Franklin](#)
Bcc: [\[REDACTED\] andbarbara \[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](#)
Subject: Last Day
Date: Friday, December 6, 2019 10:54:49 AM

Good morning Georgia,

This is to advise you that my last day as a Justice is today, December 6, 2019. Let me know what paperwork I need to fill out.

Thank you for your assistance,

Barbara Lagoa
Sent from my iPad

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: KATE@edisonally.com
Subject: May 10 event
Date: Wednesday, April 24, 2019 6:08:48 PM

Kate,

I would like to speak about catering an cocktail/buffet dinner on May 10 following my Investiture ceremony.

Could you please call or text me at [REDACTED] ? I apologize for sending you so may emails but since I have so many out of town guests coming I need to let them know what the plans are for Friday evening.

Thank you,

Barbara Lagoa

Sent from my iPad

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Billie J. Blaine](#)
Cc: [April Veilleux](#)
Bcc: [REDACTED] [andbarbara \[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](#)
Subject: Need some dictionary definitions
Date: Friday, November 15, 2019 10:41:06 AM

Good morning Billie,

Could you obtain for me the definitions for the following words: “importance”, “public”, “public importance” (this one may be hard to find), and “great” ?

If possible, can you get the definitions from the following dictionary:

American Heritage Dictionary of the English Language, 2d edition 1980

Black’s Law Dictionary, 5th edition, 1981.

Thank you for your assistance,

Justice Lagoa

Sent from my iPad

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Gmail](#)
Subject: Photos
Date: Wednesday, April 3, 2019 5:30:00 PM
Attachments: [Lagoa-Informal \(001\).jpg](#)
[Lagoa-Formal Robe.jpg](#)

Please see formal and informal photos. Will send you photos from Jenny Ruiz.





From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [John Tomasino](#)
Bcc: [\[REDACTED\]ndbarbara\[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](#)
Subject: Question
Date: Monday, September 9, 2019 10:35:45 AM

John,

Can you tell me how many cases I have participated in since joining the FSC ? How many resulted in written opinions and percentage wise what was the breakdown between civil and criminal ?

Thanks

Barbara

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Kate Biel](#)
Subject: Re: 05.10.19 Investiture Dinner @ The Edison
Date: Wednesday, May 1, 2019 8:31:37 PM

Thank you so much for working with me. This is becoming much bigger than I anticipated but it will be fun. And since I am managing this by myself, it has become quite a project. Thank you for the assist.

Sent from my iPhone

On May 1, 2019, at 7:03 PM, Kate Biel <kate@edisontally.com> wrote:

Hi Barbara, just wanted to touch base really quick! Still working on the adjusted quotes for your party. Looking to have something to you tomorrow afternoon. Didn't want you to think I forgot about you!

Have a great evening & safe travels

Kate Biel
Director of Catering and Private Events
The Edison
Tallahassee, Florida
www.edisontally.com

On Apr 30, 2019, 10:57 AM -0400, Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>, wrote:

Great. See you then.

From: Kate Biel <kate@edisontally.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2019 10:54 AM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Re: 05.10.19 Investiture Dinner @ The Edison

Hi Barbara, 1:00pm is perfect! See you then.

The Edison 470 Suwannee Street

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Ready to Book?

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Subject: Re: 05.10.19 Investiture Dinner @ The Edison
Date: Monday, April 29, 2019 2:35:42 PM

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Sent from my iPhone

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From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["Linda Wells"](#)
Subject: RE: Appointment
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 2:55:48 PM

Linda,

Thank you so much. It means the world to me that you are in Argentina and are sending me congratulations.

Hope you are having a marvelous time. Let's get together soon when you return.

All the best,

Barbara

-----Original Message-----

From: Linda Wells [<mailto:linda@wellsrw.com>]
Sent: Thursday, January 10, 2019 9:38 AM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Appointment

Justice Lagoa,

From the very bottom of Argentina, I send congratulations on your appointment. Well done and well selected.

Linda

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Stephen N. Zack](#); [Jordan Dresnick](#); [Judge K. Michael Moore](#); [BERTILA SOTO](#); [Laurel Isicoff](#); [Justice Robert Luck](#); [B.J. Vickers](#)
Cc: [Carmen Washenko](#)
Subject: RE: Bench & Bar
Date: Friday, January 25, 2019 12:37:00 PM

Steve,

Thank you for reaching out to the panel members. I am available on the following proposed dates: Feb. 4, Feb. 15 and Feb. 19 (both at 12 or 5). I look forward to speaking to everyone regarding the format and possible topics for the session.

Best regards,

Barbara

From: Stephen N. Zack <szack@bsfllp.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 24, 2019 4:39 PM
To: Jordan Dresnick <jordandresnick@gmail.com>; Judge K. Michael Moore <K_Michael_Moore@flsd.uscourts.gov>; BERTILA SOTO [REDACTED]; Laurel Isicoff <Laurel_M_Isicoff@flsb.uscourts.gov>; Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; Justice Robert Luck <luckr@flcourts.org>; B.J. Vickers [REDACTED]
Cc: Carmen Washenko <cwashenko@bsfllp.com>
Subject: RE: Bench & Bar

Thank you, Jordan, for putting us in touch.

It is an honor to participate in this panel with our esteemed judiciary.

I would like to set up a call to discuss format and topics and propose the following dates. Please let me know what works best.

Monday, February 4th at 12pm ET
Tuesday, February 5th at 5pm ET
Friday, February 15th at 12pm ET
Tuesday, February 19th at 12pm ET
Tuesday, February 19th at 5pm ET

Kind regards,
Steve

From: Jordan Dresnick [<mailto:jordandresnick@gmail.com>]

Sent: Thursday, January 17, 2019 7:56 PM

To: Stephen N. Zack <szack@bsflfp.com>; Judge K. Michael Moore

<K_Michael_Moore@flsd.uscourts.gov>; Soto, Bertila [REDACTED]; Laurel Isicoff
<Laurel_M_Isicoff@flsb.uscourts.gov>; Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; Judge Robert J.
Luck <luckr@flcourts.org>; [REDACTED]

Subject: Bench & Bar

Dear Justice Labarga, Justice Lagoa, Justice Luck, Chief Judge Moore, Chief Judge Soto,
Chief Judge Isicoff, & Mr. Zack,

Thank you for agreeing to speak on the opening plenary session, "A Conversation with the
Supreme Court Justice & Chief Judges" panel at the Spellman-Hoeveler Inns of Court's
upcoming Bench & Bar Conference. I am writing to connect members of this distinguished
panel.

The program will take place on Friday, March 1, at the Hyatt Regency Miami (400 SE 2nd
Ave., Miami, FL 33131) and this panel will run from 9 to 10 AM. To date, over 1,600 judges
& lawyers have already RSVPed for the Conference and we are expecting it to be the largest CLE
of its kind in the nation this year. All of the attendees will participate in the opening session.

Mr. Zack has generously agreed to moderate the panel. It is completely up to you to determine
the specific format and topics to be covered.

Additional details on the program, including the agenda and speakers (full list to be released
shortly) at:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/bench-bar-conference-tickets-51945221556>

We look forward to a wonderful program thanks to each of you.

Regards,
Jordan

Jordan A. Dresnick
President, Spellman-Hoeveler Inns of Court
Tel.: 305-905-4526

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From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["John L. Badalamenti"](#)
Subject: RE: Brava!
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:51:06 PM

John,

Thank you so much for your well wishes. I am truly humbled by the appointment.

All the best to you and your family,

Barbara

-----Original Message-----

From: John L. Badalamenti [<mailto:johnbadalamenti@yahoo.com>]

Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 10:41 AM

To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>; [REDACTED]

Subject: Brava!

Congratulations on your appointment! So well-deserved, Barbara! My wife, Dina, and I are so proud of you and are Blessed to have you as our newest Justice! Congratulations to the whole Family!

With Appreciation,

John

(813) 263-4970 (mobile)

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Steven Hall](#)
Subject: Re: Car rental question
Date: Tuesday, June 4, 2019 10:27:25 AM

Steven,

Quick question: In April, I rented a car in Miami and drove to Tallahassee as I needed to bring boxes with me from Miami. I have been told that I can not be reimbursed for the mileage because it was a rental. Is this correct ?

Thank you,

Justice Lagoa

Sent from my iPad

On May 5, 2019, at 1:49 PM, Steven Hall <shall255@gmail.com> wrote:

Good Afternoon Justice Lagoa,

The state term contract for rental vehicles is with Enterprise Holdings, which includes both Enterprise and National. You can rent from either. National is “mostly” at airports, but not exclusively. You have two primary options for reserving a car, telephone or website and I’ll include both here. I’ve cc’d my work e-mail address, which you can typically reach me there readily between about 7am and 11pm most days.

Telephone:

There is a state contract toll free number you can use, 877-690-0064. If they ask what agency you are with, indicate State Courts System. They will ask you for a corporate discount number, that number is FL00051.

Website:

Visit: <https://partners.rentalcar.com/stateofflorida/> and click on business, then state agencies. You would then select State Courts System. The screens that follow allow you to select the location you wish to rent from, dates, car size, etc. The optional extras offered online (carbon offset, etc.) are not reimbursable. You will receive your confirmation online and if you provided an e-mail address, via e-mail as well.

A bit of other helpful information:

- When renting for business purposes, insurance is included in the rental at no additional cost. When renting for personal use, insurance is not included with the rental. (You can use the state contract for personal rentals, just tell them

when reserving on the phone or select personal use on the website.)

- The reimbursable rate is at the compact car level (\$25.55/day) unless there is a justification for a larger car (such as number of persons traveling, amount of boxes or materials being transported, etc.). Should you wish to rent a larger car, you may do so without justification. Simply request reimbursement only for the compact rate on your travel voucher. Personally, I always rent a larger car and pay the difference myself, so it's a common occurrence.
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To: Jamie.Moses@hklaw.com
Subject: Re: CFAWL's Judicial Reception
Date: Thursday, June 20, 2019 3:32:32 PM

Thank you for inviting me to speak. I will let you know as soon as I learn about the Court's OA November schedule. How long should the speech be and any topic in particular ?

All the best,

Justice Lagoa

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On Jun 20, 2019, at 2:54 PM, "Jamie.Moses@hklaw.com" <Jamie.Moses@hklaw.com> wrote:

Justice Lagoa,

Thank you so much for agreeing to be CFAWL's Guest of Honor at its November 7, 2019 Judicial Reception. We have booked the venue – Casa Feliz in Winter Park and have made a room reservation for you at the Alford Inn for the evening of November 7, 2019.

When you decide how you plan to get to Orlando, please let me know. Of course, we will reimburse your travel expenses and can arrange to pick you up at the airport if you will be flying.

I understand that the Court has oral argument that week. Justice Lawson mentioned that if a conflict should arise with the oral argument calendar, you would know that around September.

Please let me know if there is anything you need from me at this time.

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [John Tomasino](#)
Bcc: [REDACTED] [andbarbara \[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](#)
Subject: Re: Checking in
Date: Monday, December 2, 2019 10:20:48 AM

John,

Yes, I am still at the FSC. I will not be at OA this week as that did not make sense. I am waiting to hear when I will be receiving the Commission. I will let you know as soon as I hear.

Thanksgiving was lovely. How was your Thanksgiving?

Barbara

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On Dec 2, 2019, at 7:07 AM, John Tomasino [REDACTED] wrote:

Good morning, Justice Lagoa. Just checking in to confirm your status before we issue any orders today/this week. I'm assuming you are still with the FSC but wanted to verify just to make sure.

And I hope you had a wonderful (relaxing?) Thanksgiving holiday!

Thanks,
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Date: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 6:12:43 PM

Nothing that the inquiring judge has been asked to do—conduct an interview of a high school senior for his alma mater, fill out a form detailing the interview, provide impressions on the applicant or whether the alumnus would recommend the high school applicant for admission—is dependent on the inquiring judge’s position as a judge. The same process and form is required for all alumni who interview high school seniors for college admission.

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Best regards to all.

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Date: Thursday, December 6, 2018 11:39:00 AM

We are definitely overthinking this one. Why doesn't someone reach out to Judge [REDACTED] and ask him if this is asked of all alumni who want to participate in assisting the university with applicant interviews? I suspect that the answer is yes and he was not asked because he is a judge.

Barbara

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The draft includes the following sentence: "Absent from the inquiry is whether the judge has been requested to participate in the interviews because the judge is an alumnus, a judge or because the judge is an alumnus who is a judge."

I would suggest the following as well: "Absent from the inquiry is whether there are any standards that govern whether the judge would recommend the student for admission to the university."

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From: Judge James A. Edwards [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 10:34 AM
To: Charles Reynolds <creynolds@trenam.com>; Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; David Green [REDACTED]; Judge Joel Boles [REDACTED]; Judge Matthew Lucas [REDACTED]; Michael Andrews [REDACTED]; Michael Raiden [REDACTED]; Miguel De La O [REDACTED]; Judge Nina Ashenafi Richardson [REDACTED]; Roberto Arias [REDACTED]; Mark Herron <mherron@lawfla.com>; Melissa Hamilton [REDACTED]
Subject: Confidential JEAC draft opinion: [REDACTED] Inquiry

Please review the draft opinion prepared by Judge Andrews and let me know if you approve or have suggested edits at your earliest opportunity. If possible please provide your responses to me by 2:00 p.m. this Friday, but let me know if you need more time. Thanks to Judge Andrews for another well-done opinion.
Best regards to all.

Jim

James A. Edwards
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From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["Mendez, Victoria"](#)
Subject: RE: Congrats!!!!
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:21:28 PM

Thank you so much for your well wishes.

From: Mendez, Victoria [mailto:VMendez@miamigov.com]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 12:55 PM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Congrats!!!!

Wishing you continued success!!!!

Victoria Méndez, City Attorney



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From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["David Oscar Markus"](#)
Subject: RE: CONGRATS!!!
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:48:09 PM

Thank you David. Send my love to Mona and the girls.

-----Original Message-----

From: David Oscar Markus [<mailto:dmarkus@markuslaw.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 10:32 AM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: CONGRATS!!!

We are so happy for you!!!!

--David Oscar Markus
Markus/Moss
markuslaw.com
305-379-6667

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Marta Galan Ricardo](#)
Subject: Re: Congratulations from Columbia Law School
Date: Friday, January 11, 2019 4:15:15 PM

Law Review preferred. I need one clerk immediately.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 11, 2019, at 3:24 PM, Marta Galan Ricardo <mgr33@columbia.edu> wrote:

Barbara-

Is there any specific timing for the hiring of clerks that we should take into consideration in identifying candidates? If you have an immediate need, we usually have alumni we could reach out to.

Marta

Marta Galan Ricardo
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On Fri, Jan 11, 2019 at 2:42 PM Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org> wrote:

Marta,

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Thank you so much for reaching out.

All the best,

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Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 11, 2019, at 12:08 PM, Marta Galan Ricardo <mgr33@columbia.edu> wrote:

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To the extent that we can be helpful in highlighting potential term clerks for you, I would be happy to make the introduction to our clerkship office. I make a point of connecting with all of our Florida students so I know most the recent alumni and current students with a tie to the region. Of course, we would always be happy to host you on campus to speak with students and faculty if your schedule permits.

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From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["Simone Marstiller"](#)
Subject: RE: Congratulations!
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:22:28 PM

Simone,

Thank you so much for your well wishes. Congratulations to you as well. Hopefully, we will see each other soon in Tallahassee.

All the best,

Barbara

-----Original Message-----

From: Simone Marstiller [<mailto:s.marstiller@comcast.net>]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 12:45 PM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Congratulations!

So very happy for and proud of you!

Simone

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["Edward G. Guedes"](#)
Subject: RE: Congratulations!
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:35:40 PM

Ed,

Thank you so much for your well wishes. I am looking forward to attending the FSCHS dinner on February 7th. Do I need to get a table or tickets ? Please let me know.

On a personal note, I wanted to acknowledge that as a judge on the Third District Court of Appeal for the last 12 years I can attest that you are a great appellate lawyer. I always knew when I saw that you would be appearing before me for an OA that you would be: (1) well prepared and (2) your brief would be well-written and accurately reflect the record. Thank you for your professionalism and for the dedication you have shown to this Court as a member of the Historical Society.

All the best,

Barbara

From: Edward G. Guedes [mailto:EGuedes@wsh-law.com]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 11:53 AM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Cc: Mark.Miller@FlCourtHistory.org
Subject: Congratulations!
Importance: High

Dear Judge (Justice) Lagoa:

Wonderful news, and well-deserved! I look forward to seeing you (and arguing before you) in Tallahassee.

In my capacity as president of the Florida Supreme Court Historical Society (FSCHS), I wanted to make certain that you knew now that on February 7, the FSCHS holds its premier annual dinner in Tallahassee. This is the highlight of the judicial scene in Tallahassee and is attended by the justices each year along with several hundred guests. This year's dinner will feature Ted Olson as our keynote speaker and will include an introduction of and welcome to the new justices on the Court. We very much hope you will be able to attend the dinner along with your new colleagues at the Court.

I have copied our executive director, Mark Miller, who is always available to assist you in connection with the event or other matters pertaining to our interaction with Court.

On a personal note, if I may take the privilege, it fills me with tremendous pride that you are the first Cuban-American woman to serve on the Court! Felicidades!!

Respectfully,

Ed

Edward G. Guedes

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From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["Alexandra Valdes"](#)
Subject: RE: Congratulations!
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:42:16 PM

Alex,

Thank you so much for your thoughtful well wishes. I personally want to acknowledge that the work ethic and dedication of law clerks like you helped me attain this moment. Thank you.

Hope you are doing well and I hope you will be able to come to my Investiture in Tallahassee.

All the best,

Justice Lagoa

-----Original Message-----

From: Alexandra Valdes [<mailto:alexandra.valdes18@gmail.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 11:14 AM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Congratulations!

Congratulations, Justice!

Such exciting news! Can't tell you enough how lucky I feel to have had the honor to clerk for you. You truly are an inspiration—a great mother, an accomplished attorney and district court judge, and now our next brilliant Florida Supreme Court Justice!

Congratulations, again!

All the best,
Alex

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["Paul Morris"](#)
Subject: RE: Congratulations!
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:17:31 PM

Paul,

Thank you so much for your kind words. You are an excellent appellate attorney and I always knew when I saw that you were one of the lawyers for a scheduled OA that: (1) you would be well prepared and (2) your brief would be well-written and accurately reflect the record.

Thank you again for your well wishes.

Best regards,

Barbara

From: Paul Morris [mailto:paulappeal@gmail.com]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 2:41 PM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Congratulations!

Dear Chief Judge Soon-To-Be Justice Lagoa,

Doesn't that sound great? But it's bittersweet for us in the 3d DCA appellate bar. We will miss you dearly.

It has been my privilege to have been there from the beginning in June 2006. I hope to see you in Tallahassee as well.

Warmest regards,
Paul

P.S. If you have not heard former Justice Cantero's very amusing accounts about trying to get the attention of counsel at oral arguments when he first sat on the end of that very big bench or finding a decent cafecito, I bet he would love to share with you.

PM



From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: monicagordo@gmail.com
Subject: Re: Congratulations!
Date: Tuesday, November 27, 2018 8:56:56 PM

Thanks on the congratulations. Now onto the next round for me. Happy to meet with you. Let me know what works. Is your interview on Dec. 5 ?

Sent from my iPhone

> On Nov 27, 2018, at 5:17 PM, "monicagordo@gmail.com" <monicagordo@gmail.com> wrote:
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> Dear Barbara,
>
> Congratulations! How exciting it would be to have you be the first Cuban American woman on the Florida Supreme Court. I know you will make us proud. Best of luck.
>
> I am one of the finalists scheduled to interview with Governor Scott on November 9th. I would still love to meet for coffee or even a drink after work, if you have time. Please let me know.
>
> :)
> Monica
>
> Sent from my iPhone

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["Michael Feiler"](#)
Subject: RE: Congratulations
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:25:18 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Michael,

Thank you so much for your well wishes. I truly appreciate them.

All the best,

Barbara

From: Michael Feiler [mailto:mbf@flmlegal.com]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 12:04 PM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Congratulations

Your Honor:

Congratulations on your elevation to the Florida Supreme Court. I know that you will continue to serve the citizens of Florida well and with continued distinction. As an experienced trial lawyer, I have to admit I am beaming with local pride.

The new Governor had a pretty darn good first day with a home run like this.

Michael B. Feiler, B.C.S.
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From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["Manny Diaz"](#)
Subject: RE: Congratulations
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:46:00 PM

Manny,

Thank you so much. It is such an honor and I was so thrilled to be able to have my parents there to be able to share the moment with me. Their sacrifices mattered.

All the best,

Barbara

From: Manny Diaz [mailto:manny@lydeckerdiaz.com]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 10:59 AM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Congratulations

So, so proud of you.

Manny Diaz

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["hsepler@aol.com"](mailto:hsepler@aol.com)
Subject: RE: Congratulations
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 2:58:35 PM

Harvey,

Thank you for your kind words. I truly appreciate your well wishes.

All the best,

Barbara

From: hsepler@aol.com [mailto:hsepler@aol.com]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 11:53 PM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Cc: hsepler@aol.com
Subject: Congratulations

Judge --

I am so pleased by your appointment to the FSCT -- they couldn't have chosen a more worthy Justice.
May you enjoy your time on the Court for many years to come. It's an honor to know you.

Harvey

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Charles George](#)
Cc: [Judge Leslie B. Rothenberg](#), [Chief](#); [Veronica Antonoff](#); [Helga Morales](#)
Subject: Re: December 14th Event Scheduling Conflict
Date: Monday, December 3, 2018 4:07:50 PM

Chip,

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

All the best,

Barbara

On Dec 3, 2018, at 2:56 PM, Charles George <cgeorge@cmpg-law.com> wrote:

FYI - we sent this just now - will resend Thursday.

Be well.

Chip George

Begin forwarded message:

From: Third District Court of Appeal Historical Society <cgeorge@cmpg-law.com>
Subject: December 14th Event Scheduling Conflict
Date: December 3, 2018 at 2:51:29 PM EST
To: Charles M-P George <cgeorge@cmpg-law.com>
Reply-To: Third District Court of Appeal Historical Society <cgeorge@cmpg-law.com>

Due to a scheduling conflict
the Court will be unable to "Pass the Gavel"
at the scheduled December 14, 2018 Ceremony.

Thus, the Ceremony on December 14th
will be a Retirement Ceremony at which
Chief Judge Rothenberg
will formally say her goodbyes.

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Ryan Blair](#)
Subject: RE: Edison Dinner Party DJ
Date: Thursday, May 9, 2019 4:32:00 PM

May I call you later ?

From: Ryan Blair <RyanJBlair@hotmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, May 9, 2019 3:53 PM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Edison Dinner Party DJ

Hi Barbara,

My name is Ryan and I'll be Dj'ing the dinner party at The Edison Tomorrow on the 10th!

I thought I emailed you earlier this week but sent it to a .com address rather than a .org

If you could just give me a run through of the itinerary and expectations for the evening!

Thank you!
-Ryan

Ryan J Blair

phone: (309) 242-0390

web: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/ryanjamesblair>

email: ryanjblair@hotmail.com

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Gmail](#)
Subject: Re: FAWL Journal article follow up
Date: Thursday, March 14, 2019 9:33:02 AM

Unfortunately, I am attending a few events today and receiving another award this evening. I would be able to get it to you by tomorrow afternoon at the latest. If I return early enough tonight, I could possibly finish it tonight.

Sent from my iPhone

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Subject: RE: FAWL Journal's Article Request
Date: Tuesday, February 5, 2019 7:56:00 PM

I am not free tomorrow at 3. This is a very busy week. In addition to OA, we have multiple bar lunch/dinners. Let me look at my schedule tomorrow in order to see what time I have.

Thank you

From: Gmail <rbauer000@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, February 5, 2019 7:06 PM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Re: FAWL Journal's Article Request

Dear Justice Lagoa,

No problem at all! I can imagine you must be very busy. Thank you so much for getting back to me.

Yes, tomorrow afternoon is great. Would 3 pm work with your schedule?

If not, I'm happy to work around your schedule for something later this week or even setting up a time for next week.

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To: [Gmail](#)
Subject: Re: FAWL Journal's Article Request
Date: Tuesday, February 5, 2019 4:06:49 PM

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To: [Hill, Terry L](#)
Cc: [Seitz, Patricia A](#); [Nikki Fried](#); [Rundle, Katherine F](#); [Krista Marx](#); [Fox, Amira D.](#); [Judge Nina Ashenafi Richardson](#); [Miller, Katherine H](#); [Suskauer, Michelle R](#); [Doyle, Joshua](#); [Scott, Rosalyn](#)
Subject: Re: Florida Bar Annual Convention: "How She Did It: unCONVENTIONAl Paths to Leadership" Conference Call, Monday, June
Date: Saturday, June 15, 2019 3:43:46 PM

I am unable to participate on the conference call at noon on Monday as I am attending an event at that time.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 14, 2019, at 4:30 PM, Hill, Terry L <THill@floridabar.org> wrote:

Good afternoon. The planning conference call for the "How She Did It: unCONVENTIONAl Paths to Leadership" panel program will be **Monday, June 17th at 12:00 noon eastern time**. A separate calendar invite will be sent to each of you. The conference call information is also provided below.

"How She Did It: unCONVENTIONAl Paths to Leadership" planning conference call
Monday, June, 17, 2019
12:00 noon eastern time

Conference call dial-in 1-888-376-5050 and enter Participation Code 5487139641#

Thank you.

Terry L. Hill
Division Director, Programs
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From: Hill, Terry L <THill@floridabar.org>
Sent: Monday, June 10, 2019 9:02 PM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; Seitz, Patricia A <seitz@flsd.uscourts.gov>; Nikki Fried <nikki.fried@freshfromflorida.com>; Rundle, Katherine F <katherinefernandezrundle@miamisao.com>; Krista Marx <[REDACTED]>; Fox, Amira D. <afox@sao.cjis20.org>; [REDACTED]
Cc: Suskauer, Michelle R <michelle@dkrpa.com>; Miller, Katherine H <kmiller@surfcoastlaw.com>
Subject: The Florida Bar Annual Convention Program: "How She Did It: unCONVENTIONAl Paths to Leadership"
Importance: High

Good evening everyone.

This email will provide additional information on The Florida Bar Annual Convention Program, "**How She Did It: unCONVENTIONAl Paths to Leadership**". The final list of confirmed panelists is provided below. Attached to this email is the Annual Convention seminar PDF for the this panel program that includes everyone's bio and photo. We anticipate this program will have 100 attendees.

I have attached a draft list of potential questions and discussion topics for the "How She Did It..." panel discussion. Please review the list of potential questions and discussion topics. Each of you are encouraged to submit additional suggestions questions and/or discussion topics, please email them to me for inclusion on the list. Once compiled, a final list will be distributed to everyone.

MODERATOR:

Michelle Suskauer, President, The Florida Bar

PANELISTS:

Justice Barbara Lagoa, Florida Supreme Court
Judge Patricia Seitz, Senior United States District Judge, Southern District
Nicole (Nikki) Fried, Florida Agriculture Commissioner
Katherine Fernandez Rundle, Miami Date State Attorney
Judge Krista Marx, Chief Judge, Fifteenth Judicial Circuit
Amira Fox, State Attorney, Twentieth Judicial Circuit
Judge Nina Ashenafi-Richardson, Leon County Court Judge

OVERVIEW:

This high-powered program will consist of eight (8) successful women having candid conversations; exchanging stories of challenges, obstacles, and successes; and providing valuable advice and takeaways on paths to leadership including the essential lessons of what it takes to excel in the legal profession and in life. This will NOT be your traditional panel discussion with a moderator behind a podium and panelists behind a panel table. Think more along the lines of a talk show with eight extremely successful women.

The "**How She Did It: unCONVENTIONAL Paths to Leadership**" panel program is scheduled for Wednesday afternoon, June 26th from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. Please arrive at the seminar room (Grand Ballroom C) at 12:30 pm. This seminar is part of the 2019 Annual Florida Bar Convention. The location of the program is the Boca Raton Resort & Club located at 501 East Camino Real, Boca Raton, FL 33432. The seminar is scheduled for the Grand Ballroom C Meeting Room. The room will include a stage/riser that will include eight chairs and small tables in a semicircle. Each participant will have their own wireless lavalier microphone. The format of the program is more of a talk show open dialogue discussion with prepared questions and discussion topics with some limited questions from the audience at the end of each session. The plan is to have two 50 minute sessions with a 10 minute break in between the two sessions.

Each panelist is eligible for reimbursement of reasonable travel expenses including one-night hotel stay at the Boca Raton Resort and the Bar's group rate. The speaker/panelist reimbursement form is attached to this email. Please complete the speaker/panelists reimbursement form within one-week of the Bar Annual Convention so that it can be processed in the correct Bar fiscal year. The completed reimbursement form should be submitted after Annual Convention with the appropriate receipts to Tammy Wright at email address twright@floridabar.org or mailed to The Florida Bar, ATTN: Tammy Wright, PROGRAMS, 651 E. Jefferson Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-2300.

If you have any questions or if I can be of further assistance, please let me know. Please provide your additional draft questions and topics for the program by the end of the day this Friday, June 14, 2019.

Thank you.

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<3215 Annual Convention Seminar PDF.pdf>

<Draft potential panelist questions and topics for How She Did It.docx>

<2019 Speaker Travel Reimbursement Form - How She Did It Panel Program.pdf>

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Clesi,Aimee B](#)
Subject: Re: Graham Central Fall 2019 Article
Date: Wednesday, September 25, 2019 6:35:11 AM
Attachments: [Outlook-vprdbxrf.png](#)

Aimee,

Please call me or send me your contact information. If this article is to be published, I would need to edit my section prior to publication. If that is not possible, please delete the section on me from the article.

Thank you,

Justice Lagoa

On Sep 25, 2019, at 12:17 AM, Clesi,Aimee B <aimee.clesi@ufl.edu> wrote:

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Sincerely yours,
Aimee



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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Deborah Huveltdt](#)
Subject: RE: Internship
Date: Thursday, April 4, 2019 2:41:00 PM

Deborah,

Thank you so much for reaching out to me regarding the internship. I am a big believer that you should always follow your interest. My door is always open if you need advice or guidance.

All the best,

Justice Lagoa

From: Deborah Huveltdt <drh17d@my.fsu.edu>
Sent: Thursday, April 4, 2019 2:15 PM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Re: Internship

Dear Justice Lagoa,

After meeting with my advisor, and discussing my future plans in detail, I am afraid I need to withdraw myself from consideration for a Supreme Court internship.

I am truly honored at the opportunity and your invitation to apply. However, my main interest is in intellectual property law, and rearranging my schedule to make a clerkship possible would prevent me from taking the patent bar exam this summer.

It has been a difficult decision to withdraw however, I do know that FSU Law has some fantastic students ready to clerk this fall.

Thank you so much for your consideration. It was a pleasure to meet you, and I hope to see you again at other Tallahassee and FSU events.

Best wishes,

Deb

Deborah R. Huveltdt, M.S.

President, Nontraditional Students Association

Executive Article Selection Editor, Business Review vol. 19

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<https://www.linkedin.com/in/debhuveltdt/>

From: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>

Sent: Wednesday, March 20, 2019 17:23

To: Deborah Huveltdt

Subject: Internship

Deborah,

Thank you for your email and for sharing the photo that we took at the FAWL event. Would you mind sending me the contact information for the FSU externship coordinator ? Additionally, please send me your transcript and a writing sample. Please forward them to my attention.

Congratulations on your award and it was my pleasure to meet you.

Best regards,

Justice Lagoa

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Rachel Bauer](#)
Cc: [Brenda Williams](#)
Subject: Re: Interview of Justice Barbara Lagoa_Final (1)
Date: Tuesday, April 2, 2019 8:58:25 AM

Yes, I did. I am about to get on a flight to Tallahassee. I will forward the photos to you this afternoon/evening.

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 2, 2019, at 8:48 AM, Rachel Bauer <rbauer000@gmail.com> wrote:

Good morning Justice Lagoa,

I hope you're well.

Thank you for taking the time to review the article and gather photos.

I am reaching out to follow up and see if you've received the photos from Mrs. Ruiz or a high resolution photo from your Florida Supreme Court headshot?

Thursday is the last day I am able to submit a photo to my editor for the article.

Thank you again and I look forward to hearing from you.

Best,

Rachel Kamoutsas

On Wed, Mar 27, 2019 at 3:26 PM Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org> wrote:

Rachel,

Attached please find my edited document. I made some stylistic changes and corrected Hilarie's name and the Third District Court of Appeal. Hilarie only has one "l" and the Third DCA is without an "s" in Appeal.

I have asked Jenny to send me the photos.

Please let me know if you cannot open the edited document.

Many thanks on writing such a nice article.

All the best,

Justice Lagoa

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Rachel B. Kamoutsas

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Judge Nina Ashenafi Richardson](#)
Cc: [Laurence Colletti](#); [Public Information](#); [Israel, Jonathon](#); [Jonathon Israel](#); [Bilbrey, Christine A](#); [Christine Bilbrey](#); [Eckardt, Karla](#); [Evan Dicharry](#); [Kate Nutting](#)
Subject: Re: Interview Request at Florida Bar Annual Convention
Date: Wednesday, June 19, 2019 7:29:13 PM

I am sorry but I am not able to do this interview. I need to rush to a meeting shortly after the panel ends.

Thank you for the invitation.

Regards,

Justice Lagoa

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 19, 2019, at 6:30 PM, Nina Ashenafi Richardson [REDACTED] wrote:

Ms. Colletti,

Hello. I'm honored. Thank you for including me.
Count me in.

Look forward to seeing you and Justice Lagoa.

My cell number is [REDACTED]. Don't hesitate to call me too if you need to reach me by phone.

Nina

Nina Ashenafi Richardson

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From: Laurence Colletti <lcolletti@legaltalknetwork.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 19, 2019 8:45:40 AM
To: lagoab@flcourts.org; publicinformation@flcourts.org; Nina Ashenafi Richardson; Israel, Jonathon; Jonathon Israel; Bilbrey, Christine A; Christine Bilbrey; Eckardt, Karla; Evan Dicharry; Kate Nutting
Subject: Interview Request at Florida Bar Annual Convention

Hello Justice Lagoa and Judge Ashenafi-Richardson (Florida Bar Leadership CC'd),

My name is Laurence Colletti and I am the executive producer for Legal

Talk Network. The reason for my communication is that we are producing radio-style interviews in conjunction with the Florida Bar at the upcoming Annual Convention and would like to interview you about your presentation "How She Did It: Unconventional Paths to Leadership". This interview will be played on the official Florida Bar podcast.

The interview would be about 15 minutes long. Currently, we are planning to do this interview at the Boca Raton Resort & Club (same place as the Annual Convention) on Wednesday 6/26, 30 minutes after your presentation ends (interview at 3:30pm Eastern time).

Please let me know if you are interested and we'll work to set something up with you. My team members Evan and Kate (CC'd) are going to help with the scheduling, so please continue including them in our communications. In addition, I've placed links to past audio coverage of the Florida Bar Annual Convention below. Thank you in advance. Hoping to see you in Boca Raton!

- [Florida Bar President: Michael Higer](#)
- [Federal Judicial Roundtable](#)
- [Masters Seminar on Ethics](#)
- [Ethical Use of Social Media with Ethan Wall](#)
- [Criminal Law Update with Denis deVlaming](#)

Kindest Regards,

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Charles LeCocq](#)
Subject: Re: Interview with Justice Lagoa
Date: Friday, March 29, 2019 4:09:23 PM

Charles,

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Sent from my iPad

On Mar 29, 2019, at 9:52 AM, Charles LeCocq <[REDACTED]> wrote:

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To: [Charles LeCocq](#)
Subject: RE: Interview with Justice Lagoa
Date: Wednesday, April 3, 2019 2:11:00 PM

Charles,

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Best regards,

Justice Lagoa

From: Charles LeCocq [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, April 2, 2019 11:10 PM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Re: Interview with Justice Lagoa

Justice Lagoa,

Thank you for taking the time to meet with me this afternoon. Please let Brenda know how much I enjoyed meeting her as well. If you want any letters of recommendation or additional writing samples, just let me know. I look forward to hearing from you.

Respectfully,

Charles LeCocq

On Fri, Mar 29, 2019 at 4:57 PM Charles LeCocq <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Justice Lagoa,

I will be there Tuesday at around 4:00 with a writing sample. I will also email a copy of the writing sample to your office in case you wish to review it in advance. Thank you for your interest and have a great weekend!

Charles LeCocq
Law Clerk to Chief Judge Bradford L. Thomas
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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Lisa Walsh](#)
Subject: Re: Invitation from Gilbert Squires, Incoming President of DCBA
Date: Saturday, March 16, 2019 3:30:41 PM

Lisa,

Thank you so for your kind words. I would love to attend but I need to check my schedule. Two of the girls have a volleyball tournament in Orlando and I don't know if we have to be there on Saturday or not until Sunday. I'll check with the coach and get back to you.

All the best,

Barbara

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 16, 2019, at 2:50 PM, Lisa Walsh <lisasharonwalsh@gmail.com> wrote:

Hello Justice!!

Again, your speech this week was exceptional and inspirational. One of my mentees received a scholarship and she was stunned by you.

Have you have a chance to think about joining us on June 15 for the panel at the DCBA installation? Please let me know because I would like to start setting up a brief conference call in the next couple of weeks if I could. So far we have confirmed Judge Hendon, Judge Miller, Justice Luck and Judge Francis. We would really love to have you with us. I promise if I have the control over this that I hope to have, I will do my best to make this palatable and easy. Take care and thank you again, Lisa

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Bach, Lara](#)
Cc: ashlea.edwards@akerman.com
Subject: Re: Invitation to Participate on The Florida Bar Practicing with Professionalism Judicial Panel
Date: Monday, July 1, 2019 12:23:47 PM

Earlier is better because I need to fly back to Miami on September 25 in order to make sure I am back for the speech on the 26th of September. I have had 2 flights cancelled recently because of weather so if I need to drive back I want to make sure I give myself time to do that.

Thank you
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From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Priscilla M Gray](#)
Subject: Re: Inviting you to a panel of citizen leaders next Tuesday
Date: Wednesday, December 12, 2018 3:54:24 PM

Ms. Gray,

As I indicated before, hopefully, I will have a better sense of the schedule for next week after the interviews this weekend. I will keep you advised.

Thank you,

Barbara Lagoa

On Dec 12, 2018, at 3:11 PM, Priscilla M Gray <pgray911@gmail.com> wrote:

Dear Judge Lagoa,

I am writing to invite you to a private panel of thoughtful citizen leaders to discuss your views on topics related to our Florida and U.S. Constitutions at the office of Max R Price, Esq in South Miami on Tuesday, December 18th.

Also invited--but at separate times that day--are Judge Luck and Mr Couriel-- but they will not be scheduled at the same time as you.

Mr Price would be present, as would Anthony Verdugo (Christian Family Coalition), myself and an assortment of people--mostly attorneys.

I am a native of Miami, not an attorney --presently living in Naples--just moved back to my beloved Florida from southern California. The last time I was much active in Florida was 1992 when I worked with Citizens for a Responsible Judiciary--a long time ago!

I hope you will/can join us. I'd enjoy meeting you. We were thinking anytime after 10 am next Tuesday. The address of the discussion is 6701 Sunset Dr # 104, South Miami, FL 33143.

I look forward to hearing from you and pray that Tuesday might work for you.

Sincerely,
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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Msgr. Jude O'Doherty](#)
Subject: RE: Invocation
Date: Thursday, April 11, 2019 4:26:00 PM

Thank you Monsignor for your kind words.

God bless you as well,

Barbara

From: Msgr. Jude O'Doherty <judeo@epiphanycatholicchurch.com>
Sent: Thursday, April 11, 2019 3:09 PM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
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Dear Barbara:

Thank you for your invitation to do the Invocation at your Investiture on May 10. I am extremely honored to have been invited by you to this great occasion. As stated in my telephone message to you, I am unable to accept your gracious invitation for several reasons. I have numerous things going on in my life at this time which prevent me from scheduling anything else. I would love to be in Tallahassee with you and your family, but unfortunately, I cannot do it.

I know Father Alex has many connections with priests in the Tallahassee area, and he would be happy to assist you, if needed. I even asked him if he could travel, but he cannot go on that weekend either. If there is anything we can do to help you further, please let me know.

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From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: ["Harvey J. Sepler"](#)
Subject: RE: Judge Cope
Date: Tuesday, November 27, 2018 12:05:51 PM

Any time before 2 p.m. as I need to attend a construction meeting at 2:30.

From: Harvey J. Sepler [mailto:hsepler@aol.com]
Sent: Tuesday, November 27, 2018 11:53 AM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Re: Judge Cope

Of course. What time is best for me to call today?

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Date: Tuesday, October 1, 2019 9:36:04 AM

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Thank you!
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Subject: Re: Mazel Tov from Betsy and me!!! [You may have to translate that for the folks in Tallahassee] We are thrilled for you and your family.
Date: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 11:00:29 PM

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Cc: [Rundle, Katherine F](#); [Fried, Nicole H](#); mgordon@bacardi.com; citizenservices@myfloridalegal.com; [Fajardo Orshan, Ariana](#); [Seitz, Patricia A](#); [Suskauer, Michelle R](#); [Doyle, Joshua](#); [Hill, Terry L](#)
Subject: Re: Message from President Michelle Suskauer - Wednesday, June 26th
Date: Tuesday, April 16, 2019 12:32:48 PM

I am available and pleased to participate in such a worthy endeavor. Thank you for including me.

On Apr 16, 2019, at 11:44 AM, Scott, Rosalyn <rscott@floridabar.org> wrote:

I am pleased to invite you to participate on an special panel at the upcoming [2019 Annual Florida Bar Convention in Boca Raton, Florida](#). The overall theme of the 2019 Convention is **unCONVENTIONaL**. The specific program I am inviting you to serve as a panelist for is titled, “**How She Did It: unCONVENTIONaL Paths to Leadership**”. This program will take place [on Wednesday afternoon, June 26, 2019 from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. eastern](#) and will consist of two back-to-back panel discussions with 3 to 4 women on each panel. It will be an innovative and interactive panel discussion of top women leaders on the essential lessons of what it takes to excel in your career and in life. I will moderate the panel and facilitate the discussion. I am so excited about this program and expect it will be very well attended during convention. Please respond to this email to confirm your participation in the program. I would be honored for you to join me in presenting this program to our Bar colleagues during the 2019 Annual Florida Bar Convention.

Proposed Panelists:

Katherine Fernandez Rundle, Miami Date State Attorney
Nicole (Nikki) Fried, Florida Agriculture Commissioner
Marlene Gordon, Senior Vice President, General Counsel, Fresh Del Monte Produce
Justice Barbara Lagoa, Florida Supreme Court
Ashley Moody, Florida Attorney General
Ariana Fajardo Orshan, United States Attorney, Southern District
Judge Patricia Seitz, Senior United States District Judge, Southern District

If you have any questions, please contact me.

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Alexander Rosario](#)
Subject: Re: My Email
Date: Friday, July 26, 2019 11:48:59 AM

Alex,

Thank you for sending me this email as I enjoyed speaking to you last night, and look forward to staying in contact with you. Good luck on Saturday's Moot Court competition.

Best regards,

Justice Lagoa

Sent from my iPad

> On Jul 26, 2019, at 7:33 AM, Alexander Rosario <alexrosario2008@aol.com> wrote:

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> Good morning Judge,

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> This is Alexander Rosario, the student from the HNBF that you met last night; we spoke regarding the constitution and the like. I just wanted to let you know that this is my email, with which I'll be staying in contact. Congratulations again on your award!

>

>

> - Alex

From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Cruz, Edgar A - \(FLA\)](#)
Cc: [Rosalia Rodriguez](#); [Helga Morales](#); [Judge Leslie B. Rothenberg, Chief](#); [Santiago Palacios](#); [Steven Hall](#); [Veronica Antonoff](#); [Whitfield, Jeff \(Jeff.Whitfield@dms.myflorida.com\)](#); [Lopez, Petronio - \(FLA\)](#); [McKenzie, Doug \(Doug.McKenzie@aecom.com\)](#); [Vidaurre, Jaime J - \(FLA\)](#); [Perea, Claudia - \(FLA\)](#)
Subject: Re: OAC Meeting #24 - Thursday, 11/29/18, at 1:30p.m. - Agenda, Minutes & Action Items
Date: Thursday, November 29, 2018 11:05:22 AM

Thank you

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 29, 2018, at 10:57 AM, Cruz, Edgar A - (FLA) <eacruz@tcco.com> wrote:

Good Morning Judge Lagoa:

Below the call-in number we used.

Phone No.: 1-866-244-8528
Passcode: 152269

Thank you,

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From: Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Sent: Thursday, November 29, 2018 10:24 AM
To: Rosalia Rodriguez [REDACTED]
Cc: Helga Morales <[REDACTED]>; Judge Leslie B. Rothenberg, Chief [REDACTED]; Santiago Palacios <palacios@flcourts.org>; Steven Hall <halls@flcourts.org>; Veronica Antonoff [REDACTED]; Whitfield, Jeff (Jeff.Whitfield@dms.myflorida.com) <Jeff.Whitfield@dms.myflorida.com>; Cruz, Edgar A - (FLA) <eacruz@tcco.com>; Lopez, Petronio - (FLA) <plopez@tcco.com>; McKenzie, Doug (Doug.McKenzie@aecom.com) <Doug.McKenzie@aecom.com>; Vidaurre, Jaime J - (FLA) <jyidaurre@tcco.com>; Perea, Claudia - (FLA) <cperea@tcco.com>
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May I have a call in number ? I have to be at a dental appointment at 2 p.m.

Thank you,

Judge Lagoa

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On Nov 29, 2018, at 8:15 AM, Rosalia Rodriguez [REDACTED] wrote:

Attached please find the following documents for the OAC Meeting today, Thursday, 11/29, at 1:30p.m. in the Robing Room.

<!--[if !supportLists]--> <!--[endif]-->Agenda
<!--[if !supportLists]--> <!--[endif]-->OAC Minutes for Meeting
#23 (Revised)
<!--[if !supportLists]--> <!--[endif]-->Action Items

Thank you,

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Marshal's Office
Third District Court of Appeal
2001 S.W. 117 Avenue
Miami, FL 33175
Tel. (305)229-3200 Ext. 3229

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<OAC Minutes #23_2018_11_08 (Rev).pdf>
<2018_11_28 Action Items.pdf>

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Stephen N. Zack](#)
Subject: Re: Our Bench & Bar Panel on Friday
Date: Wednesday, February 27, 2019 3:15:20 PM

Steve,

If possible, could you send some of the questions you will be asking. Looking forward to seeing you on Friday.

Best regards,

Barbara

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 27, 2019, at 2:24 PM, Stephen N. Zack <szack@bsfilp.com> wrote:

Looking forward to being with you on Friday at the Hyatt Regency in
Downtown Miami, 400 SE 2nd Avenue.
The conference is taking place at the Main Theatre in the Main Lobby Level.
Jordan, where do you suggest we meet?

Respectfully,
Steve

From: Jordan Dresnick [<mailto:jordandresnick@gmail.com>]
Sent: Thursday, January 17, 2019 7:56 PM
To: Stephen N. Zack <szack@bsfilp.com>; Judge K. Michael Moore
<K_Michael_Moore@flsd.uscourts.gov>; Soto, Bertila [REDACTED];
Laurel Isicoff <Laurel_M_Isicoff@flsb.uscourts.gov>; Judge Barbara Lagoa
<lagoab@flcourts.org>; Judge Robert J. Luck <luckr@flcourts.org>;
[REDACTED]
Subject: Bench & Bar

Dear Justice Labarga, Justice Lagoa, Justice Luck, Chief Judge Moore, Chief
Judge Soto, Chief Judge Isicoff, & Mr. Zack,

Thank you for agreeing to speak on the opening plenary session, "A Conversation
with the Supreme Court Justice & Chief Judges" panel at the Spellman-Hoeveler
Inns of Court's upcoming Bench & Bar Conference. I am writing to connect
members of this distinguished panel.

The program will take place on Friday, March 1, at the Hyatt Regency Miami

(400 SE 2nd Ave., Miami, FL 33131) and this panel will run from 9 to 10 AM. To date, over 1,600 judges & lawyers have already RSVPed for the Conference and we are expecting it to be the largest CLE of its kind in the nation this year. All of the attendees will participate in the opening session.

Mr. Zack has generously agreed to moderate the panel. It is completely up to you to determine the specific format and topics to be covered.

Additional details on the program, including the agenda and speakers (full list to be released shortly) at:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/bench-bar-conference-tickets-51945221556>

We look forward to a wonderful program thanks to each of you.

Regards,
Jordan

Jordan A. Dresnick
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From: [Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief](#)
To: ["Greco, John A."](#)
Subject: RE:
Date: Thursday, January 10, 2019 4:23:03 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Thank you so much for your well wishes.

From: Greco, John A. [mailto:jagreco@miamigov.com]
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 12:44 PM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa, Chief <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject:

Judge,
Congratulations on your appointment!

John A. Greco, Deputy City Attorney



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Cc: [Election Services Co. for The Florida Bar](#); [Brenda Williams](#)
Subject: Re: PIN
Date: Monday, April 22, 2019 1:48:28 PM

Thank you to all. I was able to vote.

Much appreciated,

Justice Lagoa

On Apr 22, 2019, at 1:07 PM, Scott, Rosalyn <rscott@floridabar.org> wrote:

Please provide Justice Lagoa her PIN to vote. Her email address has changed and can be sent to her at lagoab@flcourts.org.

Thank you!

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Cc: [Renatha Francis](#); [Judge Eric Hendon](#); [Judge Bronwyn Miller](#)
Subject: Re: Planning for Saturday
Date: Friday, June 14, 2019 6:20:29 PM

Thank you Lisa ! That is definitely better. I saw the program and it is long. We should probably keep it to 20-25 minutes max.

Sent from my iPad

On Jun 14, 2019, at 6:16 PM, Lisa Walsh <lisasharonwalsh@gmail.com> wrote:

Great news. He moved us up to 730. Our program will take max 30 min

On Jun 14, 2019, at 2:00 PM, Francis, Renatha S. [REDACTED] wrote:

Agreed it's pretty late. I'd imagine many would have left by then.

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From: Lisa Walsh <lisasharonwalsh@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 14, 2019 12:29:36 PM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa
Cc: Judge Eric Hendon; Judge Bronwyn Miller; Francis, Renatha S.
Subject: Re: Planning for Saturday

This is the decision of the president Gilbert Squires. I told him we should do this as a stand-alone separate from the gala, but he insists that this is what he really really wants.

I asked that we go first because of attrition, but this is what they scheduled..

I will convey your thoughts, as I have conveyed mine, but please plan on it going forward and don't leave me alone with the mike!

Thank you,
Lisa

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To: ashlea.edwards@akerman.com
Subject: Re: Practicing with Professionalism Judicial Panel
Date: Wednesday, September 25, 2019 8:05:51 AM

Ashlea,

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Thank you,

Justice Lagoa

Sent from my iPad

On Sep 24, 2019, at 5:39 PM, "ashlea.edwards@akerman.com" <ashlea.edwards@akerman.com> wrote:

Thank you, Justice Lawson. See you all tomorrow and have a wonderful evening!

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Sent: Tuesday, September 24, 2019 5:32 PM
To: Edwards, Ashlea (Assoc-Jax) <ashlea.edwards@akerman.com>
Cc: Justice Charles T. Canady [REDACTED]; Judge Edwin A. Scales, III [REDACTED]; Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>; Thomas V Miller <TMiller@floridabar.org>; Lara Buesto <Lara.Bach@weil.com>; Adriana Yusty [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: Practicing with Professionalism Judicial Panel

I will not need a teleprompter either. Thank you.

On Sep 23, 2019, at 9:12 AM, ashlea.edwards@akerman.com wrote:

Dear Chief Justice Canady, Justice Lagoa, Justice Lawson and Judge Scales,

We look forward to seeing you this week at the taping of the Practicing with Professionalism program by the Florida Bar Young Lawyers Division. As a reminder, you are scheduled to film the judicial panel on Wednesday,

September 25, 2019 at 10:00 am in the Frost Courtroom at Florida State University Law School in Tallahassee. If needed, there will be a teleprompter at the taping. We can upload any scripts to the teleprompter for your use.

Thank you so much for agreeing to participate and we look forward to seeing you. If you have any questions in the meantime, please do not hesitate to reach out to either Lara Bach or myself.

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Subject: Re: Practicing with Professionalism Judicial Panel

All very good— except the jokes! Looking forward to being there.

On Sep 9, 2019, at 4:28 PM, Judge Edwin A. Scales, III
[REDACTED] wrote:

Dear Chief Justice Canady, Justice Lagoa

and Justice Lawson,

I am very much looking forward to the taping of the professionalism panel on September 25, 2019 at 10am. Last week, the YLD's Lara Bach warned...eh...er...told you that I would be sending you a list of discussion topics/questions.

Attached to this e-mail as a Word document, please find my draft list of discussion topics/questions, along with the Justice who will initially be asked the question. I will give a brief introduction of each of you, and then will delve into the professionalism questions.

Obviously, any of you may add additional responses to the questions as you see fit.

Also, if you would like any revisions, additions, deletions, etc., please do not hesitate to let me know.

While the actual program, after editing, will run approximately 50-60 minutes, I expect my introductions of you to last around 59 minutes, leaving us only about 40 seconds or so to address all issues.

Seriously, I expect the session to last no more than 80 minutes or so. It is my understanding that the YLD will appropriately edit the raw footage down to around 50-60 minutes. It is also my understanding that the edited footage has already been subpoenaed by the JQC.

Thank you so much for agreeing to be part of this important program. I look forward to seeing you in a couple of weeks.

In the meantime, if you have any questions, comments or concerns, please do not hesitate to let me know.

Ed

From: Bach, Lara <Lara.Bach@weil.com>
Sent: Thursday, September 5, 2019 12:02 PM
To: Justice Charles T. Canady [REDACTED];
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<TMiller@floridabar.org>; ashlea.edwards@akerman.com
Subject: Practicing with Professionalism Judicial Panel

Dear Chief Justice Canady, Justice Lagoa, and Justice
Lawson,

Thank you for agreeing to participate in the Florida Bar's Practicing with Professionalism judicial panel on September 25, 2019 at 10 a.m. As a reminder, the panel is scheduled to take place at FSU College of Law in the John Frost Courtroom. All newly-admitted attorneys are required to take the Practicing with Professionalism course, which is now offered exclusively online. As a result, this panel will be filmed by a professional film crew and there will not be a live audience.

Your panel will be moderated by Judge Edwin Scales of the Third DCA (copied). He will be in touch with

panel questions.

In the meantime, if you have any questions, please let us know.

All the best,

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Subject: Re: Practicing with Professionalism Judicial Panel
Date: Wednesday, September 25, 2019 8:16:32 AM

Yes, I have my IPAD with me.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 25, 2019, at 8:09 AM, "ashlea.edwards@akerman.com" <ashlea.edwards@akerman.com> wrote:

Good morning, Justice Lagoa.

That is not a problem. Do you have a word version of your answers you'd like uploaded that you can send me?

Looking forward to seeing you this morning and thanks for letting us know!
Thank you.

Ashlea

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Dear Chief Justice Canady, Justice Lagoa,
Justice Lawson and Judge Scales,

We look forward to seeing you this week at the
taping of the Practicing with Professionalism
program by the Florida Bar Young Lawyers
Division. As a reminder, you are scheduled to
film the judicial panel on Wednesday,
September 25, 2019 at 10:00 am in the Frost
Courtroom at Florida State University Law
School in Tallahassee. If needed, there will be a
teleprompter at the taping. We can upload any
scripts to the teleprompter for your use.

Thank you so much for agreeing to participate
and we look forward to seeing you. If you have
any questions in the meantime, please do not
hesitate to reach out to either Lara Bach or
myself.

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From: Justice Charles T. Canady

[REDACTED]

Sent: Monday, September 9, 2019 5:15 PM

To: Judge Edwin A. Scales, III

[REDACTED]

Cc: Justice Barbara Lagoa

<lagoab@flcourts.org>; Justice C. Alan Lawson

[REDACTED]

'Thomas V Miller'

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(Assoc-Jax) <ashlea.edwards@akerman.com>;

Bach, Lara <Lara.Bach@weil.com>; Adriana

Yusty [REDACTED]

Subject: Re: Practicing with Professionalism
Judicial Panel

All very good— except the jokes! Looking forward to being there.

On Sep 9, 2019, at 4:28 PM, Judge Edwin A. Scales, III [REDACTED] wrote:

Dear Chief Justice
Canady, Justice Lagoa
and Justice Lawson,

I am very much looking forward to the taping of the professionalism panel on September 25, 2019 at 10am. Last week, the YLD's Lara Bach warned...eh...er... told you that I would be sending you a list of discussion topics/questions.

Attached to this e-mail as a Word document, please find my draft list of discussion topics/questions, along with the Justice who will initially be asked the question. I will give a brief introduction of each of you, and then will delve into the professionalism questions.

Obviously, any of you may add additional responses to the questions as you see fit.

Also, if you would like any revisions, additions, deletions, etc., please do not hesitate to let me know.

While the actual program, after editing, will run approximately 50-60 minutes, I expect my introductions of you to last around 59 minutes, leaving us only about 40 seconds or so to address all issues.

Seriously, I expect the session to last no more than 80 minutes or so.

It is my understanding that the YLD will appropriately edit the raw footage down to around 50-60 minutes.

It is also my understanding that the edited footage has already been subpoenaed by the JQC.

Thank you so much for agreeing to be part of this important program. I look forward to seeing you in a couple of weeks.

In the meantime, if you have any questions, comments or concerns, please do not hesitate to let me know.

Ed

From: Bach, Lara

<Lara.Bach@weil.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 5,
2019 12:02 PM

To: Justice Charles T. Canady

[REDACTED]; Justice

Barbara Lagoa

<lagoab@flcourts.org>; Justice C.

Alan Lawson

[REDACTED]

Cc: Judge Edwin A. Scales, III

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Subject: Practicing with
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All the best,

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Subject: Re: Practicing with Professionalism Judicial Panel
Date: Thursday, September 5, 2019 12:28:15 PM

Lara,

Thank you for letting me know the schedule. Do you know how long the video presentation is for the newly admitted attorneys ?

Best regards,

Barbara Lagoa

On Sep 5, 2019, at 12:01 PM, Bach, Lara <Lara.Bach@weil.com> wrote:

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To: [Jackie Hart](#)
Cc: [Judge Nelly N. Khouzam](#)
Subject: Re: REPLY/request FROM JACKIE HART, EXEC DIR FOR FLABOTA Re Speaking Engagement Fri, July 26 CLE in Orlando (Four Seasons)
Date: Wednesday, June 12, 2019 12:25:52 AM

Nelly and Jackie,

I am truly sorry but I have tried to find a way to make both of these events happen but it is just too difficult to get back from DC to Orlando by Friday. I very much regret that I will not be able to attend but I know that you will be in good hands with Justice Luck. I hope that you will consider having me at another event for FLABOTA.

Again, my apologies.

All the best,

Barbara

Sent from my iPad

> On Jun 10, 2019, at 4:11 PM, Jackie Hart <jhart@gaebemullen.com> wrote:
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> Sorry, here is the brochure.
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Jackie Hart
> Sent: Monday, June 10, 2019 4:08 PM
> To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
> Cc: Hart Jacqueline <flabota@flabota.org>; Judge Nelly N. Khouzam [REDACTED]; Hart Jacqueline <flabota@flabota.org>
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>
> Hello Justice Lagoa! Congrats on your award as well! Attached please find a copy of the brochure. I had scheduled you and Justice Luck from 12:00 to 2:00 (only to put something down). I can switch any of the afternoon speakers to accommodate your schedule. I am attaching the brochure so that you can see the time slots available in the afternoon. Please let me know which works and I'll switch them!
>
> Your Honor, what I do need from you is the topic phrase and a few of sentences of what you will speaking about so I can get the CLE approved. If you could let me know when I might expect it, I would greatly appreciate it. I am running close to the date to submit it to the FL Bar for that accreditation. You could let me know by email and I will put it on a blank piece of paper with your picture and bio which is what I am doing for Justice Luck.
>
> Of course we will reimburse you for your travel and I am having your hotel stay place on our master account. In that regard, please let me know if you will be staying Friday night after your speech (we have a cocktail party that evening) and if so, would you like to also stay Saturday night? We have our trial lawyer and jurist of the year awards banquet. Whatever your needs are, we will certainly accommodate you.
>
> Thank you for your time.
>
> Respectfully,
>
> Jacqueline Hart, Executive Director
> Florida American Board of Trial Advocates
> 420 South Dixie Highway, Third Floor, Coral Gables, FL 33146

> Cell: 786-348-3766 (text messages welcomed)

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Judge Nelly N. Khouzam [REDACTED]

> Sent: Monday, June 10, 2019 12:59 PM

> To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>

> Cc: Hart Jacqueline <flabota@flabota.org>; Jackie Hart <jhart@gaebemullen.com>

> Subject: RE: Touching base re: Fla-Abota's Annual convention in Orlando

>

> Congratulations on receiving the award, such a great honor! Wow as to timing, I understand that you and Justice Luck have been scheduled for the 11:45- 1:00 pm time slot for Friday July 26. I am hoping that we can be flexible to accommodate your schedule, but Jackie is the person who can better answer this. As far as Justice Luck, I am interviewing him in a fireside chat format, I've prepared some questions (serious and fun ones) which I will send to him shortly.

> Hoping that you can still make it!

> Nelly

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> Judge Nelly N. Khouzam

> Second District court of Appeal

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> From: Justice Barbara Lagoa

> Sent: Monday, June 10, 2019 12:45 PM

> To: Judge Nelly N. Khouzam [REDACTED]

> Cc: Hart Jacqueline <flabota@flabota.org>; jhart@gaebemullen.com

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> Thanks,

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> Justice Lagoa

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> Sent from my iPad

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>> On Jun 10, 2019, at 11:56 AM, Judge Nelly N. Khouzam <[REDACTED]> wrote:

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> <2019_Brochure-Four_Seasons-main.pdf>

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Manuel Farach](#)
Subject: Re: SJL March 13 Meeting Minutes
Date: Thursday, September 12, 2019 8:01:24 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Manny,

That would be great if you could look into that for me.

Thanks,

Barbara

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 12, 2019, at 6:16 PM, Farach, Manny <mfarach@mcglinchey.com> wrote:

Justice Lagoa,

I asked the Florida Bar Liaison to the Committee and she stated there were no major submissions to the Court during your term. As we discussed, this was due to my concern of getting verdict forms completed to go with the instructions we had approved. We did submit joint reports with the Civil Jury Instructions Committee; I don't recall those dates but can find those if you would like.

Manny

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From: Farach, Manny
Sent: Thursday, September 12, 2019 3:44 PM
To: 'lagoab@flcourts.org' <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: SJI March 13 Meeting Minutes

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From: [Lagoa Intern](#)
To: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
Cc: blaynejudis@gmail.com
Subject: RE: Thank You
Date: Wednesday, July 3, 2019 4:48:00 PM

Justice Lagoa,

It would be an honor to continue interning with you in Miami. I begin clerking at a law firm in Coral Gables on July 15th. If the firm is not already expecting me to continue with them through the fall semester, I would love to continue interning for you.

I have cc'ed my other e-mail address so that I can continue to receive e-mails from this chain after I leave. I would appreciate the opportunity to meet with you and discuss this opportunity in Miami at a later date.

Thank you,

From: Justice Barbara Lagoa
Sent: Wednesday, July 3, 2019 3:34 PM
To: Lagoa Intern <lagin@flcourts.org>
Cc: Charles LeCocq [REDACTED]; Michael Woods [REDACTED]; April Veilleux [REDACTED]; Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: Thank You

Blayne,

Thank you for all your hard work these past eight weeks. It was greatly appreciated. I know that you will be busy when you start school again in the Fall but we would love to have you continue to intern with us in Miami. As you know, April, Mike and I are at the Children's Courthouse downtown. If this is something that interests you, please let us know. We could use the top notch legal skills that you brought to the team.

Have a happy Independence Day and enjoy the rest of your summer.

All the best,

Justice Lagoa

Sent from my iPad

On Jul 3, 2019, at 1:12 PM, Lagoa Intern <lagin@flcourts.org> wrote:

Good Afternoon Justice Lagoa,

Today is my last day interning at the Florida Supreme Court, so I wanted to thank you for the opportunity to work in your chambers this summer. It has been an honor and a privilege working alongside Charles and Brenda here in Tallahassee these past eight weeks. Charles is an outstanding supervising staff attorney. I have grown as a legal writer, *almost lawyer, and professional due to his patience and encouragement each day. Thank you April and Mike as well for this opportunity.

I hope you have a relaxing July 4th weekend and a wonderful rest of your summer.

Thank you,

Blayne Yudis

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: ["Katarina Dobsinska"](#)
Subject: RE: Thank You
Date: Thursday, January 17, 2019 2:06:38 PM

Katarina,

Thank you so much for your kind words. It was my pleasure to have you as an intern this past year. I wish you much success in your future endeavors. If you ever need any guidance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

All the best,

Justice Lagoa

From: Katarina Dobsinska [mailto:kdobs003@fiu.edu]
Sent: Thursday, January 17, 2019 1:30 PM
To: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Thank You

Dear Justice Lagoa,

Hope this email finds you well.

Congratulations on your appointment to the Florida Supreme Court. I saw your beautiful speech; it was very moving and even made me cry. I would like to let you know how much I enjoyed interning for you this past year. I learned so much and I will always be grateful for this opportunity. I stopped by the office last Friday and left there something for you and your daughters. I hope you will like it.

Thank you for everything.

Respectfully,

Katarina Dobsinska
Juris Doctor Candidate, 2019
Florida International University College of Law
Cell: [\(786\) 355-6598](tel:7863556598)

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Cc: [Hart Jacqueline](#); jhart@gaebemullen.com
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Date: Monday, June 10, 2019 12:45:02 PM

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Miami Law Moot Court Board](#)
Cc: [Barquero, Farah](#)
Subject: Re: University of Miami School of Law - Charles C. Papy, Jr. Moot Court Board
Date: Wednesday, July 3, 2019 9:57:34 AM

Thank you. I have the event calendared for October 29 at 6:30 p.m.

Best regards,

Justice Lagoa

On Jul 2, 2019, at 11:26 PM, Miami Law Moot Court Board
<gaubatzcompetition@gmail.com> wrote:

Good evening, Judge Lagoa,

We are very excited to have you. When selecting all three of our Final Round Judges, the Charles C. Papy, Jr. Moot Court Board unanimously thought of you. Your participation in the John T. Gaubatz Competition truly means a lot to our Miami Law community.

To clarify the date, the competition is on *Tuesday*, October 29, 2019. We are currently in the process of finalizing this year's problem. I will send you a copy of the final problem and the bench brief in August. In the mean time, please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Once again, thank you. We look forward to this exciting evening.

Respectfully,

Selene C. Vazquez
Vice President, Gaubatz Competition
Charles C. Papy, Jr. Moot Court Board
(954) 687 - 6243

On Tue, Jul 2, 2019 at 8:57 PM Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org> wrote:

Good evening,

Thank you for inviting me to serve as a judge at the John T. Gaubatz Moot Court competition on Thursday, October 29, 2019. I look forward to judging the competition along with Judge Jordan and Judge Altman.

Please send me the moot court materials at your earliest convenience.

Best regards,

Justice Lagoa

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500 South Duval Street,
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

June 11, 2019

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Kate Biel](#)
Subject: Re: Updated Quote
Date: Wednesday, May 8, 2019 1:40:05 PM

Hi I just got out of Court. Going to get a quick bite. Can I call you at 2:15 or 3 ?

Sent from my iPhone

On May 8, 2019, at 12:33 PM, Kate Biel <kate@edisontally.com> wrote:

Hi Barbara! Hope you're having a nice afternoon so far. Just wanted to follow up to collect the total for the party.

Kate Biel
Director of Catering and Private Events
The Edison
Tallahassee, Florida
www.edisontally.com

On May 7, 2019, 12:52 PM -0400, Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>, wrote:

Perfect. I will pay when I return to my office.

Sent from my iPhone

On May 7, 2019, at 10:58 AM, Kate Biel <kate@edisontally.com> wrote:

Hi Barbara, here is the updated quote for rental decor with the shelving unit removed. Please let me know if you have any trouble accessing the invoice link below.

Kate Biel
Director of Catering and Private Events
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Tallahassee, Florida
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From: Frankie L. Collier & Tangy Williams <Epluxedesigns@gmail.com>
Date: May 6, 2019, 5:16 PM -0400
To: Kate Biel <kate@edisontally.com>
Subject: Updated Quote



Thanks, Kate!



Review Quote

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Kate Biel](#)
Subject: Re: Updated Quote
Date: Tuesday, May 7, 2019 12:52:22 PM

Perfect. I will pay when I return to my office.

Sent from my iPhone

On May 7, 2019, at 10:58 AM, Kate Biel <kate@edisontally.com> wrote:

Hi Barbara, here is the updated quote for rental decor with the shelving unit removed.
Please let me know if you have any trouble accessing the invoice link below.

Kate Biel
Director of Catering and Private Events
The Edison
Tallahassee, Florida
www.edisontally.com

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Thanks, Kate!

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Todd Baker](#)
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: Write-up of Justice Lagoa's path
Date: Friday, June 28, 2019 1:31:07 PM
Attachments: [image005.png](#)

Todd,

Thank you for reaching out to me. I also enjoyed speaking to you yesterday. Let's touch base after the Bar convention is over to see if we can organize an event for the Young Lawyers where I can share my war stories.

All the best,

Justice Lagoa

Sent from my iPad

On Jun 28, 2019, at 10:13 AM, Todd Baker <tbaker@injurylawyers.com> wrote:

Good morning,

I had such a great time speaking with you last night and I wanted to thank you for sharing some of your "war stories" from your career. It's nice to know even Supreme Court Justices have had great experiences, not so great experiences, funny experiences, and career changing experiences. I would love the opportunity to speak with you in greater detail and do either an interview or a write-up of our conversation so that other young lawyers can hear your story.

Please let me know if you're interested and we'll figure out the details.

Sincerely,

Todd L. Baker, Esq.

Director - Jewish Federation of Broward County

Chair – Jewish Federation of Broward County, Young Leaders Division

Committee Member – 17th Judicial Circuit Professionalism Committee

Director – Broward County Trial Lawyers Association

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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Eric Hendon](#)
Subject: Re: Your Investiture
Date: Wednesday, May 15, 2019 11:18:09 PM

Eric,

Thank you for your kind wishes.

Best regards,

Barbara

On May 15, 2019, at 7:52 PM, Eric Hendon <erichendon123@aol.com> wrote:

Dear Justice Lagoa (Barbara),

Sorry I was unable to attend your investiture. Fortunately, I was able to watch the live stream in its entirety.

It was a beautiful ceremony. You were surrounded by your loving family and friends, and an incredible group of colleagues.

The remarks given by your speakers were heartfelt and your closing remarks were wonderful.

Wishing you a wonderful tenure at the Supreme Court of Florida where you will serve us well.

Warmest Regards,

Eric Hendon

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: info@epiphanycatholicchurch.com
Bcc: [REDACTED] [andbarbara \[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](#)
Subject: Request for Monsignor O'Doherty to perform Invocation at my Investiture as a Florida Supreme Court Justice
Date: Thursday, April 11, 2019 12:09:00 PM

Good morning,

I previously left a message at the parish but was also advised that I should do an invitation request via e-mail.

My Investiture as the 87th Justice of the Florida Supreme Court is scheduled for Friday, May 10, 2019 at 3 pm. I would be honored if Monsignor could do the Invocation for me, however, I understand that he may have other commitments. Could you please ask Monsignor if he is available? My cell is [REDACTED]. I would appreciate an answer as soon as possible as I will need to find a replacement if Monsignor is unavailable.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this request.

Best regards,

Barbara Lagoa

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: info@ephiphanycatholicchurch.com
Bcc: [REDACTED] [andbarbara \[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](#)
Subject: Request for Monsignor O'Doherty to perform Invocation at my Investiture as a Florida Supreme Court Justice
Date: Thursday, April 11, 2019 12:05:00 PM

Good morning,

I previously left a message at the parish but was also advised that I should do an invitation request via e-mail.

My Investiture as the 87th Justice of the Florida Supreme Court is scheduled for Friday, May 10, 2019 at 3 pm. I would be honored if Monsignor could do the Invocation for me, however, I understand that he may have other commitments. Could you please ask Monsignor if he is available? My cell is [REDACTED]. I would appreciate an answer as soon as possible as I will need to find a replacement if Monsignor is unavailable.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this request.

Best regards,

Barbara Lagoa

From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: cec15n@my.FSU.edu
Subject: Resume and transcript
Date: Friday, February 8, 2019 5:22:00 PM

Good afternoon Chelsea,

It was so nice to meet you this morning with Dean O'Hara O'Connor. Please send me at your earliest convenience a copy of your resume and transcript.

Best regards,

Justice Barbara Lagoa

From: [Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Barbara](#); [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#); [REDACTED]
Subject: Updated Attendance Lists (10:04 pm)
Date: Wednesday, May 8, 2019 10:05:04 PM
Attachments: [Investiture Attendees.xlsx](#)
[Investiture Attendees - Alpha.xlsx](#)

Guest	Section
Altenbernd, Chris	
Altman, Roy	Well
Álvarez, César	
Álvarez, Cristina	
Ashenafi-Richardson, Nina	
Atkinson, J. Andrew	
Badalamenti, John	
Bales, Amy	
Bales, Aubrey	Young Adult
Bales, Brielle	Young Adult
Bales, Matthew	
Barakat, Michelle	
Barber, Thomas	
Bass, Jeff	
Bass, Jeffrey	
Becerra, Jacqueline	Speaker
Beovides, Gina	
Berger, Wendy	
Bilbrey, Ross	
Birriel, Sophie	
Buckner, David	
Cantero, Raoul	Well - Former Justice
Chacón, Raúl	
Cordero, Natalia	Young Adult
Cordero, Rayza	
Courtney-Baigorri, Sara	
Coxe, Hank	
Crook, Kaysi	Young Adult
Crook, Kent	
Crook, Tania	
Cunningham, James	
de la Peña, Lourdes	
de la Peña, Leo	
DeSantis, Governor Ron	Speaker
DeSantis, Mrs. Ron	Speaker
Dimond, Scott	
Eidson, Michael	
Fanjul, Juan	
Fanjul, Marietta	
Fanjul, Mila	Young Adult

Fernández, Robert	
Fields, Lázaro	
Figlio, Erik	
Floyd, Carter	Young Adult
Floyd, Philip	
Forst, Alan	
Foster-Morales, Dori	
Garcia, Martin	
Garcia, Alessia	Young Adult
Garcia, Susan	
Gerber, Jonathan	
Gibson, Benjamin	Well
Gonzalez, Bryson	Young Adult
Gonzalez, James	Young Adult
Gonzalez, Jason	Speaker
Gonzalez, Richard	Young Adult
Gonzalez, Sara	Well
Gordo, Monica	
Grimes, Stephen	Well - Former Justice
Hanzman, Michael	
Hanzman, Reva	
Harding, Major	Well - Former Justice
Harding, Mrs. Major	Well - Former Justice
Hornbacher, Bradley	
[REDACTED]	Speaker
[REDACTED]	Speaker
[REDACTED]	Well
[REDACTED]	Speaker
Huck, Paul C.	Speaker
[REDACTED]	Well
Ibarra, Anna Viktoria	Young Adult
Ibarra, Jenny	
Ibarra, Juan Sebastián	Young Adult
Ibarra, Sofía	Young Adult
Jacquot, Joseph	
Jiménez, Frank	
Jiménez, Marcos	
Johnson, Charles	
Johnson, Desiree	
[REDACTED]	Young Adult
Kadre, Ana María	Well

Kadre, Manuel	Well
Karlinsky, Fred	JNC
Khouzam, Nelly	
Klinginsmith, Mark	
Knight, Jefferson	
Kottkamp, Jeffrey	
Lagoa, Barbara	Well
LeCocq, Charles	Law Clerk
LeMieux, Sen. George	Well
Lewis, Joseph	
Lim, Arthur	Well
Lim, Ofelia	Well
Lindsey, Norma	
Logue, Thomas	
López, Andrés Raúl	
López, Jorge Luís	
López, Marile	
López, Saramelia	Young Adult
López-Castro, Corali	Speaker
Ludovici, Stephen	Law Clerk
MacIver, Abigail	
MacIver, John	
McKee, James	
Maderal, Frank	
Martin, Alexandra	Young Adult
Martin, Enrique	
Martínez, Roberto	
Martínez-Cid, Ricardo	
Maxwell, Katherine	
Maxwell, Patricia	Young Adult
Mendelson, Victor	
Mestre, Nicole	
Miguel, Melinda	
Miguez, Enrique	
Miguez, Margarita	
Miles, Seth	
Miller, Mark	
Moreno, Federico	Well
Moulton, Diane	

Nuñez, Lieutenant Governor Jeanette	Speaker
Nordby, Daniel	Well
Nordby, Rachel	Well
Osterhaus, Timothy	
Pace, Angelica	
Pace, Christopher	
Pace, Reagan	
Pace, Scarlett	
Paniagua, Alfonso	
Paniagua, Cynthia	
Panuccio, Jesse	Well
Pedrosa, Eliot	Speaker
Pedrosa, Nilda	Well
Primrose, Nicholas	
Ravelo, USN LT Alejandro	Speaker
Ravelo, Amelia	Well
Ray, Stephanie	
Reiter, Gabriel	Young Adult
Reiter, Jack	
Reiter, Jill	
Reiter, Joseph	Young Adult
Reiter, Noah	Young Adult
Reyes, Israel	JNC
Richard, Barry	
Roberts, L. Clayton	Speaker
	Young Adult
	Well
	Young Adult
Rodríguez, Raquel	
Rodríguez-Vázquez, Georgette	
Rosenbury, Laura	
Ross, Lauri Waldman	
Rothberg, Barry	
Rowe, Lori	
Ruíz, Rodolfo	Well
Ruíz, Jenny	Well
Samson, Daniel	Law Clerk
Sánchez, Eduardo	
Sánchez, Lilly	

Sánchez, USN MIDN Michael A.	Speaker
Sánchez-Medina, Roland	Speaker
Sayfie, Justin	Well
Sayfie, Nushin	
Shepherd, Frank	
Silberman, Morris	
Smachetti, Emily	
Solares, Mariana	Young Adult
Solares, Miguel	
Strum, Shane	
Suárez, George	
Suárez, Richard	
Suskauer, Michelle	Speaker
Tate, Jeanne	JNC
Thomas, Bradford	
Tilen, Maciel	
Tilen, Pia	Young Adult
Timmann, Carolyn	
Toledo, Richard	
Unger, Jason	JNC
Valdes, Alexandra	Law Clerk
Vázquez, Lola	Young Adult
Vázquez, Oscár	Young Adult
Vázquez, Oscár	
Veilleux, April	Law Clerk
Visconti, Melissa	
Walsh, Lisa	
Wetherell, Kent	
Williams, Brenda	
Winokour, Thomas	
Wolf, James	
Woods, Michael	Law Clerk

Governor Ron DeSantis	Speaker
Mrs. Ron DeSantis	Speaker
Lieutenant Governor Jeanette Nuñez	Speaker
USN LT Alejandro Ravelo	Speaker
USN MIDN Michael A. Sánchez	Speaker
Mr. Jason Gonzalez	Speaker
Hon. Jacqueline Becerra	Speaker
Hon. Eliot Pedrosa	Speaker
Ms. Corali López-Castro	Speaker
Ms. Michelle Suskauer	Speaker
Mr. Roland Sánchez-Medina	Speaker
Hon. L. Clayton Roberts	Speaker

Hon. Barbara Lagoa



Hon. Paul C. Huck



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Mrs. Ana María Kadre

Hon. Federico Moreno

Hon. Roy Altman

Hon. Rodolfo Ruíz



Mr. Jesse Panuccio

Mr. Justin Sayfie

Mrs. Sara Gonzalez

Mrs. Nilda Pedrosa



Hon. George LeMieux

Mrs. Ofelia Lim

Mr. Arthur Lim

Ms. Amelia Ravelo

Ms. Lilly Sánchez

Mr. Joseph Jacquot

Mr. Daniel Nordby

Mr. Benjamin Gibson

Hon. Major Harding	Former Justice
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[REDACTED]
Hon. Stephen Grimes Former Justice
Hon. Raoul Cantero Former Justice

Mr. Jason Unger JNC
Hon. Israel Reyes JNC
Mr. Fred Karlinsky JNC
Ms. Jeanne Tate JNC

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Mr. Martin Garcia
Hon. Chris Altenbernd
Mr. César Álvarez
Hon. Cristina Álvarez
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Mr. Daniel Samson
Ms. Alexandra Valdes
Ms. Katherine Maxwell
Mrs. Brenda Williams
Mr. Raúl Chacón
Mr. Richard Toledo
Mr. George Suárez
Ms. Mary Reyes
Hon. Charles Johnson

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Mrs. Susan Garcia-Sarraff
Mrs. Tania Crook
Mr. Kent Crook
Mr. Alfonso Paniagua
Mrs. Cynthia Paniagua
Dr. Philip Floyd
Dr. Amy Bales
Mr. Matthew Bales
Mrs. Jenny Hebler de Ibarra
Mr. Bradley Hornbacher

Mrs. Nicole Mestre
Mr. Miguel Solares
Mr. Jorge Luís López
Ms. Marile López
Mr. Andrés Raúl López
Dr. Rayza Cordero
Dr. Georgette Rodríguez-Vázquez
Mr. Oscar Vázquez
Mr. Juan Fanjul
Mrs. Marietta Fanjul
Mrs. Maciel Tilen
Mr. Enrique Miguez
Mrs. Margarita Miguez
Mr. Ricardo Martínez-Cid
Mr. Enrique Martin
Mr. Christopher Pace
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Mr. Eduardo Sánchez
Mr. Jeff Bass
Ms. Emily Smachetti
Ms. Melissa Damian Visconti
Dean Laura Rosenbury
Ms. Dori Foster-Morales
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Mr. Michael Eidson
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Hon. Alan Forst
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Hon. Thomas Winokour
Hon. Ross Bilbrey
Hon. Timothy Osterhaus

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Hon. Kent Wetherell
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Mr. Jefferson Knight
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Hon. Thomas Barber
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Hon. Michelle Barakat
Hon. Nina Ashenafi-Richardson
Hon. Michael Hanzman
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Hon. Nushin Sayfie
Hon. Lisa Walsh
Hon. J. Andrew Atkinson
Hon. John Badalamenti
Hon. Morris Silberman
Hon. Nelly Khouzam

Miss Saramelia López	Young Adult
Miss Mariana Solares	Young Adult
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Miss Mila Fanjul	Young Adult
Miss Anna Viktoria Ibarra	Young Adult
Mr. Juan Sebastián Ibarra	Young Adult
Miss Sofía Ibarra	Young Adult
Miss Lola Vázquez	Young Adult
Master Oscar Vázquez	Young Adult

Jett Conn

Subject: A Conversation with Chief Judges & Supreme Court Justices

Start: Fri 3/1/2019 9:00 AM
End: Fri 3/1/2019 10:00 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Blue Category, Travel

OPENING PLENARY SESSION: A CONVERSATION WITH SUPREME COURT JUSTICES & CHIEF JUDGES
Jordan A. Dresnick
President, Spellman-Hoeveler Inns of Court
Tel.: 305-905-4526



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laurel_m_isicoff@flsb.uscourts.gov

Jett Conn

Subject: Appellate Judge Dinner
Location: Judge Kem Thomas' Home

Start: Wed 4/3/2019 7:00 PM
End: Wed 4/3/2019 9:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Meeting organizer

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Required Attendees Justice Barbara Lagoa

Just want to double-check if you wish to go to dinner at Judge Kemmerly Thomas' home with the new judges. I understand J. Muñiz and J. Lawson plan to attend. (NOTE: You are scheduled to attend the FSU College of Law CABA Miami-Date Days reception beginning at 5:30 p.m. on this same evening.



Appellate Judges School completing phase two,
Laws, rules and cases, so much to construe...

In Tallahassee, we are proud to host this esteemed group,
a warm welcome away from the Supreme Court stoop.

On **Wednesday, April 3rd**, let's convene for fellowship and fun,
come dressed casually, all else will be done!

A bit of Louisiana in Florida—your hosts will ensure
an entrée with spice then sweets...your must endure.

A lagniappe of appetizers, food and beverages in store
with this charismatic crowd, entertainment galore!

Please join us for dinner.

Wednesday, April 3, 2019 at 7:00



Hosted by Judge Kemmerly Thomas



Jett Conn

Subject: Canceled: Columbia Law School Stone Moot Court (Time TBD)
Location: New York

Start: Wed 4/8/2020 12:00 AM
End: Thu 4/9/2020 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Not yet responded

Organizer: Shannon Hudson
Required Attendees: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Importance: High

You received the attached letter inviting you to preside over the final round of Columbia's moot court program. The school is holding open two dates for the competition, pending availability. An invite has been sent for each date.

Event: Columbia Law School Harlan Fiske Stone Moot Court Competition
Date: April 8, 2020 **or** April 15, 2020
Time: TBD afternoon
Location: 435 West 116th Street, New York, NY 10027
Contact: Dean Gillian Lester (212) 854-2675 or glester@law.columbia.edu

Jett Conn

Subject: Canceled: FBBE Annual Policy Retreat
Location: Amelia Island

Start: Thu 6/4/2020 12:00 AM
End: Mon 6/8/2020 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Not yet responded

Organizer: Shannon Hudson
Required Attendees: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Importance: High

Justice Lagoa,

You received the attached letter regarding FBBE events - more information to follow in April. I will update with further details at that time.

Event: Florida Board of Bar Examiners Annual Policy Retreat
Date: June 4th-7th
Location: Omni Amelia Island Plantation

The letter also discusses a dinner at the Court for which I will send a separate calendar invite.

Shannon

Jett Conn

Subject: Canceled: Hialeah Courthouse Law Day
Location: Hialeah Courthouse

Start: Fri 5/15/2020 9:30 AM
End: Fri 5/15/2020 2:00 PM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Not yet responded

Organizer: Shannon Hudson
Required Attendees: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Importance: High

Justice Lagoa,

You have been invited to be the *keynote speaker* at the Hialeah Courthouse Annual Law Day event for next year. More details are in Judge Abreu's email below.

Event: Hialeah Courthouse Law Day
Date: May 15, 2020
Time: TBD (expected 9:30 am-2 pm)
Location: Hialeah Branch Courthouse, 11 East 6th Street, Room 229
Theme: Your Vote, Your Voice, Our Democracy; the 19th Amendment at 100

Shannon

From: Abreu, Milena [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 28, 2019 11:57 AM
To: Shannon Hudson [REDACTED]; Victoria Ferrer [REDACTED]; HERLINDA VIERA-SANCHEZ [REDACTED]; Carmen Hernandez [REDACTED]
Subject: Hialeah Courthouse Law Day

Ms. Hudson:

Good afternoon and thank you for your email regarding the request for more information on our law day for next year. I am including Judge Ferrer who is the other judge assigned to the Hialeah courthouse with me. I have also included our judicial assistants as well. We have received approval from our Chief Judge to save the date for Friday, May 15, 2020. Law day will be held here at the Hialeah courthouse and usually lasts from about 930 am until about 2 pm, although the Justice can leave at anytime after her remarks. We provide lunch for all attendees and the courthouse is filled with kids/teens from the local high schools. After the remarks, we usually do a question and answer panel for the kids and several local judges sit in. For preparation and scheduling purposes, I would tell you from 930 am til about noon. Justice Labarga was our keynote speaker for this year's law day. I will humbly tell you our law day is usually well-attended and lots of fun! It would be our honor and privilege to have Justice Lagoa be our Keynote speaker.

See below for the theme... More information is on the American Bar Association website as well. The theme is democracy and the anniversary of the 19th Amendment (women's right to vote) so Justice Lagoa would be perfect!

Please do not hesitate to reach out to any of us for more information. We appreciate the consideration and look forward to hearing from you.



Best,

Milena Abreu
County Court Judge
305-520-4045
Hialeah Branch Courthouse
11 East 6th Street, Room 229

Miami FL 33010

Judicial Assistant – Herlinda Viera-Sanchez

Good morning Ms. Hudson:

Judge Milena Abreu would like to extend our invitation to Ms. Justice Barbara Lagoa to be a very special guest speaker at our annual Law Day which will be held next year on May 15th, 2020!

Can you kindly let me know if she is interested? 😊

Looking forward to hearing from you!
Thank you and have a wonderful day.

Herlinda Viera-Sanchez,

Judicial Assistant to

Honorable Milena Abreu

Eleventh Judicial Circuit of Florida

Hialeah Courthouse

11 East 6th Street, Room 225

Hialeah, Florida 33010

Phone: (305) 520-4045

Fax: (305) 520-4050

Email: [REDACTED]

Domestic Violence Division

County Court Civil Division

Jett Conn

Subject: CFTLA 10th Annual Judicial Reception (Guest of Honor)
Location: Orlando

Start: Thu 10/24/2019 6:00 PM
End: Thu 10/24/2019 8:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Accepted

Organizer: Shannon Hudson
Required Attendees Justice Barbara Lagoa

Event: Central Florida Trial Lawyers Association
Date: October 24th
Time: 6 pm
Location: The Orlando Museum of Art, 2416 N. Mills Ave.
Contact: Leigh Miller cell [REDACTED]

Excerpt from prior email regarding invitation to speak: We do, in fact, invite the Justice to speak to the group. It is totally Justice Lagoa's call. It is not a formal presentation. Justice Canady spoke for about 20 minutes on Oct. 28, 2018. The audience is both CFTLA members and judiciary from all the jurisdictions in the Fifth DCA. General topics of insight, inspiration, comments on current events, etc. Nothing formal or any expected topic.

-----Original Message-----

From: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Sent: Saturday, July 27, 2019 5:49 PM
To: Shannon Hudson [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: CFTLA 10th Annual Judicial Reception (Guest of Honor)

I guess I am doing the event in Orlando. We should let the Barquet Inn know that I have a conflict. Have a great weekend.

BL

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jul 26, 2019, at 10:17 AM, Shannon Hudson [REDACTED] wrote:
>
> Judge, please see the below emails. According to Leigh at the Central
> Florida Trial Lawyers Association (CFTLA), she is reconfirming your
> attendance to the Oct. 24th reception as guest of honor. I do not see
> this event on your calendar, and there is a potential conflict with
> the Rosemary Barkett Appellate American Inn of Court (RBAAIC) event in

- > Miami the same day (time TBD). FYI - Justice Luck has confirmed for
- > the RBAAIC event, but it does not appear that you have confirmed yet.
- > Thank you, SH

Good Morning Shannon,

It was a pleasure speaking with you just now. Thank you for taking my call. I wanted to reconfirm that Justice Barbara Lagoa will be joining the Central Florida Trial Lawyers Association on October 24, 2019. Here are the event details:

October 24, 2019, Thursday, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

10th Annual Judicial Reception

Location: The Orlando Museum of Art, 2416 N Mills Ave, Orlando, FL 32803

VIP Guest of Honor: Florida Supreme Court Justice Barbara Lagoa

Event description: Elegant Cocktails and Hors d'oeuvres Gala Reception

Attendees: CFTLA Members, Guest of Honor, Invited Judiciary & Sponsors

Free for CFTLA Members and invited guests. Complimentary for invited judiciary

Below, for your records, are all my communications with Brenda Williams regarding this invitation. Please let me know if you have any questions or if I can be of assistance at this time. Congratulations on your new position. I look forward to working with you Shannon!

Sincerely,

Leigh E. Miller

Executive Director

Central Florida Trial Lawyers Association

Post Office Box 4349, Orlando, Florida 32802-4349

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CFTLA's 2019 Calendar of Events:

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Location: Historic Dubsdread Conference Center, 549 W Par St, Orlando, 32804

October 24, 2019. 10th Annual Judicial Reception, 6-8 pm

Location: Orlando Museum of Art, 2416 N Mills Ave, Orlando, 32803

From: Leigh Miller <leigh@cftla.org>

Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 11:04 AM

To: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]

Subject: RE: Central Florida Trial Lawyers Association invitation

Either is fine. Whatever is the most convenient driving logistics for the Justice. 😊

Sincerely,

Leigh E. Miller

Executive Director

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From: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]

Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 11:02 AM

To: Leigh Miller <leigh@cftla.org>

Subject: RE: Central Florida Trial Lawyers Association invitation

Yes, this information helps. So will cover mileage from either Miami or Tallahassee. It will probably be next week before we review this request again, and hopefully, I can confirm by then.

Brenda D. Williams

Judicial Assistant to

Justice Barbara Lagoa

(850) 488-8421

From: Leigh Miller <leigh@cftla.org>

Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 10:55 AM

To: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]

Subject: RE: Central Florida Trial Lawyers Association invitation

Good Monday Morning Brenda,

This is awesome news! We do, in fact, invite the Justice to speak to the group. It is totally Justice Lagoa's call. It is not a formal presentation. Justice Canady spoke for about 20 minutes on Oct. 28, 2018. The audience is both CFTLA members and judiciary from all the jurisdictions in the Fifth DCA. General topics of insight, inspiration, comments on current events, etc. Nothing formal or any expected topic.

The CFTLA will reimburse) normal expenses including travel(mileage) and one night hotel, if desired.

Thank you again for this wonderful news. We can confirm further details as we get closer to the event date in October. I hope this helps. HAGD Brenda!

Sincerely,

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From: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]

Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 10:38 AM

To: Leigh Miller <leigh@cftla.org>

Subject: RE: Central Florida Trial Lawyers Association invitation

Good morning Leigh. J. Lagoa thinks she will be able to accept the invitation to this event. I will confirm as soon as I can. Will she be making remarks? If so, how long? Will her travel expenses be covered? Thanks.

Brenda D. Williams

Judicial Assistant to

Justice Barbara Lagoa

(850) 488-8421

From: Leigh Miller <leigh@cftla.org>

Sent: Monday, February 11, 2019 11:57 AM

To: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]

Subject: Central Florida Trial Lawyers Association invitation

Good Morning Ms. Williams,

The Central Florida Trial Lawyers Association hosts a Judicial Reception each year in the Orlando area. This year the event details are as follows:

October 24, 2019, Thursday, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

10th Annual Judicial Reception

Location: The Orlando Museum of Art, 2416 N Mills Ave, Orlando, FL 32803

VIP Guest of Honor: TBA

Event description: Elegant Cocktails and Hors d'oeuvres Gala Reception

Attendees: CFTLA Members, Guest of Honor, Invited Judiciary & Sponsors

Free for CFTLA Members and invited guests

We would be most honored to welcome Justice Barbara Lagoa as our Guest of Honor this year. Please consider this our sincere invitation.

The CFTLA.org consists of approximately 240 personal injury trial lawyers from throughout the Central Florida area. Over two hundred local judiciary are invited to be our guests at the Judicial Reception. Approximately 60-70 Judges and about 80-90 CFTLA members RSVP each year for an elegant reception for 140-160 attendees. The CFTLA has been honored to welcome previous Justices to the Judicial Reception; 2013 Judicial Reception Guest of Honor Justice R. Fred Lewis, 2014 Judicial Reception Guest of Honor Justice James E.C. Perry, 2015 Judicial Reception Guest of Honor

Barbara J. Pariente, 2016 Guest of Honor Justice Peggy A. Quince, 2017 Judicial Reception Guest of Honor Justice C. Alan Lawson and 2018 Judicial Reception Guest of Honor Charles T. Canady.

Attached for your reference is a copy of last year's invitation and a copy of this year's "Save The Date" with the guest of honor as "TBA".

On behalf of the CFTLA, thank you Ms. Williams and Justice Lagoa for your consideration of this invitation.

Sincerely,

Leigh E. Miller

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Jett Conn

Subject: DCBA Annual Recognition Luncheon
Location: Miami

Start: Fri 10/25/2019 11:30 AM
End: Fri 10/25/2019 1:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Accepted

Organizer: Shannon Hudson
Required Attendees: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Event: Dade County Bar Association Annual Recognition Luncheon as recipient of the Mario P. Goderich Legal Ethics Award

Date: October 25

Time: 11:30 am

Location: Hilton Downtown Miami, 1601 Biscayne Blvd.

Contact: Jacqui Kiviat cell 954-253-1950

From: Jacqueline B. Kiviat <jbkiviat@dadecountybar.org>

Sent: Friday, September 13, 2019 1:26 PM

To: LgoaB@flcourts.org

Cc: MPGoderich@BellSouth.net; Shannon Hudson [REDACTED]; Gilbert K. Squires
<gilbertsquires@squiresinternationallaw.com>

Subject: Congratulations Justice Lagoa!

Dear Justice Lagoa,

It is an honor and great pleasure to confirm your selection as the recipient of the Mario P. Goderich Legal Ethics Award. The Dade County Bar Association believes this award to be one of the most prestigious we can bestow, and we are indeed pleased that you will receive it this year.

The Mario P. Goderich Legal Ethics Award will be presented at our Annual Recognition Luncheon, scheduled for 11:30 a.m., Friday - October 25th, at the Hilton Downtown Miami Hotel, located at 1601 Biscayne Boulevard. Thank you for confirming your availability on the phone yesterday. We are thrilled that you will be able to attend and receive this award in person, and we would be delighted to have you and a guest attend as our guests. In addition, if any of your family members, staff or colleagues want to join us as we celebrate you and your achievement, please have them contact us at the Bar office to make a reservation.

We look forward to seeing you at the luncheon.

Warmest regards,

Gilbert K. Squires
President – DCBA

Jacqui Kiviat
Executive Director - DCBA



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Jett Conn

Subject: Development of ECC Standards with Justice Lagoa & Judge Greider
Location: ECC, Tele, & Skype

Start: Wed 4/3/2019 2:00 PM
End: Wed 4/3/2019 3:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Accepted

Organizer: Lisa Kiel
Required Attendees: Justice Barbara Lagoa; Brenda Williams; Rose Patterson; John Couch; Carrie Toy
Optional Attendees: Judge Christine Greider; Angela Mintier

The conference call information is below:

Conference Call-in #: 1-888-585-9008

Conference Code: 549 696 771#

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Jett Conn

Subject: FBBE Dinner (Time TBD)
Location: Tallahassee

Start: Thu 1/23/2020 12:00 AM
End: Fri 1/24/2020 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Not yet responded

Organizer: Shannon Hudson
Required Attendees Justice Barbara Lagoa

Justice Lagoa,

You received the attached letter regarding FBBE events - formal invitation to follow in December. I will update with further details at that time.

Event: Florida Board of Bar Examiners Dinner
Date: January 23rd
Time: TBD
Location: Supreme Court Rotunda

The letter also discusses the annual policy retreat for which I will send a separate calendar invite.

Shannon

Jett Conn

Subject: Florida Bar Annual Meeting with Supreme Court Justices
Location: Tallahassee

Start: Thu 1/30/2020 2:00 PM
End: Thu 1/30/2020 3:00 PM
Show Time As: Tentative

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Not yet responded

Organizer: Shannon Hudson
Required Attendees Justice Barbara Lagoa

From: Jessica Outlaw <[REDACTED]>

Sent: Friday, November 15, 2019 2:09 PM

To: JAs [REDACTED]

Cc: Silvester Dawson [REDACTED]; John Tomasino [REDACTED]

Subject: Annual Meeting with Supreme Court Justices and the Bar

Good afternoon,

The meeting with the Bar has been set for January 30, 2020, at 2:00 p.m. in the Justices' conference room.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Thanks!

Jessica

From: Justice Charles T. Canady [REDACTED]

Sent: Wednesday, November 13, 2019 4:21 PM

To: SC-JUSTICES [REDACTED]

Cc: JAs [REDACTED]

Subject: Florida Bar Annual Meeting Request with Supreme Court Justices

I propose to set this meeting for Thursday, January 30 at 2 PM. If that time creates a problem for you, please let me know no later than **noon this Friday, November 15**. Thanks!

Begin forwarded message:

From: Jessica Outlaw [REDACTED]

Date: November 13, 2019 at 2:04:01 PM EST

To: "Justice Charles T. Canady" [REDACTED]

Subject: FW: Annual Meeting Request with Supreme Court Justices

Judge:

Please see the request below from the Bar. Court conference is tentatively set for January 29, but it is not designated as a main conference. The Pro Bono Awards are set for January 30th at 3:30 p.m. and the Historical Society dinner is the evening of the 30th. Your calendar does not show any other conflicts for the Court on either of those days.

From: Wilson, Kristen <KWilson@floridabar.org>
Sent: Wednesday, November 13, 2019 1:57 PM
To: Jessica Outlaw [REDACTED]
Subject: Annual Meeting Request with Supreme Court Justices

Hi Jessica,

Hope all is well.

In previous years, The Florida Bar has appreciated the Court's willingness to meet with our leadership to discuss any important issues facing the Court and Bar. I am writing to request such a meeting. If the meeting is approved, John Stewart and Dori Foster-Morales will be in Tallahassee on Wednesday, January 29 and Thursday, January 30 prior to the Board of Governors meeting and can be available anytime on those days. However, if those dates do not work, please let me know a convenient time for the Court.

Thank you - Kristen



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Jett Conn

Subject: FYI-College of Advanced Judicial Studies
Location: Orlando

Start: Tue 5/28/2019 12:00 AM
End: Sat 6/1/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

From: Jennifer Sears
Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 1:11 PM
Subject: FW: SAVE THE DATE: 2019 College of Advanced Judicial Studies
Importance: High

Good afternoon Justice JAs,

Please see the AJS Save the Date email below. Please let me know if you have any questions!

Best,
Jennifer Sears, MPA
Court Education Program Coordinator
Phone 850-488-1423
Email searsj@flcourts.org

From: Jennifer Sears
Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 12:57 PM
Subject: SAVE THE DATE: 2019 College of Advanced Judicial Studies



2019 College of Advanced Judicial Studies

Date: Tuesday, May 28 – Friday, May 31, 2019

Location: Orlando, FL

The Office of Court Education is pleased to announce the date and location of the 2019 College of Advanced Judicial Studies.

Registration, hotel and travel details, and additional information regarding this program will be sent via email in the coming weeks. **Please do not make travel arrangements until your enrollment is confirmed by the Office of Court Education.**

Please let me know if you have any questions!

Regards,
Jennifer Sears, MPA
Court Education Program Coordinator
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Phone 850-488-1423
Email searsj@flcourts.org

Jett Conn

Subject: Investiture of Judge Anthony B. Miller
Location: Tallahassee

Start: Fri 8/16/2019 3:00 PM
End: Fri 8/16/2019 3:30 PM
Show Time As: Tentative

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Not yet responded

Organizer: Shannon Hudson
Required Attendees Justice Barbara Lagoa

Judge, the attached letter invites you to attend the investiture of Judge Anthony B. Miller at the Leon County Courthouse. This conflicts with the investiture of Judge Gordo at the 3rd DCA on the same date and time. Although I have not received confirmation that you will attend Judge Gordo's investiture, you have advised that you will be attending Judge Ruiz's investiture in Miami the day before both Judge Gordo (Miami) and Judge Miller's (Tallahassee) investitures, so I assume you will not plan to attend Judge Miller's event.

Please advise if you want to send a congratulatory letter to Judge Miller.

Jett Conn

Subject: Investiture of Judge Rodney Smith
Location: Wilkie D. Ferguson, Jr. United States Courthouse, 400 North Miami Avenue, Miami

Start: Fri 11/1/2019 3:00 PM
End: Fri 11/1/2019 5:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Updated to attach invitation received 10/21/19 and edit time accordingly.

From: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Sent: Thursday, September 5, 2019 3:26 PM
To: Shannon Hudson <[REDACTED]>
Subject: Re: Judiciary Lunch

Yes please decline the young lawyer event. I need to check but Rodney's Investiture is at 2 or 3.

Sent from my iPad

Jett Conn

Subject: Investiture of the Hon. Monica Gordo (3DCA)
Location: Miami

Start: Fri 8/16/2019 3:00 PM
End: Fri 8/16/2019 4:00 PM
Show Time As: Tentative

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Not yet responded

Organizer: Shannon Hudson
Required Attendees Justice Barbara Lagoa

Judge, your invitation to the investiture of Judge Gordo is attached. Thanks, SH

Jett Conn

Subject: Joint Meeting FCC/Problem-Solving Courts
Location: Orlando

Start: Thu 9/12/2019 12:00 AM
End: Sat 9/14/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Orange Category

Dear Members:

Please find attached the agenda for the FCC meeting, scheduled for September 12th – 13th at the Doubletree by Hilton Orlando at SeaWorld, 10100 International Drive, Orlando, FL. Also attached is the meeting summary from the June meeting.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

We look forward to seeing you in Orlando!

Maggie Evans Lewis, J.D., CCM
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MEETING SCHEDULE:

The meeting will take place on Thursday, September 12th from 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm and reconvenes on Friday, September 13th from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm.

9/12/2019 (Thursday) 1:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. Citrus A

9/13/2019 (Friday) 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. Nautilus A

9/13/2019 (Friday) 10:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m. Citrus A

Dear Members,

The Steering Committee on Families and Children in the Court is scheduled to meet on September 12-13, 2019 in Orlando at the Doubletree by Hilton Orlando at SeaWorld, 10100 International Drive,

Orlando, Florida. Travel guidelines are attached to assist you in making your travel arrangements. Please carefully review the guidelines to ensure all of your anticipated travel expenses will be reimbursable. Reservations for the hotel must be made by **August 15, 2019**, to meet the deadline for receiving the group rate. Please click [here](#) to book or contact me for assistance, if needed.

A schedule for the workgroups and full meeting will be sent out electronically in advance. If you are unable to attend the meeting, please contact me and Judge Greider at your earliest convenience. Please contact Maggie Lewis (lewism@flcourts.org) if you have any questions about the meeting. We look forward to seeing you next month!

Sincerely,

Plashette Jones

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Jett Conn

Subject: Lunch with Justices, Bar President, and Bar Exec. Dir.
Location: Tallahassee

Start: Tue 9/17/2019 12:30 PM
End: Tue 9/17/2019 2:00 PM
Show Time As: Tentative

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Not yet responded

Organizer: Shannon Hudson
Required Attendees: Justice Barbara Lagoa

The lunch with President Stewart and Executive Director Josh Doyle has been set for Tuesday, September 17, at 12:30 p.m., at the Governors Club.

From: Justice Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>

Sent: Wednesday, August 7, 2019 1:52 PM

To: Justice Jorge Labarga [REDACTED]

Cc: Justice Charles T. Canady [REDACTED]; SC-JUSTICES [REDACTED]; JAs [REDACTED]

Subject: Re: Meeting request

September 17 is fine with me as well but any day of OA also works for me.

Hope everyone is well. I am moving houses and trying to keep my sanity.

Barbara

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 7, 2019, at 12:40 PM, Justice Jorge Labarga [REDACTED] wrote:

Sept 17 is fine with me

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 7, 2019, at 11:53 AM, Justice Charles T. Canady [REDACTED] wrote:

John Stewart wants to meet with us for breakfast or lunch on September 16 or 17 to discuss some Bar issues. We have all arguments scheduled on both of those days. On Tuesday, September 17 we have only two cases on the docket. If the court is amenable, I'm thinking that we could have lunch with John on that day. We do have a conference scheduled the next day. But it does not appear that our docket for that day will be too heavy.

If having lunch with John on Tuesday, September 17 presents a problem for you, please let me know by **noon, tomorrow August 8.**

Thanks!

Begin forwarded message:

From: Jessica Outlaw [REDACTED]

Date: August 5, 2019 at 1:52:06 PM EDT

To: "Justice Charles T. Canady" [REDACTED]

Subject: FW: Meeting request

Judge:

Please see the request below from President Stewart. Oral arguments are scheduled on September 16 & 17. Three cases are scheduled for the 16th and two cases are scheduled for the 17th. Thank you.

From: Wilson, Kristen <KWilson@floridabar.org>

Sent: Monday, August 5, 2019 1:43 PM

To: Jessica Outlaw [REDACTED]

Subject: Meeting request

Hi Jessica – Hope you had a very enjoyable weekend!

President Stewart will be in Tallahassee on September 16th & 17th and is requesting approval from Chief Justice Canady to hold a breakfast or lunch meeting with the Justices. The meeting would just be to touch base regarding what is happening with the Bar.

Please let me know if he approves and if so, which date might work best for the Justices.

Thank you - Kristen



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Jett Conn

Subject: Meeting with Florida Lawyers Assistance, Inc. (FLA)

Location: Justices' Conference Room

Start: Thu 10/3/2019 10:30 AM

End: Thu 10/3/2019 11:00 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Accepted

Organizer: Shannon Hudson

Required Attendees Justice Barbara Lagoa

From: Jessica Outlaw [REDACTED]

Sent: Thursday, August 8, 2019 5:21 PM

To: Betsy Johansen [REDACTED]; Shannon Hudson [REDACTED]; Deborah Riddell

[REDACTED]; B.J. Vickers [REDACTED];

Brooke Conlan [REDACTED];

Tamara Adkins

[REDACTED]; Brandon McCarty [REDACTED];

Della White [REDACTED];

Silvester

Dawson [REDACTED]; John Tomasino [REDACTED]

Subject: Meeting with Florida Lawyers Assistance, Inc. (FLA)

Good afternoon,

The JQC has requested that the meeting originally scheduled for October 3, 2019, be moved to a future date that is to be determined. The meeting with FLA is now set for 10:30 a.m. in the Justices' conference room on October 3, 2019. I have attached the original meeting request letter from FLA that includes information for the Justices review. Judy Rushlow, president of FLA, Molly Paris, assistant director of FLA, Barnaby Min, immediate past president of FLA, and Wayne LaRue Smith, board member and liaison to The Florida Bar Board of Governors, will all represent FLA at the meeting.

Please let me know if there are any questions or concerns.

Thank you,
Jessica

From: Justice Charles T. Canady [REDACTED]

Sent: Friday, August 2, 2019 3:27 PM

To: SC-JUSTICES [REDACTED]

Cc: JAS [REDACTED]; John Tomasino [REDACTED]; Kristopher James [REDACTED]; Silvester

Dawson [REDACTED]

Subject: October OA Calendar

Here is a rather skimpy oral argument calendar for October. On Thursday of the OA week, after we conference the single case on the docket, we will have a brief meeting with representatives of the JQC followed by a brief meeting with representatives of FLA, Inc. Both groups requested an opportunity to sit down with the court to discuss issues that may be of interest to us. I expect that we will be done with everything by shortly after noon.

<OAOct2019Chart.doc>

Jett Conn

Subject: Opening Day - FL House 2020 Regular Session
Location: Tallahassee

Start: Tue 1/14/2020 10:00 AM
End: Tue 1/14/2020 11:30 AM
Show Time As: Tentative

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Not yet responded

Organizer: Shannon Hudson
Required Attendees Justice Barbara Lagoa

Event: Opening Day of the 2020 Regular Session Florida House of Representatives
Date: Tuesday, January 14, 2020
Time: 10:00 AM
Location: Florida House Chamber
RSVP: to specialevents@myfloridahouse.gov by 1/6/20

Invitation attached. I assume this is specific to the Justices, but sending just in case.

Jett Conn

Subject: Pro Bono Awards

Start: Thu 1/30/2020 3:30 PM
End: Thu 1/30/2020 4:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: SPEAKER at FIU College of Law Commencement Ceremony
Location: <https://zoom.us/j/97477651131>

Start: Fri 5/17/2019 10:00 AM
End: Fri 5/17/2019 10:30 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Meeting organizer

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa
Required Attendees: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel, Purple Category

The Honorable Barbara Lagoa
Supreme Court Justice
State of Florida
500 South Duval Street
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1925

Dear Justice Lagoa:

Universities are communities of memory and hope. The most important gatherings at any university are the commencement ceremonies, when our energetic students formally receive their degrees. At commencement, we pause to celebrate our graduates' achievements, we reinforce their pride in the institution, and hope for the future, and we congratulate them and their families for their success. For many, this achievement is a culmination of the hopes and dreams of generations of family members and supporters.

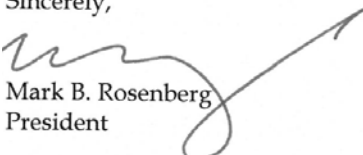
We would be honored if you would serve as the keynote speaker during the upcoming 2019 College of Law commencement ceremony on **Friday, May 17, 2019 at 10:00 am** on our Modesto A. Maidique Campus and **give a speech of 15 minutes**. Your address will be delivered at the commencement ceremony corresponding to the College of Law at which FIU will confer approximately 145 JD degrees and 25 LLM degrees.

As you may know, the College of Law graduated its first class in 2005. Since then, in addition to being one of the most diverse law schools in the country, it also has among the best placement records and bar passage rates in the state. Each year, it graduates dozens of attorneys who are the first in the family to achieve this level of education. They succeed through a commitment to excellence, an attention to detail and a willingness to persevere. Our message to them has been that there is no limit to what they can achieve.

Please feel free to contact me or Lynda Rodriguez, Director, Community Relations, Protocol and Special Events at 305-348-0286 or RomagueL@fiu.edu with your response.

We hope that you can accept and be with us for this joyous occasion!

Sincerely,


Mark B. Rosenberg
President

Jett Conn

Subject: Swearing-in Ceremony of Ariana Fajardo Orshan
Location: US Courthouse, Miami

Start: Fri 9/13/2019 2:00 PM
End: Fri 9/13/2019 3:30 PM
Show Time As: Tentative

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Meeting organizer

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa
Required Attendees Justice Barbara Lagoa

J. Lagoa, you have been invited to attend the swearing-in ceremony of Ariana Fajardo Orshan as US Attorney for the Southern District of Florida. The invitation is attached.

Jett Conn

Subject: The Florida Bar Reception
Location: The Florida Historic Capitol, Tallahassee

Start: Wed 1/29/2020 5:30 PM
End: Wed 1/29/2020 7:30 PM
Show Time As: Tentative

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Not yet responded

Organizer: Shannon Hudson
Required Attendees Justice Barbara Lagoa

Event: The Florida Bar's Reception Honoring the Florida Legislature
Date: Wednesday, January 29, 2020
Time: 5:30-7:30 PM
Location: The Florida Historic Capitol
RSVP: to Joni Hooks at (850) 561-5662 or rsvpleg@floridabar.org

Invitation attached. I assume this is for all Justices as it precedes the Bar's annual meeting with the Justices, but again, sending just in case.

Jett Conn

Subject: UF Florida Law Review Poucher Lecture
Location: UF Levin College of Law

Start: Thu 11/14/2019 5:30 PM
End: Thu 11/14/2019 8:30 PM
Show Time As: Tentative

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Not yet responded

Organizer: Shannon Hudson
Required Attendees: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Event: UF Florida Law Review 2019 Allen L. Poucher Lecture

Topic: Beyond the Campaign Slogans: Exploring the Legal and Policy Implications of Health Care Reform

Date: Thursday, November 14, 2019

Time: 5:30 PM with reception to follow at 7:30 PM

Location: Lecture - Chesterfield Smith Ceremonial Classroom
Holland Hall Room 180
309 Village Drive
Gainesville, FL 32611
Reception – Ben Hill Griffin Stadium
The F-Club Room
121 Gale Lemerand Drive
Gainesville, FL 32611

RSVP: by Thursday, October 31 to Lisa Caldwell – caldwell@law.ufl.edu or (352) 273-0671

Invitation attached.

Jett Conn

Subject: UM School of Law - Reception & John T. Gaubatz Moot Court Competition
Location: Newman Alumni Center - UM

Start: Tue 10/29/2019 6:30 PM
End: Tue 10/29/2019 9:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Accepted

Organizer: Brenda Williams
Required Attendees: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Competition materials attached and printed for travel folder.

From: Miami Law Moot Court Board <gaubatzcompetition@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, July 2, 2019 3:35 PM
To: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Cc: Barquero, Farah <fbarquero@law.miami.edu>
Subject: University of Miami School of Law - Charles C. Papy, Jr. Moot Court Board

On behalf of the Charles C. Papy, Jr. Moot Court Board at the University of Miami School of Law, it is my honor to extend an invitation to the Honorable Barbara Lagoa to serve as a judge for the premiere **John T. Gaubatz Moot Court Competition**.

The final round of the competition will take place on **Tuesday, October 29, 2019 at 8:00 p.m.** at the University of Miami Newman Alumni Center. At this time, the Honorable Adalberto Jordan from the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit and the Honorable Roy K. Altman from the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Florida have both confirmed their participation in the John T. Gaubatz Moot Court Competition.

Per our conversation on the phone, I had sent an email on June 11, 2019 and Judge Lagoa asked me to bring this information to your attention at the Florida Bar Conference. I was a Moot Court competitor and a Student Governor for the Florida Bar Young Lawyers Division. I am attaching the invitation with additional details and including the original email below for your reference.

Should you have any questions concerning the competition or the Moot Court Board in general, please do not hesitate to contact us at gaubatzcompetition@gmail.com. We hope that the Honorable Barbara Lagoa can join us and look forward to hearing from you soon.

Respectfully,

Selene C. Vazquez
Vice President, Gaubatz Competition
Charles C. Papy, Jr. Moot Court Board
(954) 687 - 6243

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From: **Miami Law Moot Court Board** <gaubatzcompetition@gmail.com>

Date: Tue, Jun 11, 2019 at 11:18 AM

Subject: University of Miami School of Law - Charles C. Papy, Jr. Moot Court Board

Honorable Barbara Lagoa
500 South Duval Street,
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

June 11, 2019

Dear Judge Lagoa,

On behalf of the University of Miami School of Law, congratulations on your recent appointment to the Florida Supreme Court. The Miami Law community admires your work and for some of us seeing the first Hispanic woman on the bench is of special significance.

The Charles C. Papy, Jr. Moot Court Board at the University of Miami School of Law would like to extend an invitation to you to serve as a judge for its premiere **John T. Gaubatz Moot Court Competition**. The final round of the competition will take place on **Tuesday, October 29, 2019 at 8:00 p.m.** at the University of Miami Newman Alumni Center before a body of law students, faculty, and the South Florida legal community. The final round will be preceded by a reception at 6:30 p.m. Please find attached your invitation with additional details.

Should you have any questions concerning the John T. Gaubatz Competition or the Moot Court Board in general, please do not hesitate to contact us at gaubatzcompetition@gmail.com. We would truly be honored to have you and hope to hear from you soon.

Respectfully,

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Clayton Schmitt
President
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JOHN T. GAUBATZ MOOT COURT COMPETITION

Case Number: 19-1026

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

October Term 2019

GAUBATZ UNIVERSITY,

Petitioner,

VS.

DR. CHARLES IBIS,

Respondent.

**On Writ of Certiorari to the
United States Court of Appeals
for the Fourteenth Circuit**

(ORDER LIST: 1000 U. S.)

CERTIORARI GRANTED

19-1026

GAUBATZ UNIVERSITY vs. DR. CHARLES IBIS

The petition for a writ of certiorari is granted. The parties are directed to address the following questions:

- (1) By issuing the press release, did Gaubatz University infringe Dr. Ibis' liberty interest in his reputation under the Fourteenth Amendment?
- (2) By firing Dr. Ibis for statements made on his blog, did Gaubatz University violate Dr. Ibis' free speech rights under the First Amendment?

2019 JOHN T. GAUBATZ MOOT COURT COMPETITION PROBLEM

Gaubatz University is an American public research university located in Gaubatz, Gables. Gaubatz University is one of the oldest institutions of higher learning, and is known world-wide for its medical school. Until this year, Dr. Charles Ibis was a Gaubatz University employee.

For the past five years, Dr. Ibis was an Assistant Professor of Medicine and a faculty member in the department of surgery at Gaubatz University Medical School. Dr. Ibis was responsible for engaging in research, scholarship, and discourse to further the academic mission of the medical school. Each fall semester he taught a mandatory course on advanced surgical techniques. He was a well-liked member of the faculty, three times selected for a faculty-wide student appreciation award. All of that changed on April 24, 2019, when Dean Susan Baron called Dr. Ibis into her office and fired him.

Although Dr. Ibis is an excellent surgeon and skilled professor, Gaubatz University has long known that he had some atypical beliefs. He endorsed many well-accepted, mainstream views, but was also known to espouse some fringe beliefs. For example, in social settings he had shared odd theories about chemtrails, the link between diet soda and autism, and the dangers of mercury in orange juice. He also recommended chiropractic treatment for epilepsy. While he never taught any of these beliefs in his courses, Dr. Ibis sometimes discussed his theories at social events, some of which were attended by Gaubatz University faculty. At dinner parties, his colleagues largely dismissed his ranting as either failed humor or “drunk talk.”

Dr. Ibis maintained his own website, www.doctoribis.com. Dr. Ibis purchased the domain name himself and completely self-funded the operation of the website. At the time, Gaubatz University had no formal policy addressing faculty use of social media.

Dr. Ibis posted essays on various topics he wrote and photographs he took while on vacation. From time to time, Dr. Ibis published satirical and humor pieces on his website. Other times he posted links to published, peer-reviewed medical journal articles. Dr. Ibis stated on the website that he “published medical articles to foster scholarly debate on matters of public concern.” Another section of the website consisted of Dr. Ibis’ blog. Many of the blog entries were more personal in nature, although some addressed medical topics.

To post on the blog, Dr. Ibis was required to input an email address, which was displayed at the bottom of each blog entry. Dr. Ibis used his academic email address: charles.ibis@gaubatz.edu. As a result, this email address appeared on the bottom, as a signature of sorts, for each and every blog entry he posted. Aside from this email address, Dr. Ibis did not otherwise identify himself as being affiliated with Gaubatz University anywhere on his website, with the exception of his biography page where he mentioned, among other things, his faculty position. On his biography page, he also mentioned a variety of other qualifications, such as his undergraduate degree, medical degree, and residencies—all of which he had achieved at different universities, not Gaubatz University.

On January 14, 2019, Dr. Ibis posted a blog entry, where he discussed at length his belief that chiropractic treatment could be used as a cure for epilepsy. Specifically, he argued that “cranial therapy” and “correction of the meninges” could be used to cure epilepsy. In the blog entry, Dr. Ibis urged practitioners to forgo traditional treatments for their epileptic patients. He also claimed that “most doctors rely far too heavily on pharmaceuticals and overlook useful therapies by using such a myopic focus.” He also claimed that “invasive measures are overused in the American medical system.” Dr. Ibis concluded the blog by emphasizing that even if practitioners did not agree with his suggestions for alternative epilepsy treatment, they at least had an obligation to discuss less invasive, alternative treatments with their patients.

Although Dr. Ibis’ website typically had minimal traffic, the January 14, 2019 blog entry went viral. A prominent local news website that ran stories on cutting-edge medical news ran Dr. Ibis’ blog entry. Within days, the blog entry was viewed over 50,000 times. In the comments section of the blog, some commenters noted that Dr. Ibis’ recommendations were contrary to accepted medical standards, but other commenters praised Dr. Ibis for thinking “outside the box” and starting a dialogue about over-reliance on pharmaceuticals. The commenters, many identifying themselves by name as medical practitioners, discussed Dr. Ibis’ ideas about epilepsy and broader ideas about the current state of American medicine.

One viewer of the website was Dr. Farah Miller—a neurologist in Gables who stumbled upon Dr. Ibis’ blog while looking for treatments to use on her epileptic patient, Sebastian Green. After reading the blog entry, Dr. Miller advised Mr. Green to stop taking his anticonvulsant medication. Dr. Miller decided to perform a chiropractic treatment. Dr. Miller advised Mr. Green that he would experience approximately three days of seizures, would fall into a deep sleep, and would wake up completely healed.

Mr. Green followed this advice. When Mr. Green stopped taking his medicine, he began to experience frequent seizures. Unable to walk and severely dehydrated, he later fell unconscious. He laid on the floor immobile in a diaper for two days. Dr. Miller warned Mr. Green’s family not to take him to the hospital because Mr. Green needed to “purge the drugs” in order to heal. When Mr. Green stopped breathing, his family rushed him to the hospital where he was pronounced dead as a result of uncontrolled epilepsy combined with dehydration. After his death, Mr. Green’s family filed a wrongful death malpractice suit against Dr. Miller. Dr. Miller never contacted Dr. Ibis directly, and there is no evidence that Dr. Ibis was aware, prior to trial, of Dr. Miller’s actions.

The malpractice case became headline news. Only then did Dr. Ibis learn what had happened. The entire trial was televised. On the witness stand, Dr. Miller testified at length about Dr. Ibis’ website, blaming it and its advice for Mr. Green’s death. A screenshot of the blog was entered into evidence at trial, and the local news media focused on Dr. Ibis and his affiliation with Gaubatz University. The University received angry calls from a handful of undergraduate students, and at least one major donor to the university threatened to withdraw her support. On the final day of the trial, students organized a brief “sit-in” on the quad that lasted several hours. One class had to be cancelled as a result of these disruptions.

Local physicians and alumni also learned about the events. In a scathing letter dated April 6, 2019, that was sent exclusively to Dean Susan Baron, a group of nine prominent physicians and alumni called for Dr. Ibis' dismissal. Dean Baron feared that enrollment in the medical school would be damaged. The day after receiving the letter, Dean Baron sent Dr. Ibis an email asking to meet so they could discuss the allegations. Dr. Ibis failed to respond. Dean Baron fired him.

On April 24, 2019, Gaubatz University issued a terse press release stating that the university had "parted ways" with Dr. Ibis due to his "dissemination of advice inconsistent with the standards of Gaubatz University." Gaubatz University attached the alumni letter (dated April 6, 2019) to the press release. Since his termination, Dr. Ibis has been unemployed.

Dr. Ibis hired an attorney and filed a complaint against Gaubatz University in the United States District Court for the District of Gables on June 5, 2019. In that complaint, Dr. Ibis raised two claims. First, he claimed that his liberty interest in his reputation had been infringed in violation of his due process rights. Second, he claimed that he was retaliated against in violation of his right to freedom of speech. Gaubatz University filed a motion to dismiss under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 12(b)(6). The district court granted the motion on July 10, 2019.

Dr. Ibis timely appealed. On appeal, on August 1, 2019, the United States Circuit Court for the Fourteenth Circuit reversed the decision below. Given the novel legal issues raised, Gaubatz University filed a petition for certiorari with the United States Supreme Court. The Supreme Court granted the petition and scheduled the case for briefing and oral argument during the term starting October 2019.

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF GABLES**

DR. CHARLES IBIS,

Plaintiff,

vs.

GAUBATZ UNIVERSITY,

Defendant.

COMPLAINT

Plaintiff, Dr. Charles Ibis, moves the Court for entry of judgment in his favor against Gaubatz University and in support of such Complaint avers as follows:

NATURE OF ACTION AND JURISDICTION

1. This is a civil action seeking damages from Defendant for committing acts, under color of law, with the intent and for the purpose of depriving Plaintiff of rights secured under the Constitution and laws of the United States and for retaliating against Plaintiff for his exercise of constitutionally protected speech.

2. This case arises under the United States Constitution. This Court has jurisdiction in this matter pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1331, 1343.

3. Plaintiff brings this action for damages incurred due to his unlawful termination from Gaubatz University on or about April 24, 2019.

4. This Court is an appropriate venue for this cause of action pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1391(b)(1)–(2). The actions complained of took place in this judicial district, both parties are located in this district, and evidence relating to the claims is located in this district.

PARTIES

5. Gaubatz University is an American public university located in Gaubatz, Gables.

6. Until his firing, Plaintiff was an employee of Gaubatz University. Plaintiff resides in Gaubatz, Gables.

FACTS

7. Prior to being fired, Plaintiff was an Assistant Professor of Medicine and a faculty member in the department of surgery at Gaubatz University Medical School.

8. Plaintiff was responsible for teaching classes, and for engaging in research, scholarship, and discourse to further the academic mission of Gaubatz University.

9. Plaintiff maintained his own independent, self-funded website.

10. No policies of Defendant prohibited, limited, or circumscribed Plaintiff's operation of this website.

11. On January 14, 2019, Plaintiff posted a blog entry calling upon the medical community to examine their over-reliance on pharmaceuticals. He also suggested alternative therapies for epilepsy.

12. The blog entry became well-publicized, was relied upon by a physician, and became part of a wrongful death action when that physician blamed the blog for her patient's death. Plaintiff had no involvement with that physician or her patient.

13. On April 7, 2019, Plaintiff received an email from Dean Susan Baron asking to meet. The email was vague and unspecific. The email is attached hereto as **Exhibit "A."**

14. On April 24, 2019, before he responded to Dean Baron, Plaintiff was fired.

15. Defendant issued a press release publicizing the firing. The press release is attached hereto as **Exhibit "B."**

16. The press release included a letter, which Plaintiff had never before seen. The letter was derogatory and called into question Plaintiff's capabilities as a medical doctor. It also questioned his sanity. The letter is attached hereto as **Exhibit "C."**

17. Plaintiff was provided no hearing prior to his firing.

18. He was provided no hearing after his firing.

19. Plaintiff has been unemployed since his firing, and his reputation was so damaged by Defendant's actions that he can no longer find work in the medical field.

CAUSES OF ACTION

COUNT ONE –

FIRST AMENDMENT SPEECH RIGHTS VIOLATION

20. Plaintiff adopts and realleges paragraphs 1 through 19 above as if fully set forth herein.

21. Plaintiff's blog post was speech protected by the First Amendment.

22. Defendant retaliated against Plaintiff and violated his First Amendment rights by firing him.

23. Plaintiff has suffered damages as a result of Defendant's unlawful conduct. These damages were proximately caused by Defendant and include lost wages, loss of reputation, and pain and suffering.

**COUNT TWO -
FOURTEENTH AMENDMENT DUE PROCESS RIGHTS VIOLATION**

24. Plaintiff adopts and realleges paragraphs 1 through 19 above as if fully set forth herein.

25. Plaintiff had a liberty interest in his reputation.

26. Defendant fired Plaintiff and impugned his good name.

26. Plaintiff had the right to due process, including a formal name-clearing hearing, before his reputation was damaged.

27. Defendant provided no such hearing and, therefore, violated Plaintiff's right to due process.

28. Plaintiff has suffered damages as a result of Defendant's unlawful conduct. These damages were proximately caused by Defendant and include lost wages, loss of reputation, and pain and suffering.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff, Dr. Charles Ibis, requests that this Court enter judgment against Defendant to include compensatory damages and an award of attorneys' fees and costs, and grant such other relief as this Court deems just and proper.

Respectfully submitted this 5th day of June, 2019

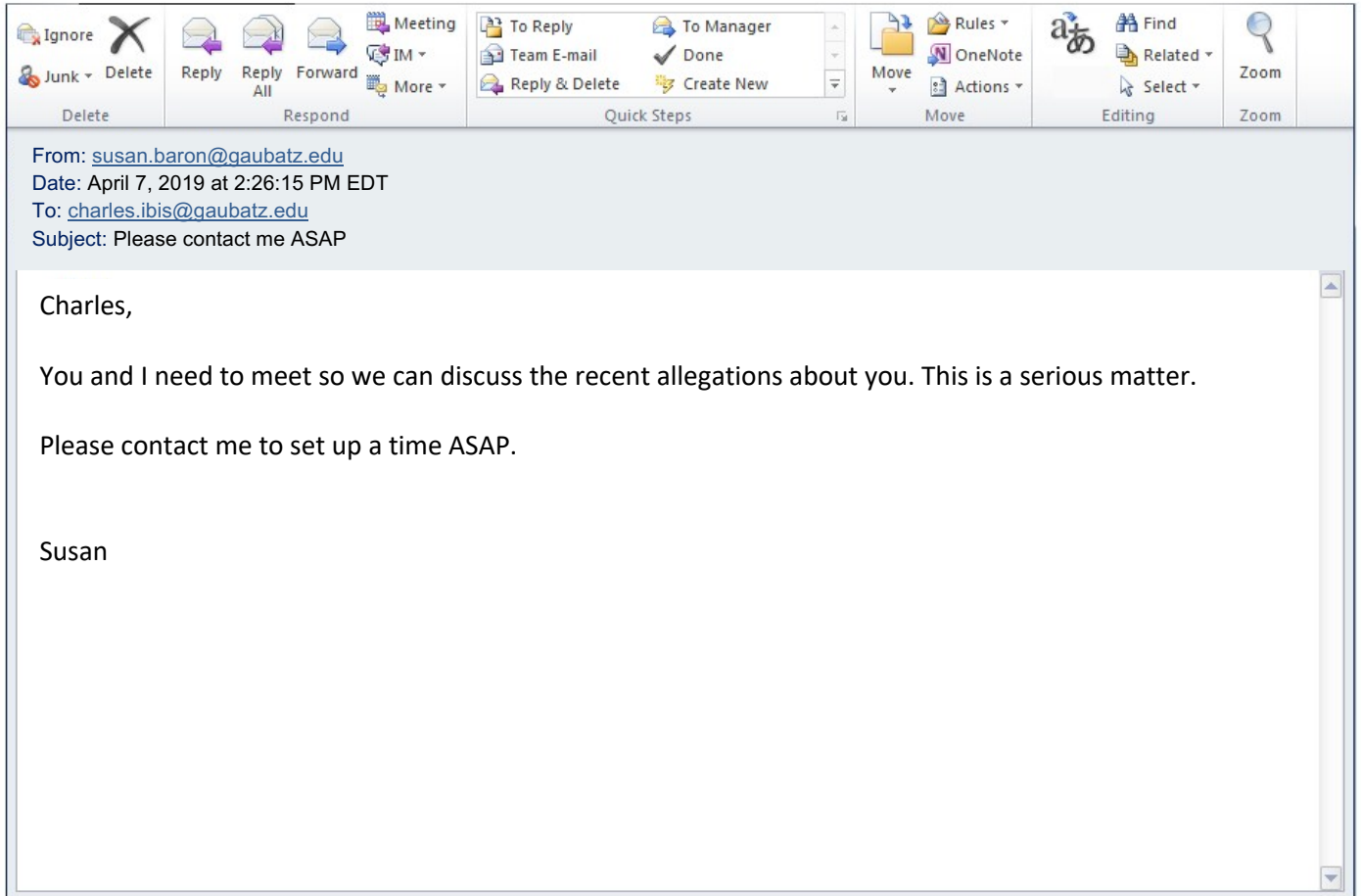
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EXHIBIT

“A”



EXHIBIT

“B”

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

April 24, 2019

Gaubatz University has parted ways with Assistant Professor of Medicine Dr. Charles Ibis due to his dissemination of advice inconsistent with the standards of Gaubatz University. We thank him for his years of service and wish him luck on any future endeavors.

ATTACHMENT: Letter dated April 6, 2019.

EXHIBIT

“C”

April 6, 2019

HAND DELIVERY

Dean Susan Baron
Gaubatz University
305 Main Road
Gaubatz, Gables 00305

Re: *Dr. Ibis*

Dear Dean Baron:

By now you have seen the media coverage surrounding Dr. Charles Ibis, an Assistant Professor of Medicine at Gaubatz University.

He is an embarrassment to the medical profession. His advice regarding the treatment of epilepsy was outdated, outrageous, and irresponsible. These statements were *insane*. He should be ashamed of himself. If he truly believes the things he has said, we question his competence. Regardless, his radical beliefs do not align with those of the university. He must be dismissed immediately. We will accept nothing less. He cannot be allowed to continue his association with such a fine institution.

Respectfully yours,

Dr. Clayton Schmitt
Dr. Deesha Smart
Dr. Jeanelle Gomez
Dr. Selene C. Vazquez
Dr. Mark Miskolczi
Dr. Joshua Levey
Dr. Antonia Irigorri Bernal
Dr. Eliana Zambrana
Dr. Elisabeth Rabin

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF GABLES**

DR. CHARLES IBIS,

Plaintiff,

vs.

GAUBATZ UNIVERSITY,

Defendant.

No. 01234

MOTION TO DISMISS

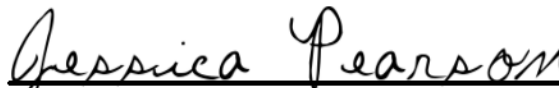
The Defendant, Gaubatz University, by and through its undersigned counsel, moves this Honorable Court pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 12(b)(6) for an order dismissing with prejudice all claims of the Plaintiff, Dr. Charles Ibis. The Plaintiff fails to state a claim on Count I of the complaint because, as a matter of law, his speech was not entitled to First Amendment protection pursuant to *Garcetti v. Ceballos*, 547 U.S. 410 (2006). The Plaintiff fails to state a claim on Count II of the complaint because, as a matter of law, there was no deprivation of a liberty interest pursuant to *Paul v. Davis*, 424 U.S. 693 (1976).

DATED: June 19, 2019

Respectfully submitted,

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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF GABLES**

DR. CHARLES IBIS,

Plaintiff,

vs.

GAUBATZ UNIVERSITY,

Defendant.

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No. 01234

OPINION AND ORDER

BARQUERO, F., DISTRICT JUDGE:

Dr. Ibis behaved irresponsibly and that irresponsibility cost an innocent man his life. Now, Dr. Ibis attempts to use the Constitution as a shield to prevent him from suffering the consequences of his actions. As a legal matter, Dr. Ibis' claims are invalid and should be dismissed. For this reason, the Court GRANTS the Defendant's motion to dismiss.

Dr. Ibis cannot state a claim for deprivation of due process. The Fourteenth Amendment prohibits the government from "depriv[ing] any person of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law." U.S. Const. amend. XIV, § 1. To be entitled to due process, Dr. Ibis must first prove he has a protected liberty interest. *See Bd. of Regents of State Colls. v. Roth*, 408 U.S. 564, 569 (1972). To state a viable claim, Dr. Ibis must prove three things: (1) a constitutionally cognizable liberty interest; (2) a deprivation of that interest; and (3) a lack of constitutionally adequate notice and hearing. *Id.* at 569–70. Here, we need not evaluate any further because no cognizable liberty interest existed.

Although Dr. Ibis may generally have a liberty interest in his reputation, he can be deprived of that interest only if he is defamed. Some courts apply a multi-factor balancing test. *See, e.g., Brown v. Simmons*, 478 F.3d 922, 923 (8th Cir. 2007); *Cannon v. City of W. Palm Beach*, 250 F.3d 1299, 1301–1302 (11th Cir. 2001). The Court, however, thinks the better approach is to focus on the allegedly stigmatizing statement itself. To be defamatory, a statement must be false. *See Bundren v. Parriott*, 245 F. App'x 822, 826–27 (10th Cir. 2007). None of the statements made by Gaubatz University in the press release were false. The press release truthfully stated that the university was parting ways with Dr. Ibis. In fact, the letter glossed the details and actually helped him save face. It certainly was not defamatory.

In addition, his firing was justified. Dr. Ibis' teachings departed from the mission of the university and generally accepted medical practices. If Dr. Ibis is unable to find employment, it is due to his own irresponsible and negligent internet ranting, not any false statement by the university. The Complaint is silent as to whether Dr. Ibis has even attempted to find a job.

Moreover, even if there was a liberty interest at stake, Gaubatz University afforded Dr. Ibis sufficient due process. Due process requirements are flexible. *Morrissey v. Brewer*, 408 U.S. 471, 481 (1972); see *Mathews v. Eldridge*, 424 U.S. 319, 334 (1976). Dr. Ibis was offered the opportunity to meet with the dean and be heard. It was Dr. Ibis, not the university, who chose not to avail himself of this process.

Secondly, given the dangerousness of Dr. Ibis' advice, the university's interest in ridding itself of Dr. Ibis outweighs any other factor. The *Mathews* balancing test clearly tips in favor of the university. 424 U.S. at 335. The speech at issue was not entitled to free speech protection.

As the Supreme Court has held in the landmark case of *Garcetti v. Ceballos*, 547 U.S. 410, 421 (2006), "when public employees make statements pursuant to their official duties, the employees are not speaking as citizens for First Amendment purposes, and the Constitution does not insulate their communications from employer discipline." That is what happened here. In his capacity as an Assistant Professor of Medicine and a faculty member in the department of surgery, Dr. Ibis was responsible for teaching classes as well as "engaging in research, scholarship, and discourse to further the academic mission of the medical school." He engaged in debate and issued relevant statements, and therefore his speech was as an employee rather than as a private citizen.

Because the *Garcetti* case involved a prosecutor, the *Garcetti* Court did not decide how the *Garcetti* per se rule would apply to a public employee in an academic setting. Based on dicta, commentators have suggested that there is an academic speech exception. The Court disagrees. Although courts appear to be divided, we believe the Seventh Circuit has endorsed the proper reading of *Garcetti*. See *Renken v. Gregory*, 541 F.3d 769, 773 (7th Cir. 2008). The Seventh Circuit properly held that a public university did not violate a professor's First Amendment rights when the university returned grant funds obtained by the professor as retaliation for the professor speaking against the university's proposed use of those funds. *Id.* at 775. The Seventh Circuit did not consider whether there is an academic speech exception to *Garcetti*. There is no such exception.

Consistent with *Garcetti*, the Court concludes that Dr. Ibis unquestionably spoke pursuant to his official duties when he posted on his blog. Through his use of a Gaubatz University email address and his references on the biography page, Dr. Ibis affiliated himself with the university. He exploited his position as a faculty member to lend credence to his illogical ramblings. This speech was not done in his individual capacity; rather, he spoke in his official capacity as a university employee, and thus the disputed speech enjoys no legal protection. As some of our sister courts have held, and we concur, *Garcetti* creates no academic speech exception that must be considered.

Even if there is such an exception, Dr. Ibis posted advice widely rejected by the medical community—epilepsy cannot be cured by chiropractic treatment. Because the speech had no educational value, it was not protected under the First Amendment, and Gaubatz University could properly terminate Dr. Ibis for his speech.

Additionally, a government employer, including a public university like Gaubatz University, has an interest in ensuring the efficient operation of its workplace. See *Lane v. Franks*, 573 U.S. 228, 236 (2014). It is clear that the trial and media attention had a disruptive effect on the orderly operation of the university. The valueless and dangerous speech posed a serious risk to

the public and undermined the future of the university. For that reason alone, the balancing of equities weighs in favor of allowing the university to terminate Dr. Ibis for his dangerous medical advice.

CONCLUSION

Actions have consequences. Dr. Ibis acted irresponsibly, and his behavior caused the death of an innocent person. As an employee of a public university, Dr. Ibis spoke not only for himself, but also for his employer. Gaubatz University was well within its rights to terminate its relationship with Dr. Ibis and issue a truthful press release. Dr. Ibis must live with the consequences of what he has done, but the university need not any longer.

The Court therefore GRANTS Gaubatz University's motion to dismiss.

Dated: July 10, 2019

**UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FOURTEENTH CIRCUIT**

DR. CHARLES IBIS,
Plaintiff,

vs.

GAUBATZ UNIVERSITY,
Defendant.

OPINION AND ORDER

TORRES, A., CIRCUIT JUDGE, joined by J. Stearns and G. Angones, Circuit Judges:

Unquestionably, Dr. Charles Ibis eschewed traditional medical thought and was outspoken about his alternative views. It is not clear to this Court that such alternative views should have resulted in his termination, especially where important free speech and due process concerns are raised. For these reasons, we REVERSE.

Dr. Ibis' speech was entitled to First Amendment protection. He was a public employee, but he did not lose his First Amendment rights at the door to the university. Dr. Ibis is hardly the first public employee to claim he was retaliated against in violation of his First Amendment rights. Prior to 2006, *Pickering v. Board of Education*, 391 U.S. 563 (1968), and *Connick v. Myers*, 461 U.S. 138 (1983), governed these claims. Applying *Pickering* and *Connick*, courts balanced the interest of the employer in efficiently maintaining the workplace against the employee's right to speak on matters of public concern. Where the employee's interest was stronger, the speech was deemed protected by the First Amendment.

In 2006, the United States Supreme Court decided *Garcetti v. Ceballos*, 547 U.S. 410 (2006). The *Garcetti* Court added an additional threshold inquiry, holding that the First Amendment does not apply when public employees speak pursuant to their official duties. As the Court held, where the speech was made as an employee, rather than as a citizen, the employee could be disciplined for the speech. *Id.* at 421.

In important ways, the *Garcetti* case differed factually from the case before us—*Garcetti* involved a prosecutor rather than a university professor. *Id.* at 413. In dicta, the *Garcetti* Court suggested that academic speech might fall outside its per se rule. *Id.* at 424. The dissent illustrates why such an exception must exist—without such an exception, academic freedom at public colleges and universities would be stifled. *Id.* at 438 (Souter, J., dissenting).

In the aftermath of *Garcetti*, some courts have applied an academic exception to the *Garcetti* rule. See, e.g., *Demers v. Austin*, 729 F.3d 1011, 1019 (9th Cir. 2013); *Adams v. Trs. of the Univ. of N.C.-Wilmington*, 640 F.3d 550, 562 (4th Cir. 2011). We find the reasoning of these cases persuasive. The university may not have agreed with Dr. Ibis' speech, but it was academic in nature and designed to foster a dialogue. When the *Pickering-Connick* balancing test is applied, it is clear that the equities weigh in favor of Dr. Ibis. Gaubatz University has shown little disruption to its operations from the speech itself. Dr. Ibis is not to blame for the trial and media attention that followed. Much of that was prompted by the way Gaubatz University and its alumni reacted to the speech.

In the alternative, it is not entirely clear that Dr. Ibis' blog is part of his official duties. His public employer, Gaubatz University, may only dictate the parameters of Dr. Ibis' speech when he speaks in his official capacity. When he speaks as an average citizen, he enjoys the same First Amendment protection as other citizens. Based on the limited factual record, Dr. Ibis could conceivably prevail in demonstrating that his speech was outside his official capacity.

Not only might Dr. Ibis be entitled to First Amendment protection, but the university may have also violated his due process rights. It is well-settled that when coupled with an adverse employment action, an employee has a liberty interest in his reputation. See *Paul v. Davis*, 424 U.S. 693, 710 (1976); *Board of Regents of State Colleges v. Roth*, 408 U.S. 564, 573 (1972). This does not mean a public employee can never be fired, but it does mean that a public employer cannot defame a former employee so as to deprive him of future employment opportunities. See *Sciolino v. City of Newport News*, 480 F.3d 642, 645 (4th Cir. 2007). An employee has a valid due process claim where he or she can show that his employer's statements (1) stigmatized his reputation, (2) were made public by the employer, (3) were made in conjunction with his firing, and (4) were false. *Kocher v. Larksville Borough*, 548 F. App'x 813, 819–20 (3d Cir. 2013); see also *Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. v. Kan. DOT*, 810 F.3d 1161, 1184–85 (10th Cir. 2016).

Additionally, an employer must provide a hearing prior to terminating an employee and issuing a stigmatizing statement. *Martin Marietta Materials*, 810 F.3d at 1185. Here, the university did nothing of the sort. Dr. Ibis was notified by email that he should meet with the dean, but the dean was not sufficiently specific in her email. Dr. Ibis would not have had reason to expect that he needed to respond in a matter of days or else be summarily fired with no opportunity to be heard. The letter, which was attached to the press release and made public by Gaubatz University, was sufficiently derogatory to the point of being false. This, coupled with Dr. Ibis' firing, constituted a deprivation of his liberty interest. Dr. Ibis has stated a due process claim and should be allowed to proceed to trial.

For the foregoing reasons, we REVERSE the decision below and REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion.

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GAUBATZ UNIVERSITY,

Petitioner,

VS.

DR. CHARLES IBIS,

Respondent.

INTRODUCTION

Thank you for giving your time to judge the 2019 John T. Gaubatz Moot Court Competition. The Charles C. Papy, Jr. Moot Court Board appreciates your service in assisting our competitors develop their appellate advocacy skills and advancing discourse in the area of constitutional law.

This bench brief memorandum—as a supplement to the attached problem itself—seeks to explain this year’s problem, summarize relevant case law, and outline potential arguments that the competitors may raise. *The competitors are barred from viewing this document.*

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PROBLEM SUMMARY

Gaubatz University v. Dr. Charles Ibis (“the Problem”) presents constitutional questions surrounding the First and Fourteenth Amendments to the United States Constitution. Each relate to a university faculty member’s written communication. Broadly, the problem focuses on the constitutional implications of unpopular academic speech and the relationship between one’s reputation and one’s liberty with respect to the Due Process Clause.

1. Questions Presented

The case of first impression is before the Supreme Court of the United States and presents two legal issues for *de novo* review:

- (1) By issuing the press release, did Gaubatz University infringe on Dr. Ibis’ liberty interest in his reputation under the Fourteenth Amendment?
- (2) By firing Dr. Ibis for statements made on his blog, did Gaubatz University violate Dr. Ibis’ free speech rights under the First Amendment?

2. Key Facts

Gaubatz University is an American public research university located in Gaubatz, Gables. Until April 24, 2019, when he was fired, Dr. Charles Ibis was a well-liked member of the faculty. As an Assistant Professor of Medicine in the Department of Surgery, Dr. Ibis was responsible for both teaching classes as well as “engaging in research, scholarship, and discourse to further the academic mission of the medical school.”

Prior to his firing, Dr. Ibis had, in social settings, espoused “fringe beliefs” about chemtrails, the link between diet soda and autism, chiropractic treatments for epilepsy, and the dangers of mercury in orange juice. He never taught these beliefs during any of his Gaubatz University courses, and no students recall him discussing these theories.

Dr. Ibis managed his own website (www.doctoribis.com) on which he posted essays on both medical and non-medical topics. The website also contained his blog, which was largely

personal in nature with some reference to medical topics. Dr. Ibis purchased the website's domain name himself and completely self-funded the operation of it. Dr. Ibis used his charles.ibis@gaubatz.edu email address to post on the blog, and the email was displayed at the bottom of each post. Dr. Ibis did not otherwise identify himself as being affiliated with Gaubatz University anywhere on his website, except in his biography page, where he mentioned his employment along with the rest of his background.

On January 14, 2019, Dr. Ibis posted a blog entry claiming that chiropractic treatment could be used as a cure for epilepsy. Dr. Ibis urged medical practitioners to forego traditional treatments for their epileptic patients. He claimed that “most doctors rely far too heavily on pharmaceuticals and overlook useful therapies by using such a myopic focus.” Commenters on the blog argued both sides of the merits of Dr. Ibis' recommendations. The discussion was not limited to his theories on epilepsy treatment, but also on the issue of overreliance on pharmaceuticals.

The blog post went viral, had 50,000 views within a matter of days, and a local news website linked to the blog entry. After reading the post, Dr. Farah Miller followed Dr. Ibis' recommendation of foregoing regular epileptic treatments, leading to the death of her client Sebastian Green. There is no evidence that Dr. Ibis ever spoke with Dr. Miller or was contemporaneously aware of her actions. During the televised wrongful death trial that followed, Dr. Ibis and Gaubatz University received negative publicity. The attention resulted in a student protest, which caused the cancellation of a class. At least one major donor also threatened to withdraw her support of the University.

In a letter dated April 6, 2019, a group of nine prominent physicians and alumni of Gaubatz University Medical School called for Dr. Ibis' dismissal. Dr. Ibis was sent an email asking him to meet with Dean Susan Baron regarding the post and subsequent backlash, but he did not respond. Dr. Ibis was fired on April 24, 2019. Gaubatz University issued a press release stating that the university had “parted ways” with Dr. Ibis due to his “dissemination of advice inconsistent with the standards of Gaubatz University.” Gaubatz University attached the alumni letter to the press release. Since his termination, Dr. Ibis has been unemployed.

3. Procedural History

Dr. Ibis filed a complaint in the United States District Court for the District of Gables against Gaubatz University on June 5, 2019. In that complaint, Dr. Ibis raised two claims. First, that he was retaliated against in violation of his First Amendment right to freedom of speech. Second, that his liberty interest in his reputation had been infringed, violating his Fourteenth Amendment due process right. Gaubatz University then filed a motion to dismiss.

a. District Court Grants Defendant's Motion to Dismiss (Gaubatz University Prevails)

The district court granted the motion to dismiss on July 10, 2019.¹

¹ The procedural posture of this case is designed to give students representing Dr. Ibis a strong additional argument. Because the case was decided on motion, prior to discovery, there was little factual record developed. Certain key facts are absent from the record. These include the details of any employment policies. If those were before the Court, the Court might be able to determine whether Gaubatz University could fire Dr. Ibis for cause due to his blogging, or the extent to which blogging may have constituted part of Dr. Ibis' employment obligations. The record is also silent as to Dr. Ibis' efforts to

b. Fourteenth Circuit Court Reverses and Remands (Dr. Ibis Prevails)

Dr. Ibis moved for interlocutory appeal, which was granted. On appeal, on August 1, 2019, the United States Circuit Court for the Fourteenth Circuit reversed the decision below.

c. United States Supreme Court Grants Certiorari (Now, before the Court)

Gaubatz University filed a petition for certiorari with the United States Supreme Court, which was granted. Gaubatz University seeks to convince the Court that the District Court was correct in granting the Motion to Dismiss. In contrast, Dr. Ibis seeks to uphold Fourteenth Circuit's ruling and convince the Court that his First Amendment and Due Process rights were violated.

LEGAL ISSUES

1. Issue 1: Due Process

The United States Supreme Court has not decided whether a liberty interest in one's reputation is infringed where a former employer issues a truthful (but derogatory) statement about a terminated employee. Nor has the Court determined whether due process requirements are met where that employee was offered a meeting, but was terminated a few weeks later before that meeting has occurred. In this hypothetical case, the Court will decide these two related issues.

- **Dr. Ibis** must argue that:
 - (1) There was a protected liberty interest (because Dr. Ibis was fired and prevented from finding future employment), and
 - (2) He was deprived of adequate due process (because the email inviting him to meet with Dean Baron did not constitute a name clearing hearing).
- **Gaubatz University** may argue either that:
 - (1) There was no liberty interest (because the press release was truthful and/or ambiguous and Dr. Ibis was fired for cause), or
 - (2) That adequate process was given (because the invitation to meet with Dean Baron was sufficient and it was Dr. Ibis who opted not to attend).²

a. Binding Precedent: Setting the Standard

Pursuant to the Fourteenth Amendment, any time a life, liberty, or property interest is threatened, some process must be given. U.S. Const. amend. XIV. Traditionally, the Court limited liberty interests to those protected by common law—mainly freedom from physical restraint. *Greenholtz v. Nebraska Penal Inmates*, 442 U.S. 1, 18 (1979). In more recent times, however, the Court began expanding the concept of property rights to its current broad understanding—which includes an individual's liberty interest in his own reputation under certain circumstances. *Paul v.*

find employment since his termination. Counsel for Dr. Ibis can use these gaps in the record as a strength and argue that, at minimum, the case should be remanded to the district court for discovery on these factual issues. Although the two questions presented are issues of law, a more robust factual record would be of assistance allowing these legal issues to be decided.

² Gaubatz University is more likely to prevail if it asserts both arguments in the alternative.

Davis, 424 U.S. 693, 701 (1976). Accordingly, the threat of reputational injury requires, in some cases, due process. *Id.*

The Court, however, has not drawn a bright-line rule indicating what stigmatization is sufficient to involve a liberty interest. While the Court made it clear that there must be stigma “plus” something else, lower courts have taken different approaches in defining what “plus” means in this context.

If there were a liberty interest at stake, the question would then become whether sufficient process was given. The requirements of due process depend upon the nature of the liberty interest at issue balanced against the opposing interests. The balancing test is set forth in *Mathews v. Eldridge* and considers three factors:

- (1) The private interest that will be affected by the official action;
- (2) The risk of an erroneous deprivation of such interest through the procedures used, and the probable value, if any, of additional or substitute procedural safeguards; and
- (3) The Government’s interest, including the function involved and the fiscal and administrative burdens that the additional or substitute procedural requirement would entail.

Mathews, 424 U.S. 319, 335 (1976). Students representing both sides must weigh the three competing interests and likely conclude the following—

- Students representing **Dr. Ibis** will argue:
 - That his liberty interest was quite strong, and that he deserved a name clearing hearing before having his reputation damaged by the University.
 - That offering such a hearing was hardly a serious imposition for Gaubatz University, given that Dean Baron did offer to meet with Dr. Ibis.
- Students representing **Gaubatz University** will:
 - Point to the protests and disruptions caused by the trial and the need to maintain operational efficiency.
 - Argue that offering every employee fired for cause a hearing would be unduly burdensome.
 - Argue that Dr. Ibis waived his right to a hearing by failing to either meet with Dean Baron or respond to the email.

In very limited circumstances, where summary action is necessary to prevent imminent harm to the public, and the private interest infringed is of lesser importance, the government can take action with no notice and no opportunity to defend. *Bd. of Regents v. Roth*, 408 U.S. 564, 570 n.7 (1972).³ An individual can also waive his due process rights. *D.H. Overmyer Co. v. Frick Co.*, 405 U.S. 174, 185 (1972).

³ Students may use a variety of cases to explain the first issue on appeal. The primary cases are *Roth* and *Mathews*. Regardless of whatever other authority is used, students must recognize that *Roth* requires stigma plus something more, and they must be prepared to weigh the competing interest under the *Mathews* balancing test.

Binding Cases

***Board of Regents v. Roth*, 408 U.S. 564 (1972)**

Facts: Roth was hired as an assistant professor for one-year fixed term. At the end of the year, he was not hired for an additional term. He was not given a reason for the decision nor the opportunity to challenge the decision at a hearing. Roth brought suit claiming, among other things, that the failure to give him notice of the reasons for not rehiring him and the opportunity for a hearing violated his procedural right to due process.

Holding: There is no “liberty” deprivation under the Fourteenth Amendment when a person simply is not rehired in one job but remains free to seek another. In very limited circumstances, where summary action is necessary to prevent imminent harm to the public, and the private interest infringed is of lesser importance, the government can take action with no notice and no opportunity to defend (not case here).

NOTE: “[I]t is fundamental that except in emergency situations (and this is not one) due process requires that when a State seeks to terminate an interest . . . , it must afford notice and opportunity for hearing appropriate to the nature of the case before the termination becomes effective.” *Bd. of Regents v. Roth*, 408 U.S. 564, 570 n.7 (1972) (quoting *Bell v. Burson*, 402 U.S. 535, 542 (1971)).

***Mathews v. Eldridge*, 424 U.S. 319 (1976)**

Facts: A case involving the termination of Social Security Benefits.

Holding: The requirements of due process depend upon the nature of the liberty interest at issue balanced against opposing interests. The court came up with the balancing test, where three factors must be weighed: (1) the private interest that will be affected by the official action; (2) the risk of an erroneous deprivation of such interest through the procedures used, and the probable value, if any, of additional substitute procedural safeguards; and (3) the Government’s interest, including the function involved and the fiscal and administrative burdens that the additional or substitute procedural requirement would entail.

NOTE: Student must be able to weigh the competing interests under the balancing test.

***Paul v. Davis*, 424 U.S. 693 (1976)**

Facts: Police circulated a flyer to store owners that labeled the plaintiff as a “shoplifter” without allowing the plaintiff to challenge the designation in advance.

Holding: A liberty interest extends only to situations where loss of one’s reputation has an attendant financial impact. Because the plaintiff could not point to a specific public interest that he lost due to being labeled a “shoplifter,” the Court found there was no infringement to his liberty in his reputation.

NOTE: Courts require stigma “plus” something else (but courts have taken different approaches in defining what “plus” means—please see below).

b. Circuit Court Precedent: Defining “Plus”

Davis made it clear that there must be stigma “plus” something else for a liberty interest to be infringed. 424 U.S. at 701-02. However, lower courts have taken different approaches in defining what “plus” means.

Some courts, including courts in the Second and Tenth Circuits, focus primarily on whether the statement was defamatory or false. *See, e.g., Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. v. Kan. DOT*, 810 F.3d 1161 (10th Cir. 2016); *Balentine v. Tremblay*, 554 Fed. Appx. 58, 60 (2d Cir. 2014). If the statement was not false, there was no deprivation of a liberty interest.

Others, including courts in the First, Fourth, and Sixth Circuits, focus primarily on whether the statement accompanied a change in employment status, such as a firing. *See, e.g., Shirvinski v. United States Coast Guard*, 673 F.3d 308, 315 (4th Cir. 2012); *Hawkins v. Rhode Island Lottery Comm’n*, 238 F.3d 112 (1st Cir. 2001); *Cutshall v. Sundquist*, 193 F.3d 466 (6th Cir. 1999). If the employee was fired, that finding may be a “plus” factor sufficient to implicate a liberty interest.

Other circuits, including the Fifth, Eighth, and Eleventh, take a more holistic approach, using a multi-factor “stigma-plus” test. *See, e.g., Miller v. Metrocare Servs.*, 809 F.3d 827, 833 (5th Cir. 2016); *Brown v. Simmons*, 478 F.3d 922, 923 (8th Cir. 2007); *Cannon v. City of W. Palm Beach*, 250 F.3d 1299, 1301-02 (11th Cir. 2001). But not every circuit utilizes each of these factors, however, and in many cases courts evaluate only some factors. *See, e.g., McCray v. Howard*, 285 Fed. Appx. 689, 693-94 (11th Cir. 2008) (applying a six-factor test).

Regardless of which approach is utilized, all circuits require something more than a derogatory statement alone. The statement must be false, must accompany an adverse employment action, must result in a loss of government benefits, or must seriously damage future employment opportunities. Several facts in the record, such as the facts below, can be used to argue that the “plus” factor was or was not met.⁴

- **“Plus” factor was met:**
 - Dr. Ibis was terminated and lost all employee benefits.
 - Statements made by the alumni arguably may have been false.
 - The press release publicized his termination.
 - Dr. Ibis appears unable to find employment now.
- **“Plus” factor was not met:**
 - Dr. Ibis’ actions may have justified a firing for cause.
 - The press release was so broadly worded that it can hardly be characterized as being false.
 - It may be Dr. Ibis’ actions, rather than the press release, that render him unemployable.

⁴ Students should recognize that courts differ as to how the “plus” factor can be met and should muster the facts of record to argue whether it is met in this case.

**Circuit Court Cases:
Defamatory/False Focus Cases**

<i>Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. v. Kan. DOT</i>, 810 F.3d 1161, 1184-85 (10th Cir. 2016)
Holding: An employer must provide a hearing prior to terminating an employee and issuing a stigmatizing statement.
<i>Balentine v. Tremblay</i>, 554 Fed. Appx. 58, 60 (2d Cir. 2014)
Holding: To allege a cognizable claim under 42 U.S.C. §1983 predicated upon an act of defamation, a plaintiff must allege a “stigma-plus” claim. A stigma-plus claim is a stigmatizing statement plus a deprivation of a tangible interest. To establish a “stigma-plus” a plaintiff must allege two elements: (1) The utterance of a statement sufficiently derogatory to injure his or her reputation, that is capable of being proved false, and that he or she claims is false, and (2) A material state-imposed burden or state-imposed alteration to the plaintiff’s status or rights. Balentine did not meet the elements and therefore had no claim upon which relief can be granted.

“Plus” Factor Cases: Change in Employment Status

<i>Shirvinski v. United States Coast Guard</i>, 673 F.3d 308, 315 (4th Cir. 2012)
Holding: There could be no due process deprivation in the loss of “at will” employment.
<i>Hawkins v. Rhode Island Lottery Comm’n</i>, 238 F.3d 112 (1st Cir. 2001)
Holding: The appellant did not make out a “stigma-plus” claim because the party responsible for the defamation was not the party responsible for the termination.
<i>Cutshall v. Sundquist</i>, 193 F.3d 466 (6th Cir. 1999)
Holding: There is no general interest in privacy where there is no related direct loss of employment.

“Stigma-Plus” Cases: Multi-Factor Holistic Approach

<i>Miller v. Metrocare Services</i>, 809 F.3d 827 (5th Cir. 2016)
Facts: Former employee of local governmental community mental health center brought action following his termination—including a procedural due process claim under § 1983.
Holding: Employee’s name-clearing hearing provided adequate due process. The Multi-Factor Test required the employee prove: “(1) he was discharged; (2) stigmatizing charges were made against him in connection with the discharge; (3) the charges were false; (4) he was not provided notice or an opportunity to be heard prior to the discharge; (5) the charges were made public; (6) he requested a hearing to clear his name; and (7) the employer denied the request.” <i>Miller</i> , 809 F.3d at 833.

***Brown v. Simmons*, 478 F.3d 922, 923 (8th Cir. 2007)**

Facts: Brown, a teacher, filed a complaint alleging Simmons, the superintendent of the Conway Public School District, infringed on Brown’s procedural due process rights by denying Brown a name-clearing hearing after Brown was stigmatized by defamatory statements made by other school officials.

Holding: Used Multi-Factor Test. Brown’s complaint failed to allege any alteration or extinguishment of a right or legal status. Because Brown did not allege each element of his “stigma plus” claim, Brown failed to state a claim upon which relief can be granted. Affirmed dismissal.

***Cannon v. City of West Palm Beach*, 250 F.3d 1299, 1301-02 (11th Cir. 2001)**

Facts: Cannon, a firefighter, sought a promotion but was passed over even though he received the highest test score for the position because of a memorandum in his file that contained stigmatizing information. Cannon sued arguing his procedural due process rights under the Fourteenth Amendment were violated.

Holding: Used Multi-Factor Test. Placing of stigmatizing information in employee’s personnel file plus being passed over for promotion does not give employee a protected liberty interest. Affirming the District Courts granting of judgement on the pleading in favor of the City.

“Stigma-Plus” Cases: Holistic Approach – ONLY Select Factors

***McCray v. Howard*, 285 Fed. Appx. 689, 693-94 (11th Cir. 2008)**

Facts: Courtroom deputy brought § 1983 action against county district attorney, Howard, alleging that he violated her due process rights when he struck and injured her while resisting removal from courtroom and later made defamatory remarks about her during press conference.

Holding: Used Multi-Factor Test. Deputy failed to explain how a temporary leave of absence from work constitutes a deprivation of a state-recognized liberty or property interest, and Deputy failed to allege (1) that she was stigmatized in connection with a change in her employment status, and (2) that Howard was her employer. Affirmed dismissal.

NOTE: Six-factor stigma plus test – (1) a false statement (2) of a stigmatizing nature (3) attending a governmental employee’s discharge (4) was made public (5) by the governmental employer (6) without a meaningful opportunity for employee name clearing.

2. Issue 2: Freedom of Speech

The Supreme Court has not decided whether academic speech by a public employee is protected under the First Amendment. In this hypothetical case, the Court will decide the issue.

- **Dr. Ibis** has three main arguments:
 - (1) There is an academic exception to *Garcetti's* per se rule, the *Pickering-Connick* balancing test applies, and the test should be balanced in favor of Dr. Ibis.
 - (2) Even if *Garcetti's* per se rule applies, Dr. Ibis was not speaking pursuant to his official duties when he posted on his blog.
 - (3) *Policy argument*: Ruling for Gaubatz University will stifle academic freedom in the very places (public universities) where an open, free marketplace of ideas is of critical importance.
- **Gaubatz University** should be prepared to defend against arguments above:
 - (1) The *Garcetti's* per se rule applies here, which has no academic exception—
 - *Garcetti's* per se rule is hugely beneficial to the university, and
 - If the Court declines to find an academic exception, this will be beneficial in the future for the university's ability to hire and fire employees.
 - (2) Even if the *Pickering-Connick* balancing test were to apply, the test weighs in favor of the university.

a. Binding Precedent: The Standard

Prior to 2006, *Pickering v. Board of Education of Township High School District 205*, 391 U.S. 563 (1968), and *Connick v. Myers*, 461 U.S. 138 (1983), governed First Amendment retaliation claims made by public employees. Under these cases, courts balanced:

- (1) The interests of the employer in efficiently maintaining the workplace, and
- (2) The employee's right to speak on matters of public concern.

If the employee's interest was stronger, the speech was entitled to First Amendment protection. *Pickering*, 391 U.S. at 568.

In 2006, the Court decided *Garcetti v. Ceballos*, 547 U.S. 410 (2006), and added an additional threshold inquiry to the *Pickering-Connick* balancing test. The court held that if public employees speak pursuant to their *official* duties (in the role of an employee, not a private citizen):

- (1) The First Amendment does not apply, and
- (2) The employee could be disciplined for the speech.

Id. at 421. The *Garcetti* court did not decide whether *all* public employee speech was unprotected, declining to address whether there might be an exception for academic speech. *Id.* at 425. Such a finding would have been dicta, as the employee at issue in *Garcetti* was not a professor, but rather a district attorney, and the statements at issue were not scholarly. Justice Souter's dissent, joined by Justice Stevens and Justice Ginsburg, criticized the breadth of the majority holding, noting that it could stifle academic freedom in public colleges and universities. *Id.* at 438-39 (Souter, J., dissenting).

Binding Cases

***Pickering v. Board of Education of Township High School District 205*, 391 U.S. 563 (1968)**

Facts: A high school teacher was fired after writing a letter to a local newspaper in which he criticized the school district.

Holding: In the absence of proof that the teacher knowingly or recklessly made false statements, the teacher had a right to speak on issues of public importance without being fired from his job. *Pickering*, 391 U.S. at 574.

***Connick v. Myers*, 461 U.S. 138 (1983)**

Facts: An assistant district attorney was fired after she circulated an intra-office questionnaire that was critical of her supervisor.

Holding: The Court examined the questionnaire and found that one of its questions addressed issues of public importance, but others did not. *Connick*, 461 U.S. at 149. Specifically, one of the questions asked whether employees felt pressured to work on political campaigns. *Id.* at 141.

The Court held that where an employee addresses an issue of public importance, courts must balance the employee's interest in free expression against the employer's interest in efficient operation of the workplace. *Id.* at 142 (quoting *Pickering*, 391 U.S. at 568).

***Garcetti v. Ceballos*, 547 U.S. 410 (2006)**

Facts: A deputy district attorney criticized his superiors in a memorandum that he was directed to write addressing a criminal case handled by the office.

Holding: Although the employee was addressing possible government misrepresentations, which could be construed as a matter of public concern, his speech was made as part of his job duties and therefore not protected by the First Amendment. *Garcetti*, 547 U.S. at 421.

The Court noted that "there is some argument that expression related to academic scholarship or classroom instruction implicates additional constitutional interests that are not fully accounted for by this Court's customary employee-speech jurisprudence." *Id.* at 425. The majority in *Garcetti* thereby suggested that its analysis may not apply to academic settings.

a. Circuit Courts Precedent

After *Garcetti*, a split developed in the lower courts as to whether there is an academic exception to *Garcetti*. Compare *Renken v. Gregory*, 541 F.3d 769 (7th Cir. 2008), with *Demers v. Austin*, 746 F.3d 402 (9th Cir. 2014).

- **Exception (Dr. Ibis Prevail):** If there is such an exception, the *Pickering-Connick* balancing test applies, and the employee may prevail. See *Adams v. Trs. of Univ. of N. C.-Wilmington*, 640 F.3d 550 (4th Cir. 2011).
- **No Exception (Gaubatz University Prevail):** If there is no such exception, the employee cannot prevail if the speech was made pursuant to his official duties. See *Gorum v. Sessoms*, 561 F.3d 179 (3rd Cir. 2009).

As a result, the outcome of this case is dependent on whether *Garcetti*'s per se rule or the *Pickering-Connick* balancing test applies.⁵

Circuit Court Cases

Lane v. Franks, 134 S. Ct. 2369 (2014)

Facts: An employee of a publicly-funded youth training program uncovered fraud in the program and was terminated after he testified at trial.

Holding: Employee's speech was entitled to First Amendment protection. The employee spoke as a citizen on matters of public concern when he testified at trial. The Court explained that, under *Garcetti*, the initial inquiry was whether the case involved speech as a citizen or speech as an employee. *Lane*, 134 S. Ct. at 2378 (quoting *Garcetti*, 547 U.S. at 418).

The mere fact that a citizen's speech concerns information acquired by virtue of his public employment does not transform that speech into employee—rather than citizen—speech. The critical question under *Garcetti* is whether the speech at issue is itself ordinarily within the scope of an employee's duties, not whether it merely concerns those duties.

Id. at 2379 (summarizing *Garcetti*, 547 U.S. 410).

Demers v. Austin, 746 F.3d 402 (9th Cir. 2014)

Facts: A tenured university professor published pamphlets criticizing his university employer.

Holding: The *Garcetti* analysis did not apply to academic speech, even when undertaken pursuant to official duties. Instead, the *Pickering-Connick* balancing test would apply. The Ninth Circuit remanded for factual development necessary to complete the balancing test.

⁵ Students should be able to compare and contrast the facts and outcome of these cases with the instant case. They may also cite other cases not described in this document.

***Savage v. Gee*, 665 F.3d 732 (6th Cir. 2012)**

Facts: A university librarian spoke out to a committee tasked with developing a reading list for incoming students.

Holding: The employee’s “speech as a committee member commenting on a book recommendation was not related to classroom instruction and was only loosely, if at all, related to academic scholarship.” *Savage*, 665 F.3d at 739. The court concluded that even if there was an academic exception to *Garcetti*, the librarian’s speech was not academic.

***Adams v. Trustees of the University of North Carolina-Wilmington*, 640 F.3d 550 (4th Cir. 2011)**

Facts: A tenured university professor criticized the university as religiously intolerant in a column published on www.townhall.com.

Holding: *Garcetti* contains a clear reservation of the application of its analysis to academic speech at a public university and that the professor’s speech was academic.

***Renken v. Gregory*, 541 F.3d 769 (7th Cir. 2008)**

Facts: A tenured professor criticized the university for its allocation of grant funding.

Holding: Because the professor was a principal investigator on the funded project, administering the grant was “within the teaching and service duties that he was employed to perform,” such that, pursuant to *Garcetti*, his complaints were not protected by the First Amendment. *Id.* at 774 (citing *Garcetti*, 547 U.S. at 421).

***Gorum v. Sessoms*, 561 F.3d 179 (3d Cir. 2009)**

Facts: A tenured professor was fired after publicly criticizing the university.

Holding: A public employee’s speech could be “part of his official duties if it relates to ‘special knowledge’ or ‘experience’ acquired through his job.” *Gorum*, 561 F.3d at 185 (quoting *Foraker v. Chaffinch*, 501 F.3d 231, 240 (3d Cir. 2007)). The Third Circuit acknowledged that the *Garcetti* decision suggested that academic speech might be treated differently, but it reasoned that the critical speech at issue was not academic.

SAMPLE ORAL ARGUMENT QUESTIONS

1. General/ Both Issues

- What is the standard of review on appeal?
- If a fact is not on the record, can it be considered? Who do we hold that omission against?
- Is there some limit to the rule you are asking us to apply? Are there any exceptions? Where do we draw the line?
- How does this case set a precedent for future cases, in your opinion?
- Are you asking this Court to extend its rule beyond what was contemplated by prior precedent?
- What are the broader policy ramifications of a holding against your client?
- Do we have sufficient facts to decide the legal issues in this case? Why or why not?

2. Fourteenth Amendment

- Should we overrule *Roth* and find another method to define a liberty interest in reputation?
- In determining what constitutes a “plus” under the “stigma-plus” test announced in *Roth*, where do we draw the line? How strong must that interest be?
- Why are your client’s interests stronger than your opponent’s interests under the *Mathews* balancing test?
- In addressing the liberty interest issue, would it matter if the University’s policies prohibited what Dr. Ibis did, such that he could clearly be fired for cause?
- Do we need to overrule any lower court cases? Which ones?

3. First Amendment

- Is *Garcetti* or *Pickering-Connick* applicable here? Why?
- Why should (or should not) there be a special exception for academic speech? What’s different about that type of speech?
- How do you define academic speech? Is that not subjective?
- If we disagree with you about which rule applies, can your client still prevail?
- Do we need to overrule any lower court cases? Which ones?
- Why is a bright-line rule like the per se rule in *Garcetti* [not] preferable to a balancing test like *Pickering-Connick*?
- How are the facts of [*Demers/Savage/Adams/Renken/Gorum*] similar to the facts here?
- What did *Lane* add to the analysis set forth in *Garcetti*?
- What if Dr. Ibis had used a Google or Yahoo email address rather than his Gaubatz University email address on his blog? Would that change the analysis?
- What if the University had forbidden all professors from using social media? Would that change the analysis?
- Should it matter here that the speech unequivocally caused actual harm to a person? Would we nevertheless protect the speech? Why or why not?



John T. Gaubatz Moot Court Competition Oral Argument Grading Rubric

Judges,

The following is intended to explain further each category on the scoring sheet, by providing questions you should consider in determining the applicable score for each student.

- I. Introduction & Theme**
 - a. Did the student introduce self and parties?
 - b. Did the student provide a quick summary of his/her basic position?
 - c. Did the student provide a clear roadmap of his/her arguments?
- II. Organization**
 - a. Did the student present arguments in a logical sequence?
 - b. Did the student refrain from asserting extraneous facts/arguments?
 - c. Did the student conclude answers by leading court back to argument?
- III. Knowledge of the Record**
 - a. Was the student familiar with names, events sequence, dates, procedural history, and the court's reasoning?
 - b. Did the student cite to the record with accurate page numbers?
 - c. Did the student assert essential facts?
- IV. Knowledge of Relevant Law & Development of Arguments**
 - a. Was the student able to perceive what the court considered important?
 - b. Did the student present a well-developed argument?
 - c. Did the student use the best authorities/policy arguments?
 - d. Did the student properly analyze cases and authorities?
- V. Persuasiveness of Argument**
 - a. Did the student apply his/her arguments to the facts of the case?
 - b. Did the student maximize strong points and minimize weak one?
 - c. Did the student use questions posed to advance client's position?
- VI. Responsiveness to the Bench**
 - a. Was the student adequately prepared to answer reasonably anticipated questions?
 - b. Did the student answer questions posed and not give evasive responses?
 - c. Was the student able to maintain composure?
- VII. Courtroom Demeanor & Delivery**
 - a. Did the student's style demonstrate conviction?
 - b. Did the student make proper use of gestures and eye contact?
 - c. Did the student speak with clear voice, proper inflection, and articulation?
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 - b. Did the student effectively allocate his/her time?
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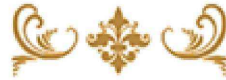
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AOSC18-30 Steering Committee on Families and Children in the Court (2018-2020 Term):

Requires the Steering Committee to assist the multi-disciplinary dependency court improvement panel that is established by the Office of the State Courts Administrator to guide the work of federally-funded improvement projects.

AOSC18-32 Steering Committee on Problem-Solving Courts (2018-2020 Term):

Requires the Steering Committee to finalize the problem-solving court certification program.

In re: Report of the Family Court Steering Committee, 794 So. 2d 518 (Fla. 2001)

All persons, whether children or adults, should be treated with objectivity, sensitivity, dignity and respect. We also stress the importance of embracing methods of resolving disputes that do not cause additional emotional harm to the children and families who are required to interact with the judicial system.

39.407, Florida Statutes	Medical, psychiatric, and psychological examination and treatment of child; physical, mental, or substance abuse examination of person with or requesting child custody (upon parent and child)
39.6012(1), Florida Statutes	Case plan tasks; services (upon parent)
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Canon 3 of the Florida Code of Judicial Conduct

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Federal Authority:

42 U.S.C. 1320a-9(a)(7)

Ensures provision of health and mental health care for children who are abused and/or neglected, including addressing the issue of trauma.

42 U.S.C. 622(b)(15)

Provides that each state will develop a plan for the ongoing oversight and coordination of health care services for any child in a foster care placement, including how health needs identified through screenings will be monitored and treated, including emotional trauma associated with a child's maltreatment and removal from home.

Early Childhood Court

Problem: Children ages 0-3 are the largest age group of maltreated children being removed from their homes, and they stay in foster care longer than other age groups. Early maltreatment is toxic to the developing brain, especially in the critical first 1,000 days of life when 80% of the brain is developed. Stable, early, nurturing relationship can repair and “hard-wire” brain pathways for lifelong mental health.

Solution: Early Childhood Court is a problem-solving court docket designed to improve outcomes for abused and neglected children ages 0-3 through an integrated treatment of intensive child/parent therapy, frequent visitation, developmental supports, utilization of trauma-informed judges, and monthly family team meetings and judicial hearings.

History: In recent years, numerous jurisdictions in Florida have implemented this new type of problem-solving court that aims to improve outcomes for children in the child welfare system under the age of three. This differentiated case management approach — referred to nationally as Safe Babies Court Team, and in Florida as Early Childhood Court — has demonstrated promising results in improving outcomes for infants and toddlers involved in the dependency court system. The judges were drawn to this approach because of the positive outcomes being generated in the few implementation sites in other states. Through a combination of local, state, and federal resources, this initiative has grown from two jurisdictions in 2014 to 22 jurisdictions in 2019.

National Evidence: The Safe Babies Court Team approach (referred to in Florida as Early Childhood Courts) was added to the California Evidence-Based Clearinghouse for Child Welfare in 2014, scoring a scientific rating of 3, signifying promising research evidence (a program is considered evidence-based if it is rated a 1, 2, or 3 by this clearinghouse; nonevidence-based programs receive a rating of 4, 5, or 6). In one study conducted on the Safe Babies Court Team approach, 97 percent of the 186 children served received needed services and reached permanency 2.67 times faster than the national comparison group (Hafford and DeSantis 2009). In another study, 99.05 percent of the infant and toddler cases examined were protected from further maltreatment while under court supervision (McCombs-Thornton and Foster 2012).

Measuring Florida’s Early Childhood Court Success: The Office of Court Improvement conducted an analysis of Early Childhood Court (ECC) children (356 children) and non-ECC children (366 children) whose cases were closed between 2014 and 2018. The non-ECC population consisted of a random sample similar to the ECC population. Based on this analysis, ECC children attained permanency through reunification approximately 8.5 months quicker than non-ECC children. The table below highlights findings from this comparative analysis:

Early Childhood Court Data Analysis	ECC	Non-ECC
Reunification (average days from removal to closure)	477	736
Overall Permanency (average days from removal to closure)	553	696
Number of Children Removed After Case Closure (Re-removals)	22	36
Total number of ECC children served: 799		

Long-Term Benefits: Early Childhood Courts can break the multigenerational cycle of maltreatment and abuse resulting in fewer families needing state services and more families contributing to Florida’s economy. Early Childhood Courts generate a positive return on investment for the Florida legislature and taxpayers.

Authority: See the attachment which references the Florida state statutes, a judicial canon, Florida Supreme Court opinion, and federal regulations.

Early Childhood Court

Best Practice Standards

- Florida’s problem-solving courts contain the following common court core components, as identified by the Conference of State Court Administrators in the 2014-2015 policy paper titled *Problem-Solving Courts in the 21st Century*: specialized court docket or program; judicial authority and ongoing supervision; team collaboration, community involvement, and information sharing; individualized treatment and responses to risk and needs; therapeutic/rehabilitative; and specialized team expertise.
- Early Childhood Court is a problem-solving court similar to Adult Drug Court, Family Dependency Drug Court, Juvenile Drug Court, Veterans Treatment Court, and Mental Health Court.
- There are currently 22 Early Childhood Courts in Florida.
- Judges/magistrates volunteered to divert traditional dependency cases to a separate dependency docket that focuses on children under 3 who have been removed from their parents due to abuse/neglect (differentiated case management). These cases would otherwise be heard in traditional dependency court.
- Participation in Early Childhood Court is voluntary; if a parent declines participation, their case will be heard in traditional dependency court.
- The Early Childhood Court Best Practice Standards are aligned with the Adult Drug Court Best Practice Standards, which were approved by the Florida Supreme Court in 2017.
- The Early Childhood Court Best Practice Standards were drafted by the Dependency Court Improvement Panel. The 2016-2018 Steering Committee on Families and Children in the Court (FCC) and Task Force on Substance Abuse and Mental Health Issues in the Court provided feedback which resulted in revisions to the standards. The full FCC voted unanimously to approve this draft of the best practice standards.
- The 2018-2020 Steering Committee on Problem-Solving Courts is charged with developing best practice standards and a certification process for all problem-solving courts. This Committee is currently drafting best practice standards for Family Dependency Drug Courts, Veterans Courts, and Mental Health Courts.
- The Florida Legislature recognized Early Childhood Courts as a problem-solving court in the 2018 General Appropriations Act, in which funds were allocated to provide “for treatment services, drug testing, case management, and ancillary services for participants in problem-solving courts, including but not limited to, adult drug courts, juvenile drug courts, family drug courts, early childhood courts, mental health courts, and veterans courts.”
- The Trial Court Budget Commission recently decided to place a priority on future problem-solving court state funding for those courts that are abiding by best practice standards.
- SB 90 and HB 132 have been filed – recognizing Early Childhood Court as a problem-solving court. Contingent on appropriation of funds, the identical bills would provide for a court-employed community coordinator position within each Circuit, a statewide training specialist, a statewide clinical director, and an evaluation.
- The FCC has been given authority by the Florida Supreme Court to advocate on behalf of the bills.

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Proposed Legislative Issue 2020 Legislative Session

Subject:

Early Childhood Courts

Statement of Issue:

The Steering Committee on Families and Children in the Court (Steering Committee) has identified the following issue related to the operation of family courts: Early Childhood Courts (ECCs) allow courts to take what is currently known about the appropriate services and practices for early brain development and make them available to the most vulnerable children, those ages 0-3 in Florida's dependency courts. There are currently 23 ECC sites in Florida, but no statutory provisions related to ECCs.

For the 2018 legislative session, the Steering Committee was approved to support certain principles related to ECCs if ECC-related legislation was filed. Bills were filed in both chambers, but the legislation did not pass the full Legislature. For the 2019 legislative session, the Steering Committee was approved to pursue legislation consistent with ECC goals and principles to provide committee members with more flexibility in legislative interaction. Bills were filed in both chambers, but the legislation did not pass the full Legislature.

For the 2020 legislative session, the Steering Committee is again requesting approval to pursue legislation consistent with ECC goals and principles.

Present Situation:

There are 12 core components in ECCs, including, but not limited to, judicial leadership, a community coordinator to facilitate the court team's activities, monthly court reviews, child-parent psychotherapy, concurrent planning, frequent child-parent contact, and the use of family team meetings.

The goals of Florida's ECCs are to:

- Improve child safety and well-being;
- Heal trauma and repair the parent/child relationship;
- Promote timely permanency; and
- Stop the intergenerational cycle of abuse, neglect, and violence.

ECCs are now in use at 23 sites in Florida. ECCs are the primary initiative of the dependency court improvement panel. The Steering Committee is charged, in part, with assisting that panel, pursuant to AOSC18-30.

Pursuant to a fiscal year 2018-19 appropriation and proviso language by the Legislature, the

Florida Institute for Child Welfare¹ conducted an evaluation of ECCs in Florida and submitted the final report in June 2019.

There are currently no statutory provisions related to ECCs, but bills were filed in both chambers during the 2018² and 2019³ sessions. It is likely that legislative interest in ECCs will continue.

Effect of Proposed Changes:

The Steering Committee is requesting approval to pursue legislation consistent with the core components of ECCs and the goals of Florida's ECCs, as described above.

¹ The Florida Institute for Child Welfare is established by s. 1004.615, F.S., within the Florida State University College of Social Work. The purpose of the institute is “to advance the well-being of children and families by improving the performance of child protection and child welfare services through research, policy analysis, evaluation, and leadership development.”

² Senate Bill 1442 and House Bill 1351.

³ Senate Bill 90 and House Bill 139.

Proposed Legislative Issue 2020 Legislative Session

Subject:

Batterers' Intervention Programs

Statement of Issue:

Batterers' Intervention Programs, which were certified and monitored by the Department of Children and Families until a statutory change in 2012, are no longer required to be certified or monitored for quality. This has resulted in reports of unqualified program providers, which can put victims of domestic violence at risk. The Steering Committee on Families and Children in the Court is requesting approval to pursue legislation requiring certification of Batterers' Intervention Programs.

Present Situation:

A Batterers' Intervention Program (BIP) is intended to provide standardized programming to the justice system to protect victims and their children and to hold perpetrators of domestic violence accountable for their acts.⁴ Steering Committee members believe BIPs are an integral component to a comprehensive approach to handling domestic violence, and strong communication between providers and the criminal justice system is paramount to ensuring perpetrators of domestic violence are held accountable and that a change in the perpetrator's behavior occurs.

Current law requires a perpetrator to participate in a BIP if he or she commits a domestic violence crime defined under ss. 741.28 or 741.281, F.S. Pursuant to ss. 741.30(6)(e), 741.31(5), 741.32-325, and 741.30(6)(a)5, F.S., participation in a BIP is also required if:

- A respondent willfully violated injunction;
- A defendant is placed on probation;
- A respondent has been convicted of, had adjudication withheld on, or pled nolo contendere to a crime involving violence or a threat of violence; or
- A respondent has previously had an injunction against him or her.

Prior to 2012, the Department of Children and Families (DCF) was statutorily required to certify BIPs and to oversee the statewide domestic violence program, which provided supervision, direction, coordination, and administration of activities related to domestic violence prevention and intervention services. The DCF historically monitored BIPs to ensure that providers had the necessary credentials, experience, and hands-on knowledge to ensure program effectiveness and offender compliance, with a focus on victim safety.

⁴ Section 741.32, F.S.

In 2012, the Legislature removed the requirement that BIPs be certified by the DCF and eliminated the DCF's role in overseeing the statewide domestic violence program. Most tasks previously administered by the DCF's statewide domestic violence program were reassigned to the Florida Coalition Against Domestic Violence, a statewide advocacy group. BIP certification was not reassigned and has not been required since the 2012 statutory changes.

The lack of BIP certification has been a noted problem since decertification occurred in 2012. Many circuits froze their BIP lists⁵ so no new providers could be added, but as programs closed, circuits were left with no available providers. Several circuits asked for guidance, and on September 10, 2015, Thomas David, then the OSCA General Counsel, issued a memo regarding the issue and provided an affidavit for providers to sign that made them swear that they were meeting the statutory requirements. This procedure was instituted in some circuits. However, it has been reported that unqualified providers have been offering services that do not meet the statutory requirements set forth in s. 741.325(1), F.S., and no monitoring is taking place statewide to ensure program providers are offering quality and effective services.

Effect of Proposed Changes:

The Steering Committee is requesting approval to pursue legislation to require certification of BIPs. The Steering Committee is not making a recommendation on which entity should be responsible for certification but is instead seeking to advocate in general for such a requirement.

⁵ Section 741.30(6)(a)5., F.S., requires the court, or an entity designated by the court, to provide a respondent with a list of BIPs from which the respondent must choose a program in which to participate.

Proposed Legislative Issue 2020 Legislative Session

Subject:

Hearsay Objection to Guardian Ad Litem Reports

Statement of Issue:

Section 61.20(1), F.S., exempts the written study prepared after a social investigation from the hearsay rule and allows the court to consider the study when determining a parenting plan; however, s. 61.403(5), F.S., does not contain a similar statutory exception for the written report a guardian ad litem (GAL) is required to file. The Steering Committee is requesting approval to pursue legislation to provide an exception in s. 61.403(5), F.S., similar to that in s. 61.20(1), F.S.

Present Situation:

Section 61.20(1), F.S., contains specific language which protects a written study following a social investigation from being excluded by the hearsay rule so that the court may consider the study when determining a parenting plan. Section 61.403, F.S., does not contain a similar statutory exception from the hearsay rule for the written report a guardian ad litem (GAL) is required to file. Section 61.403(5), F.S., permits a GAL to address the court and make oral and written recommendations to the court. It also requires a GAL to file a written report which may include recommendations and a statement of the child's wishes; however, the hearsay rule applies to this written report. Although the parties can waive hearsay in Chapter 61 proceedings, if hearsay is not waived, a GAL can testify as to what he or she did, who he or she talked to, and what he or she recommends; however, the GAL cannot testify as to who said what or what is in the report. The Second District of Appeal held in *Scaringe v. Herrick*, 711 So. 2d 204 (Fla. 2d DCA 1998) that the hearsay rule applies to s. 61.403, F.S.

Effect of Proposed Changes:

This proposal is to create an exception from the hearsay rule for a GAL's written report filed pursuant to s. 61.403(5) F.S., similar to that in s. 61.20(1), F.S.

Steering Committee on Families and Children in the Court Meeting
September 12, 2019
Orlando, Florida

Proposed Draft Language:

741.325 Requirements for batterers' intervention programs.—

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(b) The batterer shall be held accountable for acts of domestic violence.

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(d) The program content shall be based on a psychoeducational model that addresses tactics of power and control by one person over another.

(e) The program shall be funded by user fees paid by the batterers who attend the program, which allows them to take responsibility for their acts of violence. An exception shall be made for local, state, or federal programs that fund batterers' intervention programs in whole or in part.

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(3) The Florida Coalition against Domestic Violence shall establish within their organization an Office

for Certification and Monitoring of Batterers' Intervention Programs. The FCADV will certify and monitor batterer intervention programs in this state. The purpose of certification of programs is to uniformly and systematically standardize programs to hold those who perpetrate acts of domestic violence responsible for those acts and to ensure safety for victims of domestic violence. The certification and monitoring shall be funded by a \$30 user fee. BIP programs must meet the minimum requirements set forth in s. 741.325.



2019 Family Court Workshop

September 25, 2019

Agenda

Learning Objectives – As a result of attending this workshop, participants will be able to:

1. Identify existing supports, tools, and promising practices that will help your circuit fulfill the requirement of a fully integrated family court system
2. Conduct a circuit self-assessment using the new family courts metrics tool.
3. Recognize warning signs of vicarious trauma/compassion fatigue.
4. Identify self-care/wellness strategies.

10:00 – 10:10

Introduction and Welcome

Judge Christine Greider

10:10 – 11:00

Circuit Team Introductions and Family Court History Exercise

John Couch

11:00 – 12:00

Family Court Guiding Principles and General Family Court Scenarios

Judge Lee Haworth and Judge Jack Helinger

12:00 – 1:00

Lunch will be provided onsite

1:00 – 1:30

Circuit Self-Assessment (circuits will complete metrics tool as a team)

1:30 – 2:30

Interactive Activity to Address Barriers to One Family, One Judge Implementation
Judge Christine Greider

2:30 – 2:45

Break (snacks will be provided)

2:45 – 3:30

Non-routine Family Court Scenarios and Discussion
Magistrate Amanda Wall and Kim Stephens

3:30 – 4:00

The ABCs of Being a Family Court Judge: You're the Instructor
Judge Christine Greider and John Couch

4:00 – 4:55

Self-Care/Wellness Strategies to Address Vicarious Trauma
Judge Alicia Latimore and Leigh Merritt

4:55 - 5:00

Closing Remarks
Judge Christine Greider



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July 31, 2019

The Honorable Barbara Lagoa
Florida Supreme Court
500 South Duval Street
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Dear Justice Lagoa:

You are cordially invited to the Investiture Ceremony for the Honorable Anthony B. Miller, Leon County Judge for the Second Judicial Circuit, on Friday, August 16, 2019 at 3:00 p.m. The ceremony will be held in Courtroom 2-E, 2nd floor of the Leon County Courthouse.

Judge Miller welcomes you to attend.

Respectfully submitted,

Paula Watkins
Chief Deputy Court Administrator

PW/pw



The Florida House of Representatives

Office of the Speaker

Jose R. Oliva
Speaker

December 2, 2019

The Honorable Barbara Lagoa
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Dear Justice Lagoa,

On behalf of the Florida House of Representatives, it is my pleasure to extend to you an invitation to the Opening Day ceremonies convening the 122nd Regular Session of the Florida Legislature on Tuesday, January 14, 2020. The House ceremonies will begin at 10:00 a.m. Arrangements are being made for you to be seated on the House floor during the Session.

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The House Sergeant at Arms, Russell Hosford, will coordinate with the Court's Marshal and may be reached by calling (850) 717-5700 should you have any questions about the arrangements.

To confirm your attendance and reserve your seat for the Opening Day Session of the House and the Joint Session of the Legislature, please email specialevents@myfloridahouse.gov to RSVP no later than January 6, 2020.

We look forward to seeing you.

Sincerely,

Jose R. Oliva
Speaker

cc: The Honorable Bill Galvano, President of the Senate
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October 4, 2019

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Dear Justice Lagoa,

I hope this letter finds you well. Please accept my warm congratulations on your nomination to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit.

I am writing with the great pleasure of extending to you an invitation to preside over the final round of Columbia Law School's Harlan Fiske Stone Moot Court competition in April 2020. As you will likely recall from your time at Columbia, the Stone Moot Court program is a forum for upper-year law students to hone their written and oral advocacy skills, and culminates with the most outstanding students delivering oral arguments before a panel of three esteemed jurists.

Judge Joseph Bianco, a fellow Columbia Law School graduate and judge for the Second Circuit Court Appeals, has agreed to participate and it would be Columbia's great honor to have you join him on the bench. Currently, we are holding open two dates—April 8 and 15, 2020—pending word on the final availability of the judges on our panel. If you are interested in participating, please let me know if either or both of these dates could work with your schedule.

Typically, the competition itself begins in the late afternoon. It is preceded by a lunchtime gathering with faculty and students, and followed by a reception and intimate dinner for the judges and their guests at my home. We would welcome your participation at these events as your schedule allows. Columbia Law School would, of course, cover any expenses related to your travel and accommodation.

If you are able to participate, a member of my staff will be happy to be in contact with your office to discuss timing and other relevant information. Please also feel welcome to contact me via phone (212-854-2675) or email (glester@law.columbia.edu) if you have any questions or if you would like to speak further.

Thank you very much, in advance, for your consideration. I look forward to hearing from you and I hope to have the opportunity to welcome you back to Columbia Law School in the spring of 2020.

Sincerely,



Gillian Lester
Dean and the Lucy G. Moses Professor of Law



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October 3, 2019

The Honorable Charles T. Canady
Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Florida
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Re: 2020 and 2021 Pro Bono Service Award Presentations

Dear Chief Justice Canady:

In the past, the Annual Pro Bono Service Awards ceremony has been held at the Supreme Court and we appreciate your willingness to host this very meaningful event each year. As previously confirmed, the 2020 event is scheduled for Thursday, January 30, 2020. At this time, we would like to schedule the 2021 ceremony with the reception honoring the recipients immediately following for Thursday, January 28, 2021 at 3:30 p.m.

Unless we hear otherwise, we will proceed with scheduling the Board of Governors meeting for Friday, January 29, 2021.

Respectfully,

Joshua E. Doyle

cc: Mr. Silvester Dawson
Ms. Rosalyn Scott

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The Honorable Joseph Murphy
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April 12, 2019

Chief Justice Charles T. Canady
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RE: Florida Lawyers Assistance, Inc.

Dear Chief Justice Canady:

On behalf of Florida Lawyers Assistance, Inc. ("FLA"), I write this letter to you to remind you of FLA's mission and how we, along with the Florida Supreme Court, The Florida Bar, and the Florida Board of Bar Examiners, can assist lawyers throughout the State of Florida.

History and formation of FLA

As you know, in 1976, the Florida Supreme Court specifically recognized the disease concept of alcoholism and ruled that the presence of the illness could be taken into consideration when determining sanctions to be imposed on an attorney.¹ Following this decision, the Court, in 1979, mandated The Florida Bar to establish a Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, charging the Commission with assisting and monitoring chemically dependent attorneys during and after the grievance process. The Court also expressed its hope that the Commission would be able to identify and assist affected lawyers prior to disciplinary proceedings being filed. The Commission eventually evolved into the Florida Bar Special Committee on Alcohol and Drug Abuse ("Committee").

In 1981 the Committee issued a report containing the following recommendations:

1. Establishment of a statewide, toll-free hotline through which chemically dependent attorneys could obtain help.
2. Establishment of an independent Alcohol Advisory Committee to assist the Court and the Bar in disciplinary cases where chemical dependency was involved.

3. Establishment of an educational program, including speakers to appear at local bar meetings, to inform attorneys of the problem and to let chemically dependent attorneys know that help was available.

In 1985, the Rules Regulating The Florida Bar were amended to provide that the Bar was to create or fund a program for the identification of its members who are addicted to or dependent upon chemicals and the assistance of those members in overcoming such addictions or dependencies.ⁱⁱ The rationale for implementing the rule was the Court's determination that a program designed to intervene *before* a chemically dependent attorney entered the disciplinary system could result in substantial savings of funds, client harm, and devastated lives, as well as acting as a resource to grievance committees in cases where alcohol or drugs were involved. In that same year, the Bar was, for the first time, given the responsibility of monitoring the probation of an attorney disciplined by the Court.ⁱⁱⁱ

Both the Bar and the Committee perceived that a major impediment to the objective of reaching attorneys before they became involved in discipline was the issue of confidentiality of information provided by lawyers voluntarily seeking help. In order to provide the necessary safeguards, 25 active members of The Florida Bar petitioned the Court for a further amendment to the Rules providing for such confidentiality. In 1985, the Court authorized Rule 3-7.1(o) [now Rule 3-7.1(j)] providing that information regarding an attorney who has voluntarily sought, received, or accepted treatment for alcoholism or alcohol or drug abuse be confidential and shall not be admitted as evidence in disciplinary proceedings unless agreed to by the attorney who sought the treatment.^{iv} In carrying out the Court's mandate to create or fund a lawyer assistance program ("LAP"), it was decided that in order to assure confidentiality and provide maximum separation between the Bar and the LAP, a new corporation independent of the Bar should be created. This led to the formation of Florida Lawyers Assistance, Inc. in February 1986.

Other Impairments

Shortly after the creation of FLA, it became apparent that conditions other than chemical dependency can also adversely affect an attorney's ability to practice law. Such other conditions include depression, stress, bi-polar disorders, personality disorders, financial and family problems, and other addictions such as gambling, sex, or food. Failure to address and treat these conditions can result in consequences just as severe as drug addiction or alcoholism. In recognition of this fact, the Court in 1998 expanded Rule 2-9.11 to provide that the program of assistance for addicted and chemically dependent members would also include those suffering psychological problems affecting their professional performance.

The Various Roles of FLA

Although FLA was originally created pursuant to this Court's 1986 mandate as a voluntary, lawyers-helping-lawyers organization (which remains its core mission), it has evolved based on the needs of the Supreme Court, The Florida Bar, and the Florida Board of Bar Examiners to serve various functions. The role played by FLA in each of these cases depends on the category of client dealt with. Below is a description of each of the FLA client categories and FLA's duties for each.

Voluntary Clients: These are individuals who contact FLA on their own or are referred by colleagues, judges, or family members and have no Florida Bar or Bar Examiner involvement. In most cases, these clients are not placed under an FLA monitoring contract but are referred to a local FLA contact in their area and informed of the closest FLA attorney support meeting. These services, as well as FLA's education and prevention efforts, are funded by an allocation from The Florida Bar and the clients pay no fees.

Pre-Admission Clients: These are law students or out of state attorneys who have become aware through FLA or Bar Examiner outreach efforts (or fellow students) that issues in their history may require proof of rehabilitation in order to gain admission to The Florida Bar. They generally contact FLA directly (hopefully, early in their law school career) and enter into a monitoring contract which calls for meeting attendance, meetings with an attorney-monitor, and random urinalysis testing. It is the applicant's decision whether to notify the Bar Examiners about entering into the contract. If they do, the Bar Examiners will normally request they execute a release allowing FLA to share the information in the client's file and, if that release is provided, FLA will furnish the Bar Examiners with the information upon the Bar Examiners' request. Other applicants may be sent to FLA by the Board after a review of the application or an investigatory hearing, with the requirement that the applicant enter into an FLA contract and document a period of sobriety, after which they will be granted conditional admission. Pre-admission clients pay FLA a monthly fee of \$25.00 as an administrative fee for maintaining their file.

Conditional Admission, Diversion, and Probation Cases: These are monitored clients who are subject to a formal order of this Court 1) granting them conditional admission for a specified period; 2) granting them the non-disciplinary option of diversion; or 3) placing them on probation. Very often the terms of monitoring are set by the Board of Bar Examiners (in conditional admission cases), by the Court (in disciplinary and reinstatement cases), or by consent agreement with The Florida Bar and many of these clients are already under contract with FLA. In an event of non-compliance, FLA will consult with the Legal Division of The Florida Bar regarding the seriousness of the violation and suggest measures which may benefit the client therapeutically, but any final decision on sanctions is left to The Florida Bar and this Court. Clients in these categories do not pay any fee to FLA but do pay a monthly fee of \$75.00 (conditional admittees) or \$100.00 (diversion or probation) to The Florida Bar, which in turn pays a corresponding administrative fee to FLA, rendering the process financially neutral to the Bar.

Reinstatement and Readmission Cases: Clients in these cases are similar to pre-admission cases in which information is compiled towards the end of submitting the record at any reinstatement or readmission hearing. There are rare cases where this Court has ordered ongoing monitoring and reporting of suspended attorneys, but unless the suspension is 90 days or less, the usual rule is that it is the attorney's choice whether to enter into a monitoring contract with FLA (although it is obviously to their advantage to do so). Previously, an attorney seeking reinstatement could block FLA from testifying if his or her compliance was less than adequate, but this changed several years ago with the Court's adoption of Bar Rule 3-7.10(f)(3)(g)(5) which requires a waiver of confidentiality if the lawyer has *sought or received treatment or counseling for*

chemical or alcohol dependency or for other medical reasons that relate to the petitioner's fitness to practice law.

FLA Currently

The primary programs FLA offers continue to be 1) weekly attorney support groups, 2) evaluations and recommendations to The Florida Bar, and 3) monitoring of students and preadmissions, lawyer discipline cases, and conditional admissions. In addition, FLA provides monitoring for employers, court requirements, and anytime substance abuse and mental health compliance requires documentation.

A comparison of the 2018 Fiscal Year breakdown of our cases, with prior years, shows minimal changes in the percentage types of clients FLA monitors. Alcohol remains the most typical participant with slight increases in mental health cases. There has, however, been a decline in the numbers of Florida Bar and Board of Bar Examiner referrals. We have endeavored to identify the reasons for the declining referral rate and believe there are a number of factors which include but are not limited to 1) more robust criminal diversion and probation programs for alcohol and drug cases often completed before the individual comes to FLA, 2) fewer driving under the influence cases due to Uber and other ridesharing programs, and 3) lower law school admission rates than in past years.

That said, FLA has experienced an increase in voluntary contacts which usually do not require formal monitoring. Almost on a daily basis, FLA receives a call from a lawyer, judge, student, colleague, or family member looking for assistance with a substance abuse or mental health problem. Around 55% of these calls involve substance abuse, 35% involve mental health, and the remaining concern aging, financial, anger management, law office management, suicide concerns, and other issues. Some of the calls result in referrals outside of FLA but many of the callers state that it was extremely helpful to have an understanding attorney or clinician to speak with. Only a small number of callers require the documentation and accountability provided by monitoring.

FLA has also partnered with the Florida Council of Circuit Judges to create and administer the Florida Judicial Wellness Program ("FJWP"). This group provides support and resources for jurists seeking help for themselves or other judges. FLA is charged with answering the FJWP Confidential Hotline and connecting the judge with a volunteer judge or a clinician. Through our work with the judges including involvement in FJWP events, FLA has had the opportunity to educate judges about helping lawyers who appear to have problems.

Law school involvement has increased as we learn how best to work with each law school and provide services not otherwise available for students. We are delighted to be invited by one of our local law schools to have "Office Hours" twice a month. FLA's goal is to initiate a similar program in every school, likely utilizing some of our volunteers.

Outreach is also an integral part of FLA's mission. FLA staff conducts programs at local bar associations, law firms, Inns of Court, government agencies, Florida Bar programming, and law school classes. More than 3,000 lawyers, students, and judges have heard us this past year alone

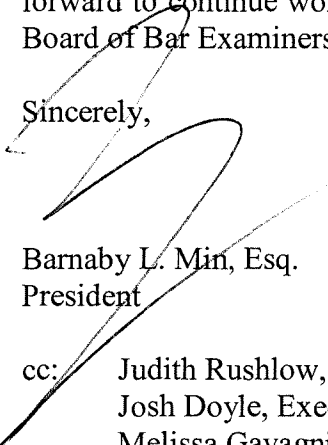
and it is our hope that they are more aware of the availability of help, either at FLA or through private programs or counseling.

Summary

In conclusion, FLA has reached thousands of attorneys, judges, and law students since its beginning and it is clear that our services continue to be crucial to the legal profession. The legal profession has known for some time that many of its members are struggling with mental health and/or substance use disorders. Recent studies conducted show just how prevalent these issues continue to be and illustrate that we still cannot ignore the problem. In 2016, the American Bar Association's Commission on Lawyer Assistance Programs and Hazelden Betty Ford Foundation published a study of nearly 13,000 currently practicing lawyers. It found that between 21 and 36 percent of attorneys qualify as problem drinkers, and that approximately 28 percent, 19 percent, and 23 percent are struggling with some level of depression, anxiety, and stress, respectively.^v

We would welcome the opportunity to meet with your Honor and the other members of this Court to further describe the important support that FLA provides to our profession. We look forward to continue working with you and our other partners at The Florida Bar and the Florida Board of Bar Examiners.

Sincerely,



Barnaby L. Min, Esq.
President

cc: Judith Rushlow, Executive Director of Florida Lawyers Assistance, Inc.
Josh Doyle, Executive Director of The Florida Bar
Melissa Gavagni, Executive Director of the Florida Board of Bar Examiners

i. *The Florida Bar v. Blalock*, 325 So.2d 101 (1976)

ii. Rule 2-9.11

iii. *The Florida Bar v. Headley*, 475 So.2d 1213 (1985)

iv. Rule 3-7.1(j)

v. 1 P. R. Krill, R. Johnson, & L. Albert, The Prevalence of Substance Use and Other Mental Health Concerns Among American Attorneys, 10 J. ADDICTION MED. 46 (2016)



*The honor of your presence
is requested at the
Swearing-in Ceremony of
Ariana Fajardo Orshan
as United States Attorney for
the Southern District of Florida*

September 13, 2019 at 2:00pm

*Wilkie D. Ferguson, Jr.
United States Courthouse
400 North Miami Avenue, Thirteenth Floor
Miami, Florida 33128*

*Reception immediately following.
Please R.S.V.P. by August 30th
usafjs-rsvp@usdoj.gov*



*The United States District Judges for the
Southern District of Florida*

*cordially invite you to attend
the investiture of*

*The Honorable Rodney Smith
United States District Judge
for the Southern District of Florida*

*on Friday, November 1, 2019
at 3:00 p.m. in the*

*Ceremonial Courtroom
Wilkie D. Ferguson, Jr. United States Courthouse
400 North Miami Avenue
Miami, Florida*

Reception immediately following ceremony

*Due to limited seating in the Ceremonial Courtroom,
we anticipate you may be directed to an
overflow viewing area.*

*Please arrive early to secure a seat in
the Ceremonial Courtroom.*



*President John Stewart
President-Elect Dori Foster-Morales
and
The Florida Bar Board of Governors*

*cordially invite you to a reception
honoring the Florida Legislature*

*Wednesday, the twenty-ninth of January
two thousand twenty
5:30 to 7:30 in the evening*

The Florida Historic Capitol

*Please R.S.V.P. to Joni Hooks at (850) 561-5662
or rsvp@floridabar.org*

*To comply with Florida's prohibition on lobbying expenditures,
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JUSTICE LAGOA'S CHAMBERS

12/04/2019

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GUIDELINES FOR STATE TRAVEL REIMBURSEMENT

Steering Committee on Families and Children in the Court Meeting

September 12th -13th, 2019
Doubletree by Hilton Orlando at SeaWorld
10100 International Drive
Orlando, Florida 32821

The next meeting of the Steering Committee on Families and Children in the Court is scheduled to take place September 12-13, 2019 at the Doubletree by Hilton Orlando at SeaWorld, 10100 International Drive, Orlando, Florida. The Office of the State Courts Administrator (OSCA) will reimburse the cost of travel expenses for all steering committee members in accordance with these guidelines which are based on state law, administrative code, and state travel policy. If you have any questions or need assistance regarding this matter, please contact Plashette Jones at jonespl@flcourts.org or 850-410-1890.

MEETING SCHEDULE:

The meeting will take place on Thursday, September 12th from 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm and reconvenes on Friday, September 13th from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm.

Date	Start Time	End Time	Location (room)
9/12/2019 (Thursday)	1:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.	Citrus <u>A</u>
9/13/2019 (Friday)	8:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.	Nautilus <u>A</u>
9/13/2019 (Friday)	10:00 a.m.	1:00 p.m.	Citrus <u>A</u>

HOTEL:

NOTE: Please note that we are unable to reimburse you for lodging expenses if your residence or headquarters (whichever is closer) is within 50 map miles of the meeting site, using the official DOT map mileage: (<http://fdotewp1.dot.state.fl.us/CityToCityMileage/viewer.aspx>).

Please be advised that this mileage calculation does not include vicinity mileage.

If you are eligible for lodging reimbursement, OSCA will reimburse one night's hotel accommodations for Thursday, September 12, 2019. If you need accommodation for an additional night, please email jonespl@flcourts.org for written authorization. This meeting has a designated hotel, with a contracted block of rooms at a negotiated rate, at the [Doubletree by Hilton Orlando at SeaWorld](#), located at 10100 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32821. You will be reimbursed at the room block rate of \$129.00, plus tax per night.

Free breakfast is not included in the room rate. However, a discounted breakfast buffet in the restaurant for \$16 inclusive per person/per day is available, if purchased in advance. In addition, complimentary coffee, tea, and pastries will be available on the morning of September 13th.

Click [here](#) to book a room online or contact the hotel at 407-352-1100 to make reservations by phone.

Reservations must be made by August 15, 2019 to meet the deadline for receiving the group rate.

HOTEL PARKING:

Self-parking is available at a reduced rate of \$10 per day. Valet parking is not reimbursable. However, you will be reimbursed up to the self-parking rate if you opt to use valet.

AIRFARE:

Prior written authorization must be obtained before reserving a flight. Please email Plashette Jones at jonespl@flcourts.org for authorization. Reimbursement guidelines will be provided accordingly.

PERSONAL/RENTAL CAR:

The most economical mode of transportation must be used. When comparing the cost between the state rate for a compact rental car and gas versus the mileage reimbursement rate, it is more economical to rent a car for distances over 200 miles roundtrip. If you rent a car, you will be reimbursed for rental car charges up to \$25.55 (compact car), and the daily fees and taxes associated with the rental. You will be reimbursed for fuel purchased for rental cars, providing you submit receipts for fuel purchases with your travel voucher.

The car must be rented using Enterprise or National, the company currently under contract with the state. To make a reservation with Enterprise/National, please call the state-dedicated toll-free customer service number at 877-690-0064 or make your reservation online by following these instructions:

1. Click the link: <https://partner.rentalcar.com/StateofFlorida>
2. Select – Business
3. Select – State Agency
4. Select – State of Florida – All other agencies
5. Select your pick-up location, pick-up date/time, return date/time, and driver's age – click Search
6. Select – Compact Car (Note: the compact rate is \$25.55/day) – click Continue
8. Complete your personal information – click Continue
9. After reviewing all reservation information – click Book

If you drive your personal vehicle, mileage reimbursement is \$.445 per mile. You must use the official map mileage between your home or headquarters (whichever is closer) and meeting city which can be found by going to: <http://fdotewp1.dot.state.fl.us/CityToCityMileage/viewer.aspx>. Reasonable mileage over the official map mileage can be claimed as vicinity mileage.

NOTE: *You may opt for driving your personal vehicle rather than renting a car. However, if mileage for your personal vehicle is more costly than renting a car, you will only be reimbursed up to the cost of a compact rental car on state contract and fuel calculated at .093 per mile.*

TOLLS AND PARKING (other than hotel parking):

You will be reimbursed for tolls. If the total amount of tolls for the trip exceed \$25.00, you must provide receipts for all tolls. If you do not have all the receipts, you may complete a missing receipt form (please contact Plashette Jones at jonespl@flcourts.org for the form).

PORTAGE:

Portage will be reimbursed at \$1 per bag not to exceed \$5 per incident. Portage charges exceeding \$5 per incident will require additional justification. The number of bags must be included on the travel reimbursement. Justification must accompany requests for more than one bag per day.

MEALS:

Meals are not reimbursed for same-day travel. Meal receipts are not required. You will be reimbursed for meals at the state rate, excluding any meals provided at the meeting:

- \$6.00 for breakfast (if travel begins **before** 6:00 am and **extends beyond** 8:00 a.m.)
- \$11.00 for lunch (if travel begins **before** 12:00 p.m. and **extends beyond** 2:00 p.m.)
- \$19.00 for dinner (if travel begins **before** 6:00 pm and **extends beyond** 8:00 pm)

PER DIEM:

Per diem is not reimbursed for same-day travel or if over-night travel is less than 24-hours in duration. You will be reimbursed for last day of travel per diem at the state rate:

- \$20.00 if you return home between 12:01 a.m. and 6:00 a.m.
- \$40.00 if you return home between 6:01 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.
- \$60.00 if you return home between 12:01 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.
- \$80.00 if you return home between 6:01 p.m. and 12:00 a.m.

PERSONAL TIME BEFORE/AFTER BUSINESS TRIP:

If you leave early and/or stay after business travel on your personal time, please indicate on the travel reimbursement voucher the time that the business portion began and ended. Extra car rental days and applicable fees and taxes will not be reimbursed. If driving your personal car, mileage and other expenses for the return trip will be based on the time and route necessary to return from business to home or headquarters immediately after conclusion of business.

SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS:

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons needing auxiliary aids or services to participate in the meeting should contact Plashette Jones no later than five days prior to the meeting. Plashette Jones may be reached at the Office of the State Courts Administrator, 500 South Duval Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399- 1900; telephone: 850-410-1890. Persons using a TDD may contact Plashette Jones through the Florida Relay Service, 711.

If you have a medical, mobility, or physical issue that necessitates an exception to any of these guidelines, please contact Plashette Jones at jonespl@flcourts.org or 850-410-1890.

TRAVEL VOUCHER:

An electronic voucher (with instructions) has been included as separate attachments for your convenience. Please submit your travel voucher along with original receipts as soon as possible after the meeting to Plashette Jones, Office of the State Courts Administrator, Supreme Court Building, 500 South Duval Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1900. If you would like your voucher to be reviewed prior to submission and official processing, you may send it electronically (WITHOUT your social security number) to Plashette Jones at jonespl@flcourts.org.

NOTE: For State of Florida employees, including employees of the Florida State Court System, it is now required that you provide your People First ID number **instead** of your social security number on your travel reimbursement voucher, as per policy of the OSCA. **For non-state government employees, please continue to include your social security number and complete a Substitute Form W9.** If you have any questions about this, please contact Plashette Jones at jonespl@flcourts.org or 850-410-1890.

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Featuring a panel discussion with:

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Associate Professor of Law, University of Tennessee College of Law

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Professor of Law, University of South Carolina School of Law

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Join us after the lecture for a reception

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Attire: Business professional

The favor of a reply is requested by Thursday, October 31, 2019

You may reply by e-mailing or calling Lisa Caldwell at:

caldwell@law.ufl.edu or (352) 273-0671

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Jett Conn

Subject: Conference

Start: Tue 11/5/2019 12:00 AM
End: Wed 11/6/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: JCRC Delinquency Subcommittee meeting

Start: Fri 11/22/2019 2:00 PM

End: Fri 11/22/2019 3:00 PM

Show Time As: Tentative

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Not yet responded

Organizer: Davis, Mikalla

Dial: 1-888 376-5050

Participants' PIN 5698745631#

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Jett Conn

Subject: Canceled: St. Thomas University Law School Commencement
Location: Miami Gardens

Start: Fri 5/8/2020 9:00 AM
End: Fri 5/8/2020 10:30 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Not yet responded

Organizer: Shannon Hudson
Required Attendees: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Importance: High

Event: Commencement Speech for St. Thomas University Law School
Date: Friday, May 8, 2020
Time: TBD (9am expected)
Contact: Ceci Dykas 561-212-6527

Formal invitation to follow. Ms. Dykas called again on 10/3. She advised that the university president, Dave Armstrong, met you at the Red Mass event you spoke at in September.

Justice Lagoa,

Yesterday, St. Thomas University Law School Associate Dean Ceci Dykas left a message to extend an invitation for you to speak at their commencement ceremony.

Ms. Dykas emphasized that she hoped to have a chance to speak with you and can be reached at 561-212-6527.

According to their academic calendar, the commencement ceremony will be on Friday, May 8, 2020. I am sending this as a calendar invitation with this date, should you prefer to accept/decline for me to respond to her.

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Jett Conn

Subject: Canceled: Judge Gerber Dinner - 2020 New Appellate Judges Program
Location: Harry's - Tallahassee

Start: Tue 3/31/2020 6:30 PM
End: Tue 3/31/2020 8:30 PM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Not yet responded

Organizer: Shannon Hudson
Required Attendees: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Importance: High

Spouses welcome.

From: Jessica Outlaw [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, September 23, 2019 11:51 AM
To: JAs [REDACTED]
Cc: Silvester Dawson [REDACTED]; Craig Waters [REDACTED]
Subject: 2020 New Appellate Judges Program

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I am happy to coordinate submitting RSVPs to Judge Gerber on behalf of the Justices.

Please let me know if there are any questions or concerns.

Thank you,
Jessica

*Jessica Outlaw
Judicial Assistant to Chief Justice Charles T. Canady
Supreme Court of Florida
500 South Duval Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1925*

850/410-8092 - phone

Jett Conn

Subject: Canceled: Judge Gerber Lunch - 2020 New Appellate Judges Program
Location: Tallahassee - TBD

Start: Tue 3/31/2020 12:00 PM
End: Tue 3/31/2020 1:00 PM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Not yet responded

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Jett Conn

Subject: Brunch following JJ. Luck & Muñiz investiture
Location: J. Luck's Home, Tallahassee

Start: Wed 9/25/2019 9:00 AM
End: Wed 9/25/2019 10:00 AM
Show Time As: Tentative

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Not yet responded

Organizer: Shannon Hudson
Required Attendees Justice Barbara Lagoa

Note: You have the Florida Bar Practicing with Professionalism Judicial Panel on the calendar for this date with the Chief and J. Lawson beginning at 10 am.

Brunch – feel free to drop by any time between 9:00-11:00 at the home of Justice and Mrs. Luck:

[REDACTED]

Directions from the Supreme Court:

[REDACTED]

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Betsy Johansen
Judicial Assistant to Justice Robert J. Luck
Supreme Court of Florida
500 South Duval Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1925
850-922-5624
[REDACTED]

From: Betsy Johansen [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 21, 2019 8:52 AM
To: Jessica Outlaw [REDACTED]; Tamara Adkins [REDACTED]; B.J. Vickers [REDACTED]; Deborah Riddell [REDACTED]; Brooke Conlan [REDACTED]; Shannon Hudson [REDACTED]
Cc: Justice Robert Luck [REDACTED]
Subject: Dinner following the investiture (Tues., Sept. 24)

Justice Luck would like to invite the justices to a dinner he is hosting following the investiture and a brunch the next morning. The dinner will be at 6:00 at the University Club, and the brunch will be at 9:00 the next morning at his home. Please pass along this invitation to your justice.

Thank you,
Betsy

Jett Conn

Subject: Dinner following JJ. Luck & Muñiz investiture
Location: University Club, Tallahassee

Start: Tue 9/24/2019 6:00 PM
End: Tue 9/24/2019 7:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Accepted

Organizer: Shannon Hudson
Required Attendees: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Dinner – 6:00 pm

The University Center Club at FSU Doak Campbell Stadium
403 Stadium Drive, Building B

Directions from the Supreme Court:

<https://www.google.com/maps/dir/Florida+Supreme+Court,+South+Duval+Street,+Tallahassee,+FL/University+Center+Club+at+FSU,+Stadium+Drive+Building+B,+Tallahassee,+FL/@30.437613,-84.3118739,14z/am=t/data=!4m13!4m12!1m5!1m1!1s0x88ecf571d3aa3503:0xe1610140ead37a3b!2m2!1d-84.283592!2d30.438111!1m5!1m1!1s0x88ecf571abac67e3:0x17aeba552e6a50d8!2m2!1d-84.3034025!2d30.4372272>

Parking – Park in the lot closest to **Building B**, which is on Champions Way between Gates G and F of the stadium; parking will be validated if you receive a ticket from the visitor lot.

Entrance – The entrance to Building B is next to the Sport Shop

Elevators – Take the main INTERIOR elevator; go to the 6th floor Osceola Grille

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Sent: Wednesday, August 21, 2019 8:52 AM
To: Jessica Outlaw [REDACTED]; Tamara Adkins [REDACTED]; B.J. Vickers [REDACTED]; Deborah Riddell [REDACTED]; Brooke Conlan <[REDACTED]>; Shannon Hudson [REDACTED]
Cc: Justice Robert Luck [REDACTED]
Subject: Dinner following the investiture (Tues., Sept. 24)

Justice Luck would like to invite the justices to a dinner he is hosting following the investiture and a brunch the next morning. The dinner will be at 6:00 at the University Club, and the brunch will be at 9:00 the next morning at his home. Please pass along this invitation to your justice.

Thank you,
Betsy

Jett Conn

Subject: Delinquency Subcommittee JCRC Conference Call

Start: Tue 9/10/2019 3:30 PM

End: Tue 9/10/2019 4:30 PM

Show Time As: Tentative

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Not yet responded

Organizer: Davis, Mikalla

Dial: 1-888 376-5050

Participants' PIN 5698745631#

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Jett Conn

Subject: Thanksgiving-Court Closed

Start: Thu 11/28/2019 12:00 AM

End: Sat 11/30/2019 12:00 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Meeting organizer

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject:

Start: Mon 8/5/2019 6:00 PM

End: Mon 8/5/2019 7:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Investiture of Judge Ruiz
Location: Miami

Start: Thu 8/15/2019 3:00 PM
End: Thu 8/15/2019 4:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Bowles Execution

Start: Thu 8/22/2019 12:00 AM
End: Fri 8/23/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Execution

Jett Conn

Subject: Meeting in TLH

Start: Wed 7/17/2019 1:00 PM
End: Wed 7/17/2019 1:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Meet with Central Staff
Location: Justice's Conference Room

Start: Wed 7/17/2019 3:30 PM
End: Wed 7/17/2019 4:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Meet with OSCA Staff-ECC Standards

Location: Justices' Conference Room

Start: Wed 7/17/2019 2:30 PM

End: Wed 7/17/2019 3:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Dessert Reception Welcoming J. Lagoa, Luck, Muniz
Location: Library

Start: Tue 8/27/2019 3:00 PM
End: Tue 8/27/2019 3:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: The Florida Bar Practicing with Professionalism Judicial Panel (Chief Justice Canady, Justice Lagoa, and Justice Lawson)
Location: FSU College of Law (425 W. Jefferson Street) // John W. Frost Courtroom (A101)
Start: Wed 9/25/2019 10:00 AM
End: Wed 9/25/2019 12:00 PM
Recurrence: (none)
Meeting Status: Accepted
Organizer: Bach, Lara

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Jett Conn

Subject: The Alford Inn - Conf. #122788215
Location: Winter Park

Start: Thu 11/7/2019 12:00 AM
End: Fri 11/8/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

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Jett Conn

Subject: CFAWL Judicial Reception
Location: Casa Feliz-Winter Park

Start: Thu 11/7/2019 6:00 PM
End: Thu 11/7/2019 7:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Casa Feliz Historic Home Museum
656 N Park Ave
Winter Park, FL 32789

Jett Conn

Subject: Meeting w/Justices
Location: Estate Ballroom I (Mizner Center)

Start: Tue 6/25/2019 4:30 PM
End: Tue 6/25/2019 5:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

From: Justice Charles T. Canady
Sent: Friday, June 21, 2019 1:12 PM
To: SC-JUSTICES <[REDACTED]>
Cc: JAs [REDACTED]; John Tomasino [REDACTED]; Deborah Meyer [REDACTED]; Silvester Dawson [REDACTED]
Subject: Proposed conference concerning certain public records exemptions effective July 1, 2019—immediate attention requested

Following up on the discussion we had earlier in the week concerning the letter I received from the Clerks, I would like to schedule a brief conference to discuss how we will proceed. There is no good time to do this, but it appears to me the most workable time for all of us to be together will be right after our summit with the Bar leadership on Tuesday. So I propose to schedule a conference at our hotel in Boca Raton—specific room to be determined— on **Tuesday, June 25 upon the conclusion of the summit meeting around 4:30 pm.**

If this time will not work for you, please let me know as soon as possible, preferably by **4:30 this afternoon**. In the event that the time I have suggested presents a problem for you, please also tell me what alternative time would work for you.

Later this afternoon, I will be sending you a memo that John Tomasino has prepared outlining the basic issues here. Either today or Monday, I will be sending a draft opinion that Deborah Meyer has prepared.

Sorry for the fire drill.

Jett Conn

Subject: Christmas-Court Closed

Start: Thu 12/24/2020 12:00 AM
End: Sat 12/26/2020 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Yom Kippur-Court Closed

Start: Mon 9/28/2020 12:00 AM

End: Tue 9/29/2020 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Thanksgiving-Court Closed

Start: Thu 11/26/2020 12:00 AM

End: Sat 11/28/2020 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Veteran's Day-Court closed

Start: Wed 11/11/2020 12:00 AM

End: Thu 11/12/2020 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Labor Day-Court Closed

Start: Mon 9/7/2020 12:00 AM

End: Tue 9/8/2020 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Court Closed for 4th of July

Start: Fri 7/3/2020 12:00 AM

End: Sat 7/4/2020 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Op. pre release

Start: Thu 8/22/2019 12:00 AM
End: Fri 8/23/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Last Op. release

Start: Thu 7/11/2019 12:00 AM
End: Fri 7/12/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Charles LeCocq start day

Start: Mon 5/6/2019 12:00 AM

End: Tue 5/7/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Historical Society Meeting

Start: Thu 6/27/2019 10:00 AM

End: Thu 6/27/2019 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Justices Conference Call

Location: Number (888) 585-9008, Conference Room Number 934-587-856#.

Start: Mon 6/10/2019 4:00 PM

End: Mon 6/10/2019 4:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Yellow Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Welcome Reception

Start: Sun 8/4/2019 6:00 PM
End: Sun 8/4/2019 7:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Cocktail Hour

Start: Tue 8/6/2019 6:30 PM
End: Tue 8/6/2019 7:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Purple Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Meet at Back Door-Transport to Memorial Svc.

Start: Wed 6/5/2019 1:15 PM

End: Wed 6/5/2019 2:15 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Dinner

Start: Fri 6/7/2019 6:30 PM
End: Fri 6/7/2019 9:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Dinner

Start: Thu 6/6/2019 7:30 PM
End: Thu 6/6/2019 9:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Professional Sand Sculpture Competition
Location: Seagate Beach Club

Start: Sat 6/8/2019 2:00 PM
End: Sat 6/8/2019 4:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Dean's Summit

Start: Fri 6/7/2019 2:00 PM
End: Fri 6/7/2019 5:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Retreat Welcome Reception

Start: Thu 6/6/2019 6:00 PM

End: Thu 6/6/2019 7:15 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Sandy D'Alemberte Memorial Service
Location: FSU-Ruby Diamond Auditorium

Start: Wed 6/5/2019 2:00 PM
End: Wed 6/5/2019 3:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

From: Silvester Dawson
Sent: Tuesday, May 28, 2019 2:45 PM
To: JAS [REDACTED]
Cc: SC-JUSTICES [REDACTED]
Subject: Sandy D'Alemberte Memorial

A memorial service for Florida State University President Emeritus Talbot "Sandy" D'Alemberte will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, June 5, in Ruby Diamond Concert Hall. We plan to provide transportation to this event.

Please advise if your justice plans to attend this memorial service so that I can properly plan for transportation. Thanks

Silvester Dawson
Marshal

Jett Conn

Subject: Remarks-William Stafford American Inn of Court Annual Banquet
Location: TBD - University Center Club (FSU)

Start: Mon 9/23/2019 6:45 PM
End: Mon 9/23/2019 8:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

On Aug 30, 2019, at 9:46 AM, Judge Lori Rowe [REDACTED] wrote:

Justice Lagoa,

Thanks again for agreeing to give the keynote address at the opening banquet of the William H. Stafford American Inn of Court on Monday, September 23, 2019. We contracted with the Governor's Club earlier this year to host the banquet. But we were recently informed that renovations that the Club expected to be complete are taking longer than planned, and they will be unable to host the banquet.

We were able to secure an alternate venue at the University Center Club at Florida State University. We are finalizing the contract with the University Center Club. Once all is confirmed, I will be in touch to confirm times and the room location.

In the meantime, I pray that you, Paul and the girls are safe- and the impacts to Florida are less than expected.

Lori

From: Judge Lori Rowe
Sent: Wednesday, April 24, 2019 4:15 PM
To: Judge Barbara Lagoa <lagoab@flcourts.org>
Subject: Invitation to Deliver the Keynote Address at the William H. Stafford American Inn of Court Annual Banquet

Justice Lagoa,

I hope you are well and enjoying your first few months on the Court. I look forward to attending your investiture next month.

I am contacting you on behalf of the Executive Committee of the William H. Stafford American Inn of Court. We would like to invite you to deliver the keynote address at our annual banquet in September. Justice Lawson was our keynote speaker in 2017, and Justice Quince delivered the address in

2018. The keynote speaker usually gives a 20-minute address on a subject of their choice. The evening's program includes presentation of awards for the prior year. In addition, our founder, Judge William Stafford attends each year and swears in the incoming officers of the Inn. The event is attended by our active and alumni members, as well as their guests. We expect around 150 attendees.

The banquet is usually scheduled with a social hour from 6:00-6:45, followed by dinner from 6:45-8:30. We have not finalized the location, but expect that the banquet will be held at the Governor's Club on Adams Street or at the FSU Alumni Center off of Tennessee Street.

The event is typically scheduled on the third or fourth Monday in September. Are you available on Monday, September 16 or Monday, September 23? We would be honored for you to deliver the keynote address at the banquet. If you have any questions or need additional information, please let me know.

Best,

Lori

Judge Lori S. Rowe
First District Court of Appeal
2000 Drayton Drive
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Jett Conn

Subject: FYI-DCA Budget Comm Meeting via videoconference

Start: Mon 7/15/2019 2:30 PM

End: Mon 7/15/2019 4:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

From: Dorothy Willard

Sent: Tuesday, May 21, 2019 6:50 PM

To: DCA Budget Commission [REDACTED] >

Cc: DCA Budget Commission -JAs [REDACTED]; Judge Stephanie W. Ray [REDACTED];

Judge Nelly N. Khouzam [REDACTED]; Judge Brian D. Lambert [REDACTED]; Eric Maclure

<macluree@flcourts.org>; Blan Teagle <teagleb@flcourts.org>; Beatriz Caballero <CaballeroB@flcourts.org>; Karrie

Larson <larsonk@flcourts.org>; Donna Carmack <BREWERD@flcourts.org>; Jessie McMillan <McMillanj@flcourts.org>;

Sharon Bosley <Bosleys@flcourts.org>; Debbie Howells <howellsd@flcourts.org>

Subject: SAVE THE DATE: Next DCABC Meeting, July 15, 2019

Good evening DCABC Members,

Based on your responses Judge Gerber has selected July 15, 2019, from 2:30 to 4:30, for the next DCABC meeting. Materials will be emailed in advance of the meeting.

Thank you,

Dorothy P. Willard

Chief of Budget Services

Office of the State Courts Administrator

Supreme Court Building

500 South Duval Street

Tallahassee, FL 32399

(850) 488-3735

Willardd@flcourts.org

Jett Conn

Subject: AA 3861 TLH to MIA

Start: Wed 5/22/2019 3:25 PM
End: Wed 5/22/2019 4:50 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: To Airport

Start: Wed 5/22/2019 2:30 PM
End: Wed 5/22/2019 3:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Meet with Chief Justice

Start: Wed 5/22/2019 2:00 PM
End: Wed 5/22/2019 2:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Hispanic National Bar Foundation Judicial Leadership Award
Location: Ritz-Carlton, Washington DC

Start: Thu 7/25/2019 7:00 PM
End: Thu 7/25/2019 7:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Meeting organizer

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa
Required Attendees: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

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From: **Jamie Coter** <jamie.cotera@hnbfb.org>
Date: Mon, May 20, 2019 at 2:25 PM
Subject: HNBF Judicial Leadership Award
To: Aleesha Khan <aleesha.khan@hnbfb.org>

Dear Justice Lagoa,

On behalf of the Hispanic National Bar Foundation's Board of Directors, and our president, Jorge Mestre, we would like to invite you to accept our HNBF Judicial Leadership Award.

I wanted to confirm that you're available to accept the award at our dinner on July 25, 2019 at the Ritz-Carlton, Washington, D.C. (located at 1150 22nd Street, N.W.).

You can find more information about our Future Latino Leaders Summer Law Institute in the attached brochure and on our website: www.hnbfb.org. You can specifically find information about the dinner and past awardees here: <https://hnbfb.org/programs-partnerships/annual-awards-dinner/>

Our Future Latino Leaders Class of 2019 will be in attendance at the dinner, and we know you will be an inspiration to them, given that you embody all of the qualities and characteristics of the type of leader that we strive for our students to become.

Please do not hesitate to reach out with any questions. We look forward to honoring you at our event!

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Jamie Coter
Co-Executive Director
Hispanic National Bar Foundation
www.hnbf.org

Aleesha Kahn (786) 468-9196

Jett Conn

Subject: Practice Before the Supreme Court Seminar

Start: Thu 6/4/2020 12:00 AM

End: Fri 6/5/2020 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Long Execution

Start: Thu 5/23/2019 6:00 PM
End: Thu 5/23/2019 6:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Execution

Jett Conn

Subject: Memorial Day Holiday

Start: Mon 5/25/2020 12:00 AM
End: Tue 5/26/2020 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference**

Start: Wed 6/24/2020 9:00 AM
End: Wed 6/24/2020 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference

Start: Wed 6/10/2020 9:00 AM
End: Wed 6/10/2020 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference**

Start: Tue 5/19/2020 9:00 AM
End: Tue 5/19/2020 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference

Start: Wed 5/13/2020 9:00 AM
End: Wed 5/13/2020 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference**

Start: Wed 4/22/2020 9:00 AM
End: Wed 4/22/2020 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference

Start: Wed 4/15/2020 9:00 AM
End: Wed 4/15/2020 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference

Start: Wed 3/25/2020 9:00 AM
End: Wed 3/25/2020 11:30 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference**

Start: Wed 3/18/2020 9:00 AM
End: Wed 3/18/2020 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference**

Start: Wed 2/19/2020 9:00 AM
End: Wed 2/19/2020 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Oral Agruments

Start: Mon 6/1/2020 12:00 AM
End: Sat 6/6/2020 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Good Friday-Court Closed

Start: Fri 4/10/2020 12:00 AM

End: Sat 4/11/2020 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: FYI-Fla. Bar Winter Meeting

Start: Wed 1/15/2020 12:00 AM

End: Sun 1/19/2020 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: FYI-Fla. Judicial College-Phase I

Start: Sun 1/5/2020 12:00 AM

End: Sat 1/11/2020 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Oral Arguments

Start: Wed 4/1/2020 12:00 AM
End: Sat 4/4/2020 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Oral Arguments

Start: Mon 3/30/2020 12:00 AM
End: Wed 4/1/2020 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference

Start: Wed 1/29/2020 9:00 AM
End: Wed 1/29/2020 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference**

Start: Wed 1/22/2020 9:00 AM

End: Wed 1/22/2020 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Legislature Convenes

Start: Tue 1/14/2020 12:00 AM

End: Wed 1/15/2020 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Justice Pariente's Retirement Ceremony
Location: PB Co. Convention Center

Start: Sat 6/8/2019 6:00 PM
End: Sat 6/8/2019 10:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

650 Okeechobee Boulevard
Cocktails 6:00 p.m.
Buffet Dinner 7:30 p.m.

Jett Conn

Subject: St. Thomas More Society Red Mass and Dinner
Location: St. Anthony's Catholic Church, Ft. Lauderdale

Start: Thu 9/26/2019 5:30 PM
End: Thu 9/26/2019 7:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Meeting organizer

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

St. Thomas Moore Society Red Mass & Dinner

Judge, I'm updating with the most recently received information. SH

Mass: 5:30p-approx. 6:30p
St. Anthony's Catholic Church
901 N.E. 2nd Street

Reception: Immediately following Mass
Sonesta Ft. Lauderdale Beach Hotel
999 North Ft. Lauderdale Beach Blvd.

Contact: Thomas R. Tatum
Thomas.tatum@brinkleymorgan.com
954-522-7885

New dates Mr. Seiler suggested: SEPTEMBER 24TH (J. Muñiz/J. Luck's Investiture)

OR SEPTEMBER 26TH (This date could work)**

Location St. Anthony's Catholic Church, Ft. Lauderdale
When: Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday evening in – TIME TBD
Honoree: Honorable Edward Merrigan, Broward Co. Circuit Judge & General in Army - Heads up the Veteran's Court in Broward Co.
Request: Speak for about 15 minutes on subject of your choice
Usually about 300-400 in attendance at this function.
Hotel room provided
Once you provide date(s), Mr. Seiler with touch base with Arch Bishop regarding his schedule

Contact: Jack Seiler

(954) 562-0958 cell
(954) 568-7000 ofc

Jett Conn

Subject: Interns Last Day

Start: Wed 7/3/2019 12:00 AM
End: Thu 7/4/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Policy Meeting (and breakfast)

Start: Sat 6/8/2019 8:00 AM

End: Sat 6/8/2019 11:00 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Policy Meeting

Start: Fri 6/7/2019 8:00 AM
End: Fri 6/7/2019 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: The Florida Bar "How She Did It: unconventional Paths to Leadership" a women in leadership program panel member discussion call with Florida Bar President Michelle Suskauer

Location: Conference call dial-in 1-888-376-5050 and enter Participation Code 5487139641# [0226470]

Start: Thu 5/16/2019 4:30 PM

End: Thu 5/16/2019 5:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Accepted

Organizer: Hill, Terry L

Categories: Yellow Category

"How She Did It: unconventional Paths to Leadership"
a women in leadership program panel member discussion call with Florida Bar President Michelle Suskauer
Thursday, May 16, 2019
4:30 p.m. eastern

Conference call dial-in 1-888-376-5050 and enter Participation Code 5487139641#

Confirmed Panelists:

Justice Barbara Lagoa, Florida Supreme Court
Judge Patricia Seitz, Senior United States District Judge, Southern District
Nicole (Nikki) Fried, Florida Agriculture Commissioner
Katherine Fernandez Rundle, Miami Date State Attorney
Judge Krista Marx, Chief Judge, Fifteenth Judicial Circuit
Amira Fox, State Attorney, Twentieth Judicial Circuit
Judge Nina Ashenafi, Leon County Court Judge

Moderator: Michelle Suskauer, President, The Florida Bar

We are hopeful that as many of you as possible can participate on the call tomorrow, but we understand not everyone will be able to participate in all the calls because of the caliber of women serving on this panel.

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Jett Conn

Subject: Interns Photo following OA

Start: Wed 6/5/2019 12:00 PM

End: Wed 6/5/2019 12:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Oral Argument

Start: Mon 9/16/2019 12:00 AM
End: Thu 9/19/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category

From: Justice Charles T. Canady
Sent: Thursday, May 9, 2019 4:34 PM
To: SC-JUSTICES [REDACTED]
Cc: JAs [REDACTED]; John Tomasino [REDACTED]
Subject: August/September OA

As I had feared, we have a mountain of work coming at us after our summer hiatus. We have 20 cases that are either now matured or will soon be matured and will thus be ready for oral argument when we return to regular business in August. Hearing all of these cases during the scheduled oral argument week would be pretty overwhelming. Based on some informal discussions, I want to pursue an alternative plan that will spread out the work to some extent. Credit goes to Justice Polston for suggesting this alternative approach.

Here it is.

During the scheduled oral argument week at the end of August, we will hear cases Tuesday through Friday, with three cases being set each day. We will then have oral argument specially set for Monday through Wednesday, September 16, 17, and 18 — with three cases heard on both Monday and Tuesday, and two cases on Wednesday. Since that Wednesday is a conference day, I will plan to have lunch brought in for us.

If hearing the cases on September 16 and 17 presents an irresolvable conflict for anyone, please let me know by **noon next Monday, May 13**.

Jett Conn

Subject: Summer Interns begin

Start: Mon 5/13/2019 12:00 AM

End: Tue 5/14/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: High School Moot Court Lunch??

Start: Tue 5/7/2019 12:00 PM

End: Tue 5/7/2019 12:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: BL to MIA

Start: Sat 5/11/2019 3:25 PM
End: Sat 5/11/2019 4:51 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Blue Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Cocktails/Dinner
Location: The Edison

Start: Fri 5/10/2019 6:30 PM
End: Fri 5/10/2019 10:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Interns' Last Day

Start: Wed 11/27/2019 12:00 AM
End: Thu 11/28/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Fall Interns Begin

Start: Mon 8/26/2019 12:00 AM

End: Tue 8/27/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: J. Quince's Retirement Celebration & Reception
Location: Floridian Palace Hotel, Tampa

Start: Fri 5/17/2019 5:30 PM
End: Fri 5/17/2019 8:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Justice Peggy Quince Retirement Celebration & Reception

Reception Details:

5:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Friday, May 17, 2019

Floridan Palace Hotel

905 N Florida Ave

Tampa, Florida, 33602

Suggested attire: Business/Cocktail

Early Reservations \$20

On/before Friday, May 10th

Standard Reservations \$30

On/after Saturday, May 11th

At the Door \$40

after Tuesday, May 14th

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference following OA

Start: Wed 5/8/2019 11:00 AM

End: Wed 5/8/2019 11:30 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category

Jett Conn

Subject: BL to MIA

Start: Tue 4/30/2019 12:00 AM
End: Wed 5/1/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: BL to TLH

Start: Mon 4/29/2019 12:00 AM
End: Tue 4/30/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Florida Bar Foundation Annual Reception/Dinner

Start: Thu 6/27/2019 6:30 PM

End: Thu 6/27/2019 7:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Meeting w/Craig and Mark

Start: Tue 4/30/2019 11:00 AM

End: Tue 4/30/2019 11:30 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Yellow Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Florida Conference of Circuit Judges
Location: Naples Grande

Start: Sun 8/4/2019 12:00 AM
End: Mon 8/5/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Blue Category

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407 860 1700

Jett Conn

Subject: Florida Conference of Circuit Judges

Start: Mon 8/5/2019 12:00 AM

End: Thu 8/8/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel, Purple Category

Jett Conn

Subject: BL back to MIA

Start: Thu 4/25/2019 12:00 AM
End: Fri 4/26/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Blue Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Luck/Muniz Investiture

Start: Tue 9/24/2019 2:00 PM

End: Tue 9/24/2019 4:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

From: Craig Waters

Sent: Wednesday, May 8, 2019 3:46 PM

To: Trial Court Chief Judges <[REDACTED]>; DCA Chief Judges [REDACTED]; SC-JUSTICES [REDACTED]; 'Doyle, Joshua' <jdoyle@floridabar.org>

Cc: Trial Court Administrators <TrialCourtAdministrators@flcourts.org>; DCA Clerks [REDACTED]; JAs [REDACTED]; SC-Managers [REDACTED]; Debbie Howells <howellsd@flcourts.org>; 'Scott, Rosalyn' <rscott@floridabar.org>; DCA Marshals [REDACTED]; 'Killian, Mark' <mkillian@floridabar.org>; Betsy Johansen [REDACTED]; 'Walker, Francine' <fwalker@floridabar.org>

Subject: SAVE THE DATE - Joint Investiture of Justice Robert Luck & Justice Carlos Muniz

SAVE THE DATE

Please note that the Joint Investiture of **Justice Robert Luck & Justice Carlos Muñiz** is now set for **September 24, 2019, at 2:00 p.m.** ET, in the courtroom at the [Florida Supreme Court](#) in Tallahassee. Please make a note of it.

Feel free to tell other judges, Bar leaders, court or Bar staff, and others who would be interested or have a need to know. Further details will be announced on the Court's [Website](#) and its [Facebook Page](#) as the event draws near.

Craig Waters
Public Information Office
Florida Supreme Court
500 South Duval Street
Tallahassee FL 32399-1925
850-414-7641

Jett Conn

Subject: Dade Co. Bar Association Installation of Officers & Directors
Location: Historic Alfred Dupont Building

Start: Sat 6/15/2019 5:30 PM
End: Sat 6/15/2019 9:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Meeting organizer

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

DCBA President Gilbert Squires
(305) 575-2400

Jett Conn

Subject: DCABC Committee Meeting
Location: Orlando Regency Orlando International Airport

Start: Mon 5/13/2019 1:30 PM
End: Mon 5/13/2019 5:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Meeting organizer

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa
Required Attendees: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Purple Category

From: Dorothy Willard
Sent: Thursday, April 18, 2019 10:21 AM
To: DCA Budget Commission [REDACTED]
Cc: DCA Budget Commission -JAs [REDACTED]; Judge Stephanie W. Ray [REDACTED]; Judge Nelly N. Khouzam [REDACTED]; Judge Brian D. Lambert [REDACTED]; Eric Maclure <macluree@flcourts.org>; Blan Teagle <teagleb@flcourts.org>; Beatriz Caballero <CaballeroB@flcourts.org>; Karrie Larson <larsonk@flcourts.org>; Sharon Bosley <Bosleys@flcourts.org>; Donna Carmack <BREWERD@flcourts.org>; Jessie McMillan <McMillanj@flcourts.org>
Subject: FOLLOW-UP: Regarding May 13, 2019 DCABC Meeting

Good morning DCABC Members,

As previously mentioned by Judge Gerber, the upcoming DCABC meeting will be held in Orlando, at the Hyatt Regency Orlando International Airport. Meeting materials will be distributed via email as soon as possible the week prior to the meeting.

Listed below are the hotel and meeting room location details.

Hyatt Regency Orlando International Airport
9300 Jeff Fuqua Boulevard
Orlando, FL 32827
(407) 825-1234

May 13, 2019
1:30 – 5:00
Tullamarine/Tegal Meeting Room

If you will need to come in the day before the meeting or stay overnight the airport has a great website for locating a hotel within reasonable distance of the meeting location. The web site can be found at <http://www.airporthotelguide.com/orlando/map.html>.

Thank you,
Dorothy

Dorothy P. Willard
Chief of Budget Services
Office of the State Courts Administrator
Supreme Court Building
500 South Duval Street
Tallahassee, FL 32399
(850) 488-3735
Willardd@flcourts.org

Jett Conn

Subject: "How She Did It" Panel

Start: Wed 6/26/2019 1:00 PM
End: Wed 6/26/2019 3:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: COURT CONFERENCE CALL (Israel v. DeSantis)
Location: (888) 585-9008 Code: 934-587-856

Start: Mon 4/15/2019 4:00 PM
End: Mon 4/15/2019 4:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category, Yellow Category

The call in number is as follows:

Conference Confidential Call

Number 1-(888) 585-9008

Conference Room Number 934-587-856

Or, if joining via your mobile phone, you can view this email on your mobile phone and press the below link to have your phone dial in, pause, and enter the conference room number for you: 888-585-9008,,934587856#

Jett Conn

Subject: President's Reception

Start: Fri 6/28/2019 5:30 PM
End: Fri 6/28/2019 8:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Reception/Dinner for Past Presidents

Location: Palm Ballroom V & VI

Start: Wed 6/26/2019 6:30 PM

End: Wed 6/26/2019 7:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Summit
Location: Estate Ballroom II & III (Mizner Center)

Start: Tue 6/25/2019 9:00 AM
End: Tue 6/25/2019 5:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: General Assembly

Start: Fri 6/28/2019 9:30 AM
End: Fri 6/28/2019 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Luncheon Honoring Judiciary

Start: Thu 6/27/2019 12:15 PM

End: Thu 6/27/2019 12:45 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Take Sons & Daughters to Work Day

Start: Thu 4/25/2019 12:00 AM

End: Fri 4/26/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: BL driving to TLH

Start: Tue 4/23/2019 12:00 AM

End: Wed 4/24/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Receive Proclamation
Location: Miami-Dade Public Schools

Start: Wed 4/17/2019 11:00 AM
End: Wed 4/17/2019 11:30 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Blue Category

1450 NE 2nd Avenue, 1st Floor
Miami, FL 33132

From: ESPINA, ANDREINA <andreina.espina@dadeschools.net>
Sent: Monday, April 8, 2019 11:27 AM
To: Brenda Williams <[REDACTED]>
Cc: LOPERA, VALENTINA <Lopera@dadeschools.net>; Betancourt, Patricia G. <PBETANCOURT@dadeschools.net>
Subject: Recognition at April 17, 2019 School Board Meeting

Good morning Brenda,

I hope this message finds you well.

School Board Member Susie V. Castillo would like to present Justice Lagoa with a proclamation at our April School Board Meeting.

The meeting will be taking on **April 17, 2019 at 11:00 am** at the **School Board Administration Building** located at 1450 NE 2nd Avenue, Miami, FL 33132. She is welcome to invite friends and family as she sees fit, we just ask you provide us with the names of guests by Friday, April 12, 2019.

Please confirm she will be able to attend to receive this very well deserved recognition.

Thank you!

Kind Regards,

Andreina Espina

Chief of Staff, Office of Susie V. Castillo

School Board Member, District 5

Miami-Dade County Public Schools

1450 NE 2nd Avenue, 7th Floor

Miami, FL 33132

Phone: (305) 995-1334 Fax: (305) 995-1374

Contact: Valentina Lopera

(786) 503-2448 cell

(305) 995-1334

Jett Conn

Subject: Speak to Students from Branford High
Location: Courtroom

Start: Wed 5/8/2019 2:30 PM
End: Wed 5/8/2019 3:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Meeting organizer

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Required Attendees Justice Barbara Lagoa

Request from PIO Intern, Aimee Clesi for you to speak to a group of students from her hometown of Branford. This is the young lady who did the brief interview of you in your office for our court publication.

This visit would be the week of your investiture, so I wasn't sure if you would want to add this to your calendar. They would come on a day you set, if you could do the visit. – Wednesday May 8th or Thursday May 9th? Again, I am concerned about adding anything to your calendar for that week. Thanks

From: Clesi, Aimee B <aimee.clesi@ufl.edu>

Sent: Thursday, April 4, 2019 10:35 AM

To: Brenda Williams [REDACTED]

Subject: Branford Students Visit the Supreme Court of Florida

Hey, Mrs. Williams!

I just wanted to touch base with you about students my hometown of Branford visiting the Court and Justice Lagoa speaking to them. Mrs. Emilie just explained to me that we will be having a moot court competition that takes over the Court on Tuesday, May 7th, so maybe that is not a good day after all!

Will Justice Lagoa be up here on Monday, May 6th? Mrs. Emilie suggests this be the date we go for since we have no idea yet when OAs are going to be scheduled later in the week.

Please let me know all the news as soon as you can! My teachers from back home have asked I get back to them as soon as possible so they can schedule a bus, etc.

Warm wishes,

Aimee

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Jett Conn

Subject: Annual Florida Bar Convention
Location: Hilton Orlando Bonnet Creek

Start: Wed 6/17/2020 12:00 AM
End: Sun 6/21/2020 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Problem-Solving Courts Comm. Mtg.
Location: Tampa

Start: Wed 2/26/2020 12:00 AM
End: Fri 2/28/2020 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Orange Category

Jett Conn

Subject: FCC committee Meeting
Location: Tampa

Start: Wed 2/26/2020 12:00 AM
End: Fri 2/28/2020 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Orange Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Supreme Court Historical Society Annual Dinner
Location: Tallahassee

Start: Thu 1/30/2020 6:00 PM
End: Thu 1/30/2020 8:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

11/14/19 - I checked with Jessica who advised: I do not have a definite time, but it usually begins around 6 for cocktails and dinner at 7:00. It has been held at the University Center the past few years – will update. SH

Jett Conn

Subject: Problem-Solving Courts Committee Meeting
Location: Tampa

Start: Thu 6/20/2019 12:00 AM
End: Sat 6/22/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Orange Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Problem-Solving Courts Committee Meeting
Location: Orlando

Start: Mon 12/9/2019 12:00 AM
End: Wed 12/11/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Orange Category

Jett Conn

Subject: ***DEADLINE TO FILE FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE FORMS

Start: Mon 7/1/2019 12:00 AM

End: Tue 7/2/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Red Category

Jett Conn

Subject: PACE Tour

Start: Wed 4/3/2019 2:30 PM
End: Wed 4/3/2019 3:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Interview/Meeting

Start: Tue 4/2/2019 4:00 PM
End: Tue 4/2/2019 4:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Brief Meet/Greet with Central Staff Attorneys
Location: Chief's C/R

Start: Tue 4/2/2019 3:00 PM
End: Tue 4/2/2019 3:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Meeting organizer

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Required Attendees Justice Barbara Lagoa

Justice Lagoa, I am trying to schedule this meeting w/CS attorneys at 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday in the Chief's Conf. Room as there are 9 staff. Let me know if this time works. Thanks.

Jett Conn

Subject: Sandy D'Alemberte's FSU Law Class Visiting Court
Location: Library (Lunch)

Start: Tue 4/2/2019 1:15 PM
End: Tue 4/2/2019 1:45 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Meeting organizer

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Required Attendees Justice Barbara Lagoa

Judge, I informed Emilie that you will just have had lunch with the New Judges College.

From: Emilie Rietow

Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2019 3:48 PM

To: Brenda Williams <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Sandy D'Alemberte's Law Class - FSU College of Law

Hi Brenda,

Sandy D'Alemberte is bringing his constitutional law class to the Court on Tuesday, April 2.

After their building tour, the students will have a catered lunch in the library. Justice Lagoa is invited to attend the lunch if she is interested/available, which will begin at 1:15 and end around 1:45.

Thanks,
Emilie

Jett Conn

Subject: **BL REVIEW UNCONTESTED BUNDLE**

Start: Thu 12/12/2019 9:00 AM

End: Thu 12/12/2019 9:30 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Yellow Category

Jett Conn

Subject: **BL REVIEW UNCONTESTED BAR BUNDLE**

Start: Thu 11/7/2019 9:00 AM

End: Thu 11/7/2019 9:30 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Yellow Category

Jett Conn

Subject: **BL REVIEW UNCONTESTED BAR BUNDLE**

Start: Thu 10/3/2019 9:00 AM

End: Thu 10/3/2019 9:30 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Yellow Category

Jett Conn

Subject: *BL REVIEW UNCONTESTED BAR BUNDLE**

Start: Thu 8/29/2019 9:00 AM

End: Thu 8/29/2019 9:30 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Yellow Category

Jett Conn

Subject: **BL REVIEW UNCONTESTED BAR BUNDLE**

Start: Thu 7/25/2019 9:00 AM

End: Thu 7/25/2019 9:30 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Yellow Category

Jett Conn

Subject: **BL REVEIW UNCONTESTED BUNDLE**

Start: Thu 6/20/2019 9:00 AM

End: Thu 6/20/2019 9:30 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Yellow Category

Jett Conn

Subject: *BL REVIEW UNCONTESTED BAR BUNDLE**

Start: Thu 5/16/2019 9:00 AM

End: Thu 5/16/2019 9:30 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Yellow Category

Jett Conn

Subject: **BL REVIEW UNCONTESTED BAR BUNDLE**

Start: Thu 4/11/2019 9:00 AM

End: Thu 4/11/2019 9:30 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Yellow Category

Jett Conn

Subject: ABA Appellate Practice Coffee & Dessert Reception
Location: Greenberg Traurig's Maimi Office

Start: Thu 5/16/2019 2:30 PM
End: Thu 5/16/2019 3:15 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Meeting organizer

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa
Required Attendees: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Purple Category

Judge, this is request is for Thursday 5/16. Conference is Wednesday 5/15, so I assume you will be here in Tallahassee.
Shall we decline? **Justice Luck has declined due to his schedule.

From: Brown, Nicholas A. <NBrown@carltonfields.com>
Sent: Thursday, March 14, 2019 10:52 AM
To: Betsy Johansen [REDACTED]; Brenda Williams [REDACTED]
Cc: Kairalla, Jason P. <JKairalla@carltonfields.com>
Subject: ABA Appellate Practice Regional CLE Program (Miami, May 16, 2019)

Good morning,

My name is Nick Brown and I'm an attorney with Carlton Fields in Tampa. I spoke with Ms. Johansen this morning, who suggested I send this email to both Justices' chambers.

I'm helping to plan an ABA Appellate Practice Regional CLE seminar to which we would like to invite **Justices Lagoa and Luck, for a Coffee and Dessert Reception honoring them.**

The program is an ABA Appellate Practice Regional CLE seminar presented by the Section of Litigation Appellate Practice Committee. The event is scheduled for **May 16, 2019, at Greenberg Traurig's Miami office, located at: 333 S.E. 2nd Avenue, Suite 4400, Miami, FL 33131.** The seminar will include several panels with distinguished speakers, including current judges, former judges, and attorneys. It is scheduled to last from 9:00 AM to 3:30 PM, with registration beginning at 8:00 AM.

We would like to end the event with a Farewell Coffee and Dessert Reception honoring Justices Lagoa and Luck, scheduled from 2:30 PM to 3:15 PM. We would be delighted if Justice Lagoa and Justice Luck can attend.

We are still preparing the event materials and brochure, but I will be happy to share those once they are complete, which we currently anticipate will be sometime next week.

Thank you for your consideration, and please let me know if you have any questions that I can help with. My direct line is 813-229-4205.

Best regards,

Nick Brown

Jett Conn

Subject: Dinner
Location: Lucca Garden Room at hotel

Start: Mon 6/24/2019 6:00 PM
End: Mon 6/24/2019 9:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: PIO Interns Interview

Start: Wed 3/27/2019 4:00 PM

End: Wed 3/27/2019 4:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: To airport

Start: Thu 4/4/2019 3:10 PM
End: Thu 4/4/2019 3:40 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference

Start: Thu 4/4/2019 10:30 AM
End: Thu 4/4/2019 11:00 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: Oral Arguments

Start: Thu 4/4/2019 9:00 AM
End: Thu 4/4/2019 10:30 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: **INVESTITURE**

Start: Fri 5/10/2019 3:00 PM
End: Fri 5/10/2019 3:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: FCC Meeting
Location: Tampa

Start: Thu 3/26/2020 12:00 AM
End: Sat 3/28/2020 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Orange Category

Jett Conn

Subject: FCC Meeting
Location: Orlando

Start: Mon 12/9/2019 12:00 AM
End: Wed 12/11/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Orange Category

Jett Conn

Subject: FCC Meeting
Location: Tampa

Start: Thu 6/20/2019 12:00 AM
End: Sat 6/22/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Orange Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Justice R. Fred Lewis Retirement Celebration
Location: Coral Gables Country Club

Start: Thu 4/18/2019 5:30 PM
End: Thu 4/18/2019 8:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Accepted

Organizer: Brenda Williams
Required Attendees Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Thursday, April 18, 2019

Justice R. Fred Lewis Retirement Celebration

Coral Gables County Club
997 North Greenway Drive
Coral Gables, Florida, 33134

5:30 pm Reception

7:00 pm Dinner

Early Reservations Rate \$95, on/before Tues., April, 2

Standard Reservations Rate \$115, on/after Wed., April 3

On-site Rates \$135 (if available) on /after Tues., April 16

Jett Conn

Subject: To airport

Start: Fri 3/29/2019 3:30 PM
End: Fri 3/29/2019 4:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: Lunch w/Justice Muniz?

Start: Sun 4/21/2019 12:00 PM

End: Sun 4/21/2019 12:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Meeting organizer

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Required AttendeesJustice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: To Courtroom

Start: Thu 3/21/2019 11:00 AM
End: Thu 3/21/2019 11:30 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: To airport

Start: Thu 3/21/2019 3:15 PM
End: Thu 3/21/2019 3:45 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Jett Conn

Subject: To MIA-AA3861
Location: in 16C

Start: Thu 4/4/2019 4:24 PM
End: Thu 4/4/2019 5:45 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: To TLH-AA3663
Location: in 9C

Start: Tue 4/2/2019 9:30 AM
End: Tue 4/2/2019 10:56 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

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Ticket #0012343880037

Jett Conn

Subject: To TLH

Start: Tue 3/19/2019 12:00 AM

End: Wed 3/20/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara Lagoa

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: FSU College of Law CABA Miami-Dade Days Reception

Location: Aura Restaurant and Bar

Start: Wed 4/3/2019 5:30 PM

End: Wed 4/3/2019 7:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

215 W. College Avenue
Nicholas Jay Rodriguez-Caballero
(305) 726-5660

Jett Conn

Subject: Chief Justice Canady
Location: BL's office

Start: Thu 3/21/2019 9:45 AM
End: Thu 3/21/2019 10:15 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: Commission on the Status of Women Capital Reception

Start: Wed 3/20/2019 5:30 PM

End: Wed 3/20/2019 6:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: Rebecca Roman re: Internship

Start: Thu 3/28/2019 4:30 PM

End: Thu 3/28/2019 5:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: Labor & Employment Law Reception
Location: (Judge Forst)

Start: Thu 6/27/2019 6:45 PM
End: Thu 6/27/2019 7:15 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: BL to TLH

Start: Mon 5/6/2019 5:30 PM
End: Mon 5/6/2019 7:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: AA3861 MIA to TLH

Start: Tue 5/21/2019 1:35 PM
End: Tue 5/21/2019 3:05 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: CONFERENCE Call
Location: (888) 585-9008 Conf. Rm. No: 934-587-856#

Start: Wed 3/27/2019 9:00 AM
End: Wed 3/27/2019 10:00 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Red Category, Important

Number (888) 585-9008
Conference Room Number 934-587-856#

Jett Conn

Subject: To MIA-AA3861
Location: in 11B

Start: Fri 3/29/2019 5:05 PM
End: Fri 3/29/2019 6:27 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Blue Category, Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: To TLH-AA3844
Location: in 10B

Start: Tue 3/26/2019 5:30 PM
End: Tue 3/26/2019 6:58 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Blue Category, Travel

Record Locator: IICZQP
Ticket #0012343878289

Jett Conn

Subject: To MIA-AA3861
Location: in 11B

Start: Thu 3/21/2019 5:05 PM
End: Thu 3/21/2019 6:27 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Blue Category, Travel

Ticket #0012342262615
\$423.60

Jett Conn

Subject: Tour - J. Muniz, et al
Start: Thu 3/28/2019 11:30 AM
End: Thu 3/28/2019 12:00 PM
Recurrence: (none)
Organizer: Brenda Williams

From: Kraeft, Erin <Erin.Kraeft@eog.myflorida.com>
Sent: Monday, March 11, 2019 10:27 AM
To: Brooke Conlan [REDACTED]
Subject: Scheduling a Tour

Good Morning Brooke,

My name is Erin Kraeft, I am Joe Jacquot's assistant, he is the General Counsel for Governor DeSantis. Joe advised me that Justice Muniz invited our office to come and visit the Supreme Court for a tour. I'd love to schedule that with you for whenever you find time on Justice Muniz's calendar. Our team here (the Office of General Counsel) is 13 people.

Thanks so much!
-Erin Kraeft

Erin Kraeft
Executive Assistant & Judicial Appointments Coordinator
Office of the General Counsel
Executive Office of the Governor
Main: 850-717-9310
Fax: 850-488-9810

Jett Conn

Subject: Brenda out at noon

Start: Fri 3/29/2019 12:00 AM

End: Sat 3/30/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Purple Category, Brenda Out

Jett Conn

Subject: The Red Mass
Location: Co-Cathedral of St. Thomas More

Start: Wed 3/27/2019 6:00 PM
End: Wed 3/27/2019 6:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

900 W. Tennessee Street

Jett Conn

Subject: Catholic Days Luncheon w/J. Muniz
Location: Civic Center (lower level)

Start: Wed 3/27/2019 12:00 PM
End: Wed 3/27/2019 1:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: President's Day & Winter Break

Start: Mon 2/17/2020 12:00 AM

End: Sat 2/22/2020 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Miscellaneous

Jett Conn

Subject: To airport

Start: Thu 3/7/2019 5:30 PM
End: Thu 3/7/2019 6:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: To Back Door

Start: Wed 3/6/2019 5:20 PM
End: Wed 3/6/2019 5:50 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: Meeting with Chief Justice Canady re Committee Assignments

Location: His office

Start: Thu 3/7/2019 2:00 PM

End: Thu 3/7/2019 2:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Accepted

Organizer: Justice Robert Luck

Required Attendees Justice Charles T. Canady; Justice Barbara Lagoa; Justice Carlos G. Muñoz

Jett Conn

Subject: Intern Photo
Location: Immediately following OA

Start: Thu 4/4/2019 12:00 PM
End: Thu 4/4/2019 12:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: Oral Arguments

Start: Thu 3/7/2019 9:00 AM
End: Thu 3/7/2019 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: Orseck Moot Court

Start: Thu 6/27/2019 2:30 PM
End: Thu 6/27/2019 5:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Meet w/OSCA and Judge Greider

Location: Executive Conf. Center

Start: Thu 3/7/2019 3:30 PM

End: Thu 3/7/2019 4:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Early Childhood Best Practices

Jett Conn

Subject: [REDACTED] to Rotunda for escort to House Gallery

Start: Tue 3/5/2019 10:30 AM

End: Tue 3/5/2019 11:00 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: Natalie meet w/April and Michael

Start: Wed 3/6/2019 2:00 PM

End: Wed 3/6/2019 2:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: To Rotunda

Start: Tue 3/5/2019 9:10 AM
End: Tue 3/5/2019 9:40 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Justices:

9:10 A.M. --- **Meet in the Supreme Court rotunda for departure to holding room:** [Chief Justice Canady, Justice Polston, Justice Labarga, Justice Lawson, Justice Lagoa, Justice Luck, and Justice Muñiz] will depart from the **Supreme Court rotunda** to House Room #420 [lobby area conference/robing room].

Gallery Guests:

10:30 A.M. --- **House Joint Session Gallery guests** will meet in the **Supreme Court rotunda** and depart to the House Gallery. Marshal Dawson will secure gallery passes and deliver them to Deputy Marshal Robert Smith. Deputy Marshal Smith will meet, escort, and remain with guests in the House gallery. Then, he will escort guests back to the rotunda at the conclusion of the Governor's state of the state speech.

Jett Conn

Subject: High School Moot Court & photos

Start: Tue 5/7/2019 11:00 AM

End: Tue 5/7/2019 11:30 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

From: Jessica Outlaw

Sent: Tuesday, March 19, 2019 8:48 AM

To: JAs [REDACTED] >

Cc: Silvester Dawson [REDACTED]; John Tomasino [REDACTED] Craig Waters

Subject: High School Moot Court Competition

Good morning,

The High School Moot Court Competition has been set for 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, May 7, 2019, in the Supreme Court courtroom.

I will pass on further information about the event as I receive it.

Have a nice day!

Jessica

Jett Conn

Subject: House of Representatives

Start: Tue 3/5/2019 10:00 AM

End: Tue 3/5/2019 10:30 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: BOG Lunch Meeting
Location: Doubletree

Start: Fri 1/31/2020 12:00 AM
End: Sat 2/1/2020 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: Fla. Bar BOG Meeting/Events

Start: Wed 1/29/2020 12:00 AM

End: Sat 2/1/2020 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

From: Jessica Outlaw

Sent: Friday, February 15, 2019 11:24 AM

To: JAs [REDACTED]

Cc: John Tomasino [REDACTED]; Silvester Dawson [REDACTED]; Craig Waters [REDACTED]

Subject: Board of Governors Meeting 2020

Good morning,

The Bar just let me know that the Tallahassee BOG meeting and events will take place the week of January 29-31, 2020, and the board meeting will be held at the DoubleTree on Friday, January 31, 2020. I wanted to go ahead and pass these dates on for the justices' calendars.

Happy Friday!

Jessica Outlaw

Judicial Assistant to Chief Justice Charles T. Canady

Supreme Court of Florida

500 South Duval Street

Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1925

850/410-8092 - phone

Jett Conn

Subject: Dinner with the [REDACTED]

Location: TBD

Start: Sun 2/17/2019 6:00 PM

End: Sun 2/17/2019 8:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Accepted

Organizer: Justice Robert Luck

Required Attendees Justice Barbara Lagoa; [REDACTED]

Jett Conn

Subject: Daylight Savings Begins

Start: Sun 3/10/2019 12:00 AM

End: Sun 3/10/2019 11:00 PM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: FSU College of Law Reception Honoring New Justices
Location: College of Law

Start: Wed 3/6/2019 5:30 PM
End: Wed 3/6/2019 6:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

From: Jessica Outlaw
Sent: Monday, February 11, 2019 9:08 AM
To: JAs [REDACTED]
Subject: FSU College of Law Reception Honoring Justices Lagoa, Luck, and Muniz

Good morning,

I just wanted to send a save the date for a reception FSU College of Law plans to hold on Wednesday, March 6, 2019, from 5:30-6:30 p.m., in honor of Justices Lagoa, Luck, and Muñiz. Formal invitations will be coming to the justices soon. Thanks!

*Jessica Outlaw
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Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1925*

850/410-8092 - phone

Jett Conn

Subject: VB

Start: Sun 5/5/2019 12:00 AM
End: Mon 5/6/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Miscellaneous, Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: VB

Start: Sat 5/4/2019 12:00 AM
End: Sun 5/5/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Miscellaneous, Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Judge Eric Hendon's Investiture

Location: Third DCA

Start: Fri 5/3/2019 3:00 PM

End: Fri 5/3/2019 3:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: VB

Start: Sun 4/28/2019 12:00 AM
End: Mon 4/29/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Miscellaneous, Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: VB

Start: Sat 3/30/2019 12:00 AM
End: Sun 3/31/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Miscellaneous, Blue Category, Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: FIU event

Start: Thu 3/14/2019 6:00 PM
End: Thu 3/14/2019 8:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Blue Category, Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: to TLH

Start: Mon 3/4/2019 12:00 AM
End: Tue 3/5/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: VB

Start: Sun 3/10/2019 12:00 AM
End: Sun 3/10/2019 11:00 PM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: VB
Location: Tampa

Start: Sun 3/3/2019 12:00 AM
End: Mon 3/4/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Miscellaneous, Blue Category, Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: VB
Location: Tampa

Start: Sat 3/2/2019 12:00 AM
End: Sun 3/3/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Miscellaneous, Blue Category, Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Women of Distinction Event

Start: Wed 3/20/2019 12:00 AM

End: Thu 3/21/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Pending

Jett Conn

Subject: Daylight Savings Time ends

Start: Sun 11/3/2019 12:00 AM

End: Mon 11/4/2019 1:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: Father's Day

Start: Sun 6/16/2019 12:00 AM
End: Mon 6/17/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Mother's Day

Start: Sun 5/12/2019 12:00 AM

End: Mon 5/13/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Administrative Professionals Day

Start: Wed 4/24/2019 12:00 AM

End: Thu 4/25/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Easter

Start: Sun 4/21/2019 12:00 AM

End: Mon 4/22/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Palm Sunday

Start: Sun 4/14/2019 12:00 AM

End: Mon 4/15/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Election Day

Start: Tue 11/5/2019 12:00 AM
End: Wed 11/6/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: Release of bar grades

Start: Mon 9/16/2019 12:00 AM

End: Tue 9/17/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference of County Court Judges

Start: Mon 7/8/2019 12:00 AM

End: Thu 7/11/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Purple Category

Jett Conn

Subject: New Years - Court closed

Start: Wed 1/1/2020 12:00 AM

End: Thu 1/2/2020 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Christmas-Court closed

Start: Wed 12/25/2019 12:00 AM
End: Thu 12/26/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Rosh Hashanah-Court Closed

Start: Mon 9/30/2019 12:00 AM

End: Tue 10/1/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Court Closed

Start: Thu 7/4/2019 12:00 AM
End: Sat 7/6/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Oral Arguments

Start: Tue 12/3/2019 12:00 AM
End: Thu 12/5/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference**

Start: Wed 12/18/2019 12:00 AM
End: Thu 12/19/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: Thanksgiving-Court Closed

Start: Thu 11/28/2019 12:00 AM

End: Sat 11/30/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Veteran's Day-Court Closed

Start: Mon 11/11/2019 12:00 AM

End: Tue 11/12/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Oral Arguments

Start: Wed 11/6/2019 12:00 AM
End: Fri 11/8/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference**

Start: Wed 11/20/2019 12:00 AM
End: Thu 11/21/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference

Start: Wed 10/23/2019 12:00 AM
End: Thu 10/24/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference**

Start: Wed 10/16/2019 12:00 AM
End: Thu 10/17/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Red Category

Jett Conn

Subject: Labor Day-Court Closed

Start: Mon 9/2/2019 12:00 AM

End: Tue 9/3/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Yom Kippur-Court Closed

Start: Wed 10/9/2019 12:00 AM

End: Thu 10/10/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Holiday, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: New Attorney Induction Ceremony

Start: Wed 10/2/2019 2:30 PM

End: Wed 10/2/2019 3:30 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: Oral Arguments

Start: Wed 10/2/2019 12:00 AM
End: Fri 10/4/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference**

Start: Wed 9/18/2019 12:00 AM
End: Thu 9/19/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference
Location: **Thursday

Start: Thu 8/15/2019 12:00 AM
End: Fri 8/16/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: Oral Arguments

Start: Tue 8/27/2019 12:00 AM
End: Sat 8/31/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Red Category, Important

From: Justice Charles T. Canady
Sent: Thursday, May 9, 2019 4:34 PM
To: SC-JUSTICES [REDACTED]
Cc: JAs [REDACTED]; John Tomasino [REDACTED]
Subject: August/September OA

As I had feared, we have a mountain of work coming at us after our summer hiatus. We have 20 cases that are either now matured or will soon be matured and will thus be ready for oral argument when we return to regular business in August. Hearing all of these cases during the scheduled oral argument week would be pretty overwhelming. Based on some informal discussions, I want to pursue an alternative plan that will spread out the work to some extent. Credit goes to Justice Polston for suggesting this alternative approach.

Here it is.

During the scheduled oral argument week at the end of August, we will hear cases Tuesday through Friday, with three cases being set each day. We will then have oral argument specially set for Monday through Wednesday, September 16, 17, and 18 — with three cases heard on both Monday and Tuesday, and two cases on Wednesday. Since that Wednesday is a conference day, I will plan to have lunch brought in for us.

If hearing the cases on September 16 and 17 presents an irresolvable conflict for anyone, please let me know by **noon next Monday, May 13**.

Jett Conn

Subject: Induction Ceremony
Location: at 1st DCA (Just FYI ONLY)

Start: Mon 5/6/2019 12:00 AM
End: Tue 5/7/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Green Category, Appointment

Jett Conn

Subject: Memorial Day-Court closed

Start: Mon 5/27/2019 12:00 AM

End: Tue 5/28/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: Legislature Convenes
Location: Senate

Start: Tue 3/5/2019 9:30 AM
End: Tue 3/5/2019 10:00 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Jett Conn

Subject: GOOD FRIDAY-Court Closed

Start: Fri 4/19/2019 12:00 AM

End: Sat 4/20/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Holiday

Jett Conn

Subject: (12pm) Call Re: Topics and Format
Location: for opening plenary session, "A Conversation with the Supreme Court Justice & Chief Judges" panel at the March 1st Spellman-Hoeveler Inns of Court's upcoming Bench & Bar Conference

Start: Tue 2/19/2019 12:00 PM
End: Tue 2/19/2019 1:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Accepted

Organizer: Stephen N. Zack

[Tel:1-888-453-4405](tel:1-888-453-4405); Participant Pass Code 280116
(International Dial-in, if needed, is [Tel:1-719-867-4927](tel:1-719-867-4927))

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Jett Conn

Subject: Spellman-Hoeveler Inns of Court Panelist
Location: Hyatt Regency Miami

Start: Fri 3/1/2019 11:00 AM
End: Fri 3/1/2019 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Blue Category, Travel

400 SE 2nd Avenue, 33131

Jett Conn

Subject: Dinner with Michelle Suskauer
Location: Governors Club

Start: Wed 1/23/2019 7:00 PM
End: Wed 1/23/2019 8:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Accepted

Organizer: Judge Robert J. Luck

Jett Conn

Subject: Women Making History Scholarship

Location: TBD

Start: Wed 3/13/2019 6:00 PM

End: Wed 3/13/2019 9:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Blue Category, Travel

Miami-Dade FAWL

Jett Conn

Subject: Florida Bar Annual Convention
Location: Boca Raton Resort & Club - Conf. #3504731353 & 3503949769

Start: Wed 6/26/2019 12:00 AM
End: Sun 6/30/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Travel

501 East Camino Real
Boca Raton, Florida 33432
General Inquiries: (561) 447-3000

Jett Conn

Subject: Joint Summit w/Fla. Bar
Location: Boca Raton Resort & Club Conf. #3504731353 and 3503949769

Start: Mon 6/24/2019 12:00 AM
End: Wed 6/26/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Travel

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference**

Start: Wed 6/19/2019 9:00 AM
End: Wed 6/19/2019 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference CANCELLED Per Chief's 6/6 email

Start: Wed 6/12/2019 9:00 AM

End: Wed 6/12/2019 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Important

Jett Conn

Subject: FBBE Policy Retreat
Location: Seagate Hotel & Spa - Delray Beach - Conf. #6235835 & 6225547

Start: Thu 6/6/2019 12:00 AM
End: Mon 6/10/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Travel

The Seagate Hotel & Spa
1000 East Atlantic Avenue, Delray Beach, FL 33483 |

Tara Newman, Director of Administration
(229) 403.1200

Jett Conn

Subject: Oral Arguments

Start: Wed 6/5/2019 12:00 AM
End: Thu 6/6/2019 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference**

Start: Wed 5/22/2019 9:00 AM
End: Wed 5/22/2019 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference via PHONE
Location: (888) 585-9008 - Code: 934 587 856#

Start: Wed 5/15/2019 9:00 AM
End: Wed 5/15/2019 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Brenda Williams

Categories: Yellow Category, Important

From: Justice Charles T. Canady
Sent: Wednesday, May 8, 2019 3:13 PM
To: SC-JUSTICES [REDACTED]
Cc: JAs [REDACTED]; John Tomasino [REDACTED]
Subject: May 15 Court Conference

Next Wednesday we will have a brief telephone conference to address a couple of minor matters and to provide an opportunity to discuss the status of the pending death warrant proceedings. I do not expect that the conference will take more than 30 to 45 minutes.

Jett Conn

Subject: Oral Arguments

Start: Wed 5/8/2019 9:00 AM
End: Wed 5/8/2019 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara J. Pariente

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference**

Start: Wed 4/24/2019 9:00 AM
End: Wed 4/24/2019 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara J. Pariente

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference VIA PHONE
Location: (888) 585-9008 - Code: 934 587 856#

Start: Wed 4/10/2019 9:00 AM
End: Wed 4/10/2019 12:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara J. Pariente

Categories: Red Category

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From: Justice Charles T. Canady
Sent: Monday, April 1, 2019 4:18 PM
To: SC-JUSTICES [REDACTED]
Cc: JAs [REDACTED]
Subject: [REDACTED]

In order to get this case—which has implications for a number of other pending cases—resolved expeditiously, we will take the matter up via telephone conference at the time set aside for conference next week. That is, 9AM on Wed., April 10.

Jett Conn

Subject: New Appellate Judges Dinner
Location: Harry's

Start: Tue 4/2/2019 7:00 PM
End: Tue 4/2/2019 8:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara J. Pariente

Jett Conn

Subject: New Appellate Judges Lunch
Location: JMR

Start: Tue 4/2/2019 12:00 PM
End: Tue 4/2/2019 1:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara J. Pariente

Jett Conn

Subject: Oral Arguments

Start: Wed 4/3/2019 12:00 AM

End: Thu 4/4/2019 12:00 AM

Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: Justice Barbara J. Pariente

Categories: Red Category, Important

Jett Conn

Subject: Conference**

Start: Wed 3/20/2019 9:00 AM
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From: [Justice Barbara Lagoa](#)
To: [Dean Reuter](#)
Subject: Re: Congrats!
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Thank you so much but we still have a lot of work to do to get to the finish line.

Hope to see you soon.

All the best,

Barbara

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> On Sep 13, 2019, at 8:23 AM, Dean Reuter <dean.reuter@fed-soc.org> wrote:

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