

ISB Family Law Section – Meeting and CLE

September 8, 2023 | 12:00 p.m. MST | Hosted by: ISB—videoconference and in person.

Attendance: Matt Nighngale, Stacy Mahar, Kendra Ankrum, Steve Minert, Reginald Homquist, Brenda Quick, April Wieland, Erin Fuller, Broan Donesly, Michael Johnson, Ashley Cash, Ashley Marelius, Thalia Radley, Robert Vail, Malissa Neilson, Eric Baldwin, Tyrie Strong, Nancy Hurd, A. Denise Penton, Kathleen Forrest, Brad Willis, Shelly Akamatsu, Larry Dunn, Katelynn Mitchell, Johannes Klaus, Tyler Rounds, Rachael Nigro, Jennider Schindele

Presenters in Attendance: Judge K. Michaelson, Judge T. Tollefson, Mary Hoffman, Kira Burgess Elmer

1. New Business:
 - a. Review of August 2023 Meeting Minutes – Tabled.
 - b. Financials – Tabled.
2. Old Business:
 - a. Nothing to report.
3. Committee Reports / Appointments:
 - a. Seat 1--National Conferences:
 - i. Chair: Jennifer Schindele
 - ii. Members: Kaitlyn Mitchell.
 1. Updates: A list of upcoming conferences from Sept. 2023 through most of 2024 was posted. For additional information, contact Jennifer Schindele.
 - b. Seat 2: Annual October CLE:
 - i. Chair (2023): Jennifer Schindele
 - ii. Chair (2024): Lisa Rodriguez
 - iii. Members: Tyler Rounds, Melanie Bailie, Francis Stern, Elizabeth Bowen.
 1. Updates: The Family Law Congerence is October 27-28 at the Shore Lodge in McCall, Idaho. Registration to open week of Sept. 11, 2023. There is room block at the Shore Lodge; initially there was an issue with booking blocked rooms. Jennifer contacted Shore Lodge, who informed Jennifer the issue was on their end. Issue should be fixed. No code needed to book a blocked room.
 - c. Seat 3: Other CLEs:
 - i. Chair: Kaitylin Mitchell
 - ii. Members: Alejandro Basulto Merito
 1. Updates: Next CLE will be in January 2024—Bar counsel will present on tying up loose ends when leaving a firm.
 - d. Seat 4: Legislative Committee:

- i. Chair: Mackenzie Whatcott
 - ii. Members: Melanie Bailie, Elizabeth Bowen, Rachael Nigro
 - 1. Updates: No report at this time.
 - e. Seat 5: Publications Committee:
 - i. Chair: Fred Zundel
 - ii. Members: Mackenzie Whatcott
 - 1. Updates: ISB Family Law Section is co-sponsoring an article for the Advocate w/ Child Protection (Nov. / Dec. 2023 issue). The articles were sent into the Advocate a few days prior to the meeting.
 - f. Seat 6: Technology Committee:
 - i. Chair: Jake Welsh
 - ii. Members: Tyler Rounds:
 - 1. Updates: No report at this time.
 - g. Seat 7: Membership Committee:
 - i. Chair: Melanie Baillie
 - ii. Members: Lisa Rodriguez, Doug Levitt
 - 1. Updates: No report at this time.
 - h. Seat 8: Special Awards and Projects Committee:
 - i. Chair: Frances Stern
 - ii. Members: Melanie Baillie
 - 1. Updates: An email was sent regarding nominations for an Award of Distinction. The award will be presented at reception during the October Conference.
4. Announcements
- a. No additional announcements at this time.
5. 1.5-hour CLE: Judge Kerry Michaelson, Judge Theodore Tollefson, Kira Burgess Elmer, and Mary Hoffman presented on a panel about parenting time evaluations.

Next Meeting: October 13, 2023 at 12:00 pm MST.