

# Program Agenda

- 8:00 a.m.**                    **Registration / Continental Breakfast**
- 8:15 a.m.**                    **Opening Remarks**  
   Honorable G. Richard Bevan
- 8:30 a.m.**                    **The Art & Science of Persuasion: Writing for Your Reader**  
   Professor Sarah Schrup, Northwestern University School of Law
- 9:45 a.m.**                    **Break**
- 10:00 a.m.**                  **Case Law Update**  
   Brian Kane, Office of the Attorney General
- 11:00 a.m.**                  **Break**
- 11:15 a.m.**                  **Panel Presentation: State & Federal Pro Bono Appellate Opportunities**  
   Professor Maureen Laflin, University of Idaho College of Law  
   W. Christopher Pooser, Stoel Rives, LLP  
   Susan Gelmis, Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals
- 12:00 p.m.**                  **Networking Lunch**
- 1:00 p.m.**                    **Nuts & Bolts of Appellate Practice in the Ninth Circuit**  
   Ninth Circuit Staff
- 2:45 p.m.**                    **Break**
- 3:00 p.m.**                    **Transferring Your District Court Skills to the Appellate Court**  
   Honorable N. Randy Smith, Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals  
   Mark Ackley, Federal Defender Services of Idaho, Inc.  
   James Schaefer, U.S. Attorney's Office  
   Kate Holey, U.S. Attorney's Office
- 4:30 p.m.**                    **Closing Remarks**  
   Honorable N. Randy Smith, Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals
- 5:15 p.m.**                    **Ninth Circuit Reception at the Idaho Law & Justice Learning Center-Special Appearance by:**  
   Honorable N. Randy Smith, Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals