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Bencher Highlights

KRIS DANGERFIELD, CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER



The benchers' last meeting before summer took place on June 22, 2017. We actually started the day much earlier when the benchers participated in a Blanket Exercise Workshop, presented by Kairos Canada, in which we attempted to learn about 500 years of history of Indigenous people in Manitoba in about an hour and a half. It was quite a remarkable and moving experience and if you ever have the opportunity to attend such an event you should definitely do so.

As always in June, the Annual General Meeting took place immediately before the bencher meeting. At the AGM, the benchers typically approve the audited financial statements, the Annual Report is received and the auditors (Deloitte LLP) are appointed. This year was no different.

We had some special guests from the Law Society of Saskatchewan participating in the day's events. Vice President Craig Zawada Q.C. and Executive Director Tim Brown Q.C. both attended and were appointed Honourary Members of the Law Society of Manitoba. Every year at the June meeting we give out prizes to the third year law students from the University of Manitoba who received the top marks. This year Sharna Nelko won the Margaret Hypatia Crawford Award for the highest standing in third year law. Rob Walichnowski won the prize for the second highest standing in third year law and Agapi Mavridis won the third prize. Steve Falkingham won the prize for fourth highest standing in third year law. All were able to attend except for the third prize winner.

As you will see elsewhere in the Communiqué, Brenlee Carrington Trepel has decided to leave her position as Equity Ombudsperson with the Law Society after 16 years. Brenlee was in many ways a trailblazer and led a number of important equity initiatives here at the Law Society. The benchers were advised that Brenlee's departure would be effective July 31, 2017 and that over the summer we will assess how we will continue to provide those services to the profession.

Bencher Highlights

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The benchers passed a number of rules. The first set consisted of new rules that will provide the Competence and Education Department with more flexibility and authority to deal with students who engage in academic dishonesty. A second set of rules will permit the electronic transfer of funds to the Property Registry when the eRegistration system is implemented in December 2017. All of these rules will be translated and go back to the benchers for final approval in September.

The benchers also approved a policy that outlines the appointment process for the Federation of Law Societies' Council member for Manitoba. The policy sets out the role of the Council member and the criteria to be considered by the benchers when making such an appointment. Terms are three years and are renewable. David Swayze is currently the Council member for Manitoba and he will have completed his first term in October 2017.

The benchers then spent some time on strategic planning to further crystallize the work that they did in April when they engaged in a 2 day strategic planning session. The benchers landed generally on four broad themes around supporting competence; fostering access to justice; equity, diversity and inclusion; and enhancing stakeholder confidence. The benchers will spend more time clarifying these strategic objectives later this fall.

At the end of a very long day the benchers then headed off to the annual President's Reception to celebrate our new President and thank the volunteers who contribute so much time every year to the Law Society by sitting on committees and delivering educational programming on your behalf.

Jim McLandress presenting Craig Zawada, Q.C. with an honorary member certificate.

Jim McLandress with Tim Brown, Q.C.

Congratulations to Sharna Nelko, winner of the Margaret Hypatia Crawford Award for the hightest standing in third year law.



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Congratulations to Rob Walichnowski, second highest standing in third year law.









Fraud Alert - Summer Holidays

Tana Christianson, Director of Insurance



Summer holidays can make lawyers easy picking for fraudsters. Manitoba lawyers, eager to take advantage of our brief but glorious summers, head off to the beaches and golf courses. But while the lawyers are at play, the fraudsters are diligently working away. An industrious fraudster can easily scope out a law firm's website and figure out which lawyers might have the authority to direct transfers of funds and which administrative staff people might have the authority to act on that direction. The fraudster sends an email to the administrative staff person directing that certain monies be wired to the destination of the fraudster's choosing. The email appears to come from the vacationing lawyer.

It's important to emphasize to everyone in your firm, lawyer and staff alike, that any direction to wire money or otherwise transfer funds out of a trust or general account or any new instructions changing previous payment instructions should be through direct, in person, contact. Do not accept instructions to transfer funds out of trust by email. Instructions should be confirmed face to face, or if the lawyer is out of the office, they should be confirmed by a telephone call, human to human.

Phony wire instructions received by email are like mosquitoes: they come back every summer. LawPro's <u>Avoid a Claim</u> blog reports a recent rash of multiple attempts to convince law firm staff to transfer funds out of the law firm account based on an email from a lawyer who is out of the office on vacation Avoid a Claim suggests the lawyer's email address will not be the firm address – the real address will be hidden behind the name that is displayed. In other cases, the lawyer's email address displayed will be slightly different from the lawyer's actual email address, but close enough to fool the eye. In a

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case that we saw in Manitoba, the lawyer's actual email account had been hacked. In all these cases, hitting "reply" sends your response back to the fraudster who then has another opportunity to entice you into their scam. So remember to warn your staff to be extremely suspicious of any email requests to transfer funds and to take steps beyond email to verify any transfer of funds.



Have a great summer! Wear sunscreen and don't let the mosquitos or fraudsters bite you!

	Some Moments in Time			
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	1877			
	<u>1877</u> <u>2017</u>			
	Celebrating 140 Years of Protecting the Public			
	of Protecting the Public			
1980	The new position of Chief Executive Officer of the Law Society is created and Graeme Garson is appointed to fill the position.			
1980	Norm Larsen succeeds Trevor Anderson as Director of Education. Brian Pauls continues as Associate Director.			
1982	Due to rising costs the Law Society ceases the purchase of books for all libraries except the Great Library, Brandon and Dauphin libraries.			
1984	The Law Society hires its first In-House Counsel, Eleanor Dawson.			
1985	The Law Society purchases 219 Kennedy Street and relocates its operations.			
1985	The Law Society for the first time administers the oaths at the Call to the Bar ceremony in both English and French.			
1987	The Law Society Act is amended to create a law foundation to collect, manage and distribute funds received from financial institutions representing interest on lawyers' trust accounts.			
1988	Deborah McCawley is appointed the first female Chief Executive Officer of the Law Society.			
1988	The new Court Complex at Broadway and Kennedy opens on January 21, 1988.			
1988	LDRC is established to implement systems for lawyers to access certain provincial databases.			

A Snapshot in Time

The Law Society Building at 219 Kennedy is officially opened in 1986. Watching Lieutenant Governor Pearl McGonigal cut the ribbon are LSM President Bill Olson and Chief Executive Officer Graeme Garson. Pictured in the back are the Attorney General and Minister of Justice Roland Penner, President of the Manitoba Bar Association Cheryl Hall and the Dean of the Law School and Faculty Bencher, Trevor Anderson.







Reporting a Cybercrime Claim

Tana Christianson, Director of Insurance



All insured Manitoba lawyers now have mandatory cybercrime coverage, effective July 1, 2017. This new coverage protects clients and lawyers when law firm computer systems are hit with ransomware and similar cyberattacks or when a cyberattack results in privacy breaches and inappropriate disclosure of client information. More information about this program and a copy of the Cyber Liability Insurance Policy are now on the <u>Member's Portal</u> under Insurance.

So, if you come into the office one morning and find that your computer is being held hostage by ransomware or if you experience any other cybercrime event, here's what you should do:

- 1. email a description of the circumstances to cyberclaims@clia.ca
- 2. call 1-833-383-1488 (toll free)

Your emails and calls will be responded to by a cyber responder at Ironshore, retained to provide service on CLIA's behalf. Email is the best way to ensure prompt and appropriate resources are deployed for the situation. Even if you call the 1-800 number first, you will be asked to email so you can be assigned to the appropriate cyber responder.

You can also contact the Professional Liability Claims Fund staff of the Law Society of Manitoba for more information about this program or to reminisce about how practice was much simpler before the internet.

Contact information to report a cybercrime event and trigger coverage:

- 1. email cybercrimes@clia.ca
- 2. call 1-833-383-1488 (toll free)

Contact Information for Professional Liability Claims Fund Staff:

Tana Christianson	926-2011	email:	tchristianson@lawsociety.mb.ca
Jim Cox	926-2024	email:	<u>jcox@lawsociety.mb.ca</u>
Kate Craton	926-2012	email:	<u>kcraton@lawsociety.mb.ca</u>



President's Reception

On June 22, 2017, the Law Society held a reception at the Fort Garry Hotel to honour our new President, Jim McLandress, and to thank the many volunteers who donate so much time to make the Law Society tick.





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2017 Important Dates to Note



August 25

Annual Trust Account Report (Self-Report) for members with June 2017 year end FILING DEADLINE

> September 11 to 15 CPLED classes

September 8 and 9

Western Bar Annual CPD and Meeting

October 2

2017/2018 Practising Fee and Contributions (2nd Instalment) PAYMENT DUE

October 2

2017/18 Practising Fee and Contributions (2nd Instalment) for members called to the Bar on June 15, 2017 PAYMENT DUE

October 31

Annual Trust Account Report with Accountant's Review (Form D) for members with June 2017 year end FILING DEADLINE **November 2** 140th Anniversary Gala Dinner

> **November 3** 2017 Pitblado Lectures

November 27 to December 1 CPLED classes

December 1

2017/18 Prof. Liability Claims Fund Contribution (2nd Instalment) PAYMENT DUE

December 1

2017/18 Practising Fee and Contributions (3rd Instalment) for members called to the Bar on June 15, 2017 PAYMENT DUE

Dates for 2017-2018 CPLED Course Year

Joan Holmstrom, Director of Education



The CPLED course for 2017-2018 will start on Monday, September 11, 2017 with the first of three inperson instruction weeks for the year. The other in-person instruction weeks are scheduled for the weeks of November 27, 2017 and January 29, 2018. The remaining weeks between September 11, 2017 and March 20, 2018 will involve completing work through the online CPLED platform. There will be a winter break between December 12, 2017 and January 2, 2018. The Call to the Bar is scheduled for June 14, 2018.

2017:

September 11 to 15, 2017 – In person – Interviewing and Advising

September 19 to October 10, 2017 - Online - Legal Research and Writing

October 10 to October 31, 2017 – Online – Written Advice and Advocacy

October 31 to November 21, 2017 - Online - Drafting Pleadings

November 27 to December 1, 2017 – In person – Oral Advocacy

December 5 to December 12, 2017 – Online - Ethics and Professionalism

2018:

January 2 to January 23, 2018 – Online - Drafting Contracts

January 29 to February 2, 2018 – In Person – Negotiations

February 6 to February 27, 2018 – Online – Practice Management

February 27 to March 20, 2018 - Online - Client Relationship Management

April 2018 - Supplemental Evaluation period

June 14, 2018 – Call to the Bar

Back to Basics - Who is My Client?

Darcia Senft, General Counsel, Director of Policy and Ethics



We often receive phone calls at the Law Society from lawyers who aren't sure if they can act or continue to act on a particular matter due to a conflict of interest issue. Sometimes, the fact situations are straightforward and the lawyer has a "gut feeling" that there could a problem taking on a certain retainer. So, the lawyer calls the Society and as we walk through the fact situation together, it is often easy to confirm the existence of a conflict or a red flag.

At other times the facts can be incredibly complicated, with the involvement of multiple parties, different retainers that may be considered to be "related" matters, and often some "long-standing" clients of a firm. In those cases, we find it best to unravel the bundle of facts and get back to the basics. We ask the lawyer to stop to consider the essential first question: Who is my client? In the midst of describing a complex fact scenario, it is best to go back to first principles and consider to whom the duty of loyalty is owed.

So, for example, if you or your firm has acted for a corporation, you would typically receive instructions from an officer or director. That director may have a controlling interest in the corporation, but, you must remember that you are acting for the corporation and not the individual director. What if that director subsequently asks you to set up an agreement with one of the shareholders in relation to another venture and then they have a falling out relating to that new venture? What if that soured deal has affected how the director and the shareholder are dealing with each other in relation to the corporation's business? Might the shareholder believe that you were acting as his lawyer when you met with him and the director about the new venture? Did you accept a joint retainer to act for both of them regarding the new venture and, if so, should you have? Or should it have been apparent that a conflict would likely arise such that the parties should have had separate counsel?

It is essential, before agreeing to take on any retainer, to consider the parties and their various interests along with what their expectations might be – especially if the client has been a client of the firm for many years. Be clear, from the outset precisely who you are advising so that there is no room for misunderstandings (and potential complaints or claims).

It is good to remember that all of the conflicts rules set out in the *Code of Professional Conduct* are based, ultimately, on the duty of loyalty which exists because of the fiduciary relationship between lawyers and their clients. At the outset of any retainer, make sure you identify to whom your loyalties lie and ensure that the players all understand who are the clients and who must receive independent legal advice or representation.

RICHARD J. SCOTT AWARD



Call for Nominations

The Richard J. Scott Award is presented annually by the Law Society of Manitoba to an individual who advances the rule of law through advocacy, litigation, teaching, research or writing. Activities that support an independent judiciary, an independent legal profession, access to legal services, access to justice, and public interest advocacy are all eligible.

The award honours former Chief Justice Richard Scott, who served as Manitoba's Chief Justice for over 20 years and is a Past President of the Law Society of Manitoba. The award is presented in conjunction with the annual Pitblado Lectures in November of each year. The Honourable Mr. Scott will serve as Chair of the Selection Committee.

> The deadline for nominations is September 1, 2017. Nominations can be sent to:

> > Chief Executive Officer The Law Society of Manitoba 219 Kennedy Street Winnipeg, MB R3C 1S8 or by e-mail to Pat Bourbonnais at pbourbonnais@lawsociety.mb.ca.

Nominations should be accompanied by the nominee's c.v. and an explanation as to why the nominee deserves this award.

For more information, contact Kris Dangerfield at 204-926-2013 or by e-mail at <u>kdangerfield@lawsociety.mb.ca</u>.

REMINDER: COURT HOUSE LOCKERS



In May, notices were posted on the doors of those lockers for which our records suggest there is no registered and paying member. At the end of June, any items remaining in such lockers were to be removed and stored at the Law Society until the end of summer, at which point we will dispose of them.

If you have any items stored in a locker at the Court House, please attend at the Court House as soon as possible to see if a locker that you thought was yours is not in fact paid for according to our records. If your belongings have been removed from what you believed to be your locker, please contact Shari at the Law Society at 204-942-5571 to arrange for retrieval of your belongings and to secure a new locker if you require one.

In Memoriam

Anthony Peter Pittarelli, who passed away on March 10, 2017 at the age of 87. Mr. Pittarelli received his call to the Bar on November 21, 1963. He practised law for 11 years with Christie DeGraves MacKay & Settle and Walsh Micay & Company. From 1973 to 2002, Mr. Pittarelli practised as a sole practitioner. He then retired from practice but continued to maintain non-practising status with the Law Society until the date of his death.

Aaron Leland Berg, who passed away on June 1, 2017 at the age of 69. Mr. Berg received his call to the Bar on June 30, 1977. He initially practised as an associate with Tupper & Adams and then as a partner in the firm Bass & Berg for five years. Mr. Berg joined the Legal Services Branch of Manitoba Justice in 1985, where he served as General Counsel for 31 years. Mr. Berg returned to private practice for an additional four months and then formally withdrew from practice in February of 2017.

Farewell



After nearly 16 years, Brenlee Carrington Trepel has decided to step away from her role as the Law Society of Manitoba's first and only Equity Ombudsperson. She was appointed to the position in 2001 and built the program from the ground up, initiating many new, leading-edge programs ranging from the first in Canada Law Society Parental Leave Support Program to the Justicia Project in Manitoba. She played a role in the development of other important and ongoing initiatives including the Law Society Professional Boundaries Program, the Lawyers Daycare Initiative and the development of model equity policies.

Many of you will attest to the very positive impact that Brenlee has had on your careers. She made presentations to Manitoba law firms and consulted with both lawyers and firms on respectful workplace concerns. She generously shared her expertise with others through her participation in national conferences presented by the Canadian Bar Association, the Federation of Law Societies and the Law Societies Equity Network, of which she was one of the founding members. She frequently spoke on equity and diversity issues at Robson Hall and the University of Winnipeg. At the Law Society she was a regular speaker at the beginning of each new CPLED year and also at the highly popular continuing professional development program on workplace human rights which she created and co-chaired.

During her tenure with the Law Society, Brenlee was honoured by the Manitoba Bar Association with both its Equality Award and its Community Involvement Award. She also received an honourable mention by LEAF National as one of 25 women lawyers from across Canada who have made a positive difference through the law, through mentorship, their legal practice or the advancement of women's equality.

The Law Society of Manitoba thanks Brenlee for her exemplary service and wishes her all the best as she continues her practice as a lawyer and mediator.

Congratulations to the following new members who were Called to the Bar of Manitoba in the Mass Call on June 15, 2017:



Alison Emily Aho Joshua Bevan Andrew Anstett Kyle Edmond Arnal Jonathan William Avey Patricia Grace Benham Scott Edwin William Birse Daniel Nathan Booy Mason Kyle Johnston Broadfoot Sherry Dawn Brown Alexa Nicole Cantor Alex Tse Hou Chai Sari Lauren Daien Jessica Michelle Davenport Erika Jewel Brown Day Trinda Emily de Monye Ermina Delalic Travis Conrad DeLaronde Tyler James Derksen Michael John Gordon Dunn Marcella Marie Dyck. Mitchell Grayson Enright Sarah Jocelyn Fast Nora Christianson Fien Colin Ben Findlay Michael Marc Gallagher Paul Duncan Geisler Ryan Justin Gill

Adam Donald Gingera Colin Patrick Gray Susan Georgina Bond Haas Kara Raeleen Hague Sharyne Maire Hamm Andrew David Hnatiuk Colton Michael Hnatiuk Alexandra Janet Hyde **Breanne** Christine James Paul Richard Kathler Jonathan Michael Katz Nihar Kaushal Patrick Michael Keating Tariq Wasey Khan Julian Kim Aaron Akira Hamawaki Kurts Amy Jessica MacAngus Caitlin Peggy Jean MacDonald Michael Ian Merner Laura Risa Minuk Genevieve Eliuk Mushaluk Jodi Angela Myskiw Sacha Miranda Nelson Kristen Kelly Olson Karl Lee Peters Nicole Christine Philp Colburne Spencer Poapst

Ethan Jared Pollock Aminah Rafique Surinder Mohan Rana Taymour Raza Tamara Dawn Reimer Brian Edward Roach Daniel Campbell Robillard Julia Kathryne Elaine Ryckman Tristan Peter Sandulak Kevin Daniel Schur Crystal Cheri Schwartz Jenna Renae Seavers Keith Anthony Senden Deborah Sul-kį Son Megan Elizabeth Spencer Paul Vincent Tascona Shelby Rae Tyler Thomas Samuel Robert Rachlis Thomson Cory Anthony Micheal Tokar Jonathan Jordan Velasco Manjeet Kaur Warval Devin Scott Batista Wehrle Courtney Riva Weinstein Haley Shael Charlotte Welicko Jared Matthew Wheeler Stefania Christine Whidden JiHyun Youn

2017 Call to the Bar June 15, 2017

Centennial Concert Hall



Law Society President, Jim McLandress, addresses the graduates



Bradley Regher, President of the Manitoba Bar Association, addresses the graduates



Presentiation of the diplomas





Hon. Madam Justice Lori Spivak presents the A. Montague Israels, Q.C. Prize to Julia Rykman



Signing of the roll books



Research Study

Researchers at the University of Manitoba are conducting a study focusing on understanding the working relationships of lawyers at all professional levels (partners, associates and articling students). The aim is to pinpoint both productive co-worker behaviors, and to understand how these behaviors impact work experiences and work performance. The goal of this study is to help firms develop the awareness and capability to retain high potential employees. Research has demonstrated that it is often the high potential employees that become involved in counter-productive relational dynamics with their managers and co-workers, which often then contributes to turnover (and wasted potential). Often, dysfunctional relational dynamics between co-workers starts in a benign fashion, through behaviors that were not intended to offend. Therefore, by identifying and examining the inadvertent counterproductive behaviors in the workplace that start negative interpersonal cycles, and also uncovering the positive behaviors that stop and redirect these negative cycles, the research will help firms to retain high potential employees.

As a participant of this study, you will be asked to partake in a one-time interview about your work experiences. All interviews will be completely confidential and the research team will take steps to ensure that no identifying information is ever released. In return, after completing the study, the researchers will provide you with an executive summary of the collective findings (absolutely no identifying information will be in the report). In addition, participants will be entered in a chance to win a mini-ipad.

If you are interested in participating in the study, please contact Katherine Davis at 204-479-8845 or <u>umdavi54@myumanitoba.ca</u>.



Membership Changes

The following members have changed their membership status effective on the date shown:

Practising to Non-Practising:

Rajveer K. Grewal
Adam L. Mason
Sladen H. Adleman
Jacqueline L. Halliburn
Cary K. Jackson
Barbara L. Yapps
Randall J. Janis
Melissa N. Burkett
Larissa L. L. Benham

Inactive to Practising:

June 29, 2017

Alissa R. Schacter

Non-Practising to Practising:

June 9, 2017 June 19, 2017 June 21, 2017 June 26, 2017 July 1, 2017 Marcelle Marion Monica U. Durand Andrew M. MacIsaac Elizabeth D. Atkin Keeley A. Phillips

Practising to Inactive:

June 30, 2017 July 1, 2017 July 12, 2017 Tracy M. Lloyd John T. Wiens Radbert H. Pe

New Admissions:

June 13, 2017 Shawn E. Arksey Anique E.M. Badiou Devon J. McIntyre Abiodun O. Obafemi Courtney A. Plouffe Renee J.M. St-Goddard Carter G. Van Alstyne Update your membership information by using the Member Forms located in the "Forms" section on the Society's website: <u>http://www.lawsociety.mb.ca/forms/</u> members-forms

NOTICE OF BENCHERS' MEETING

The next regular meeting of the Benchers of the Law Society of Manitoba will be held on **Friday, September 8, 2017** at **1:00 p.m.**, at Elkhorn Resort in Clear Lake, Manitoba.

Members of the Society are encouraged to attend and participate in the deliberations of the governing body.

The dates of future Benchers' meetings scheduled for 2017 and 2018 are as follows:

- Thursday, October 26, 2017
- Thursday, December 14, 2017
- Thursday, February 15, 2018
- Thursday, April 19, 2018
- Thursday, May 24, 2018
- Thursday, June 28, 2018

Discipline Case Digest

You will find these new postings under the <u>Lawyer Regulation/Discipline Case Digests</u> section of the Law Society Website:

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CPD Calendar of Events 2017

Upcoming Programs

September 8	9:00 am to 12 noon
Western Bar CPD	
Slaying the Demon for Improved Healtl	s of Anxiety and Stress h and Wealth
October 14	9:00 am to 4:00 pm
Criminal Defence A Khelawon Applicat	dvocacy Skills Workshop: ions
October 18	12 noon to 1:00 pm
New Requirements Suspension Appea	
October 31	12 noon to 1:30 pm
For the Sake of the	Childrenfor Lawyers
November 3	9:00 am to 4:45 pm
~ NEW Pitblado	One Day Only Format ~
2017 Isaac P	itblado Lectures
	n – Now What? Lawyering is Here
November 8	12 noon to 1:30 pm
Utmost Good Faith	: Yesterday and Today
November 15	12 noon to 1:30 pm
Costs In Estate Liti Changes And Trend	•
November 24	9:00 am to 4:15 pm

The 3rd Annual Child Protection CPD

Multi-session Programs

A variety of dates & locations offered for these program available in both Winnipeg & Brandon!

Hot Topics in Wills and Estates

Winnipeg

September 26

Brandon

October 4

1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

9:00 am to 12 noon

Land Titles eRegistration & Electronic Funds Transfer

12 noon to 4:00 pm
12 noon to 4:00 pm
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12 noon to 4:00 pm

Save the Date!

March 9 2018 Annual Joint Family Law Program

Law Society of Manitoba

NEW for 2017 ~ One Day Only

2017 PITBLADO LECTURES 140th Anniversary of the Law Society of Manitoba

#140Down – Now What? The Future of Lawyering is Here

Friday, November 3 Grand Ballroom, Fort Garry Place Conference Centre, 20 Fort Street



Featured Out Of Province Speakers

Keynote Speaker - Jordan Furlong, Law21 Justice Leonard S. Mandamin, *The Federal Court of Canada* Shannon Salter, *Civil Resolution Tribunal* Dr. Larry Richard, *LawyerBrain LLC* Monica Goyal, *MyLegalBriefcase & Aluvion Law* Darrel I. Pink, *Nova Scotia Barristers' Society*

Speakers From Manitoba

Justice Colleen Suche, Manitoba Court of Queen's Bench Dean Jonathan Black-Branch, Robson Hall, Faculty of Law Kathy Bueti, Bueti Wasyliw Wiebe William Gange, Gange Collins Holloway Paul Grower, Fillmore Riley LLP Shauna McCarthy, Brown & Associates Law Office

Keynote Speaker - Jordan Furlong

Over the past 140 years there have been dramatic changes in the world but smaller changes in the legal community. Is it time to revamp our traditions and our expectations for the future?

Topics will include:

- Virtual Courts, real justice? The future of adjudication
- Building the modern lawyer What is needed and who is responsible?
- Technology: will it serve you or replace you?
- Client centred service in the 21st century and beyond

6.5 EPPM hours ~ All in one jam packed Friday ~ Reserve your seat today!

Early Bird Registration until September 29

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