

# **CONNECTICUT PROBATE ASSEMBLY**

## **CONTINUING EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETING**

**March 13, 2019**

In attendance: Judges Becker, Blick, Brandt, Calabrese, DeGennaro and Gardner-Riordan, Attorney Bonnie Bennet and Attorney Evan Brunetti

### **Preliminary discussions**

There will be no educational credit given for the Probate Assembly Annual Meeting. The Continuing Education Committee would like to include a clerk as a member of its committee.

### **June 13, 2019**

#### Guardianships of Intellectually Disabled (1 hour)

Financial management

Placement

#### Miscellaneous Jurisdiction (1.5 - 2 hours)

Uniform Transfer to Minors Act (30-45 minutes)

Cemetery Associations (15-20 minutes) – Judge Ganim or Judge Forgione

Quarantines (15 minutes)

DSS Protective Services \

Notice Issues ] (15-20 minutes)

Release of funds /

#### Ethics/Professionalism (1 hour)

Sexual Harassment Awareness or

American with Disabilities Act, including accommodations in the court room (may be better for November seminar)

\* (Speakers will be sought via CMS reports as to judges with experience on topics)\*

### **September 2019**

#### *Children's Matters*

##### Did You Know? (1 plus hours)

Appointment of guardian under will

Guardian reports

Foreign Adoptions

New rules of procedure

Overlapping Jurisdiction between Family/Juvenile and Probate Courts

Transfers to Superior Court

Adult Adoption

Gender Marker

##### Trauma Issues (1 hour)

**October 2019**

Judges' Institute

Managing the Courtroom

Dealing with pro se parties

**November 2019**

**CBA joint seminar – possible topics:**

E-filing

Ethics topic (American with Disabilities Act)

Standards of Practice

Random Audits

Guardian of Estate

Compromise of Claims

MOLST

Claims Procedure / Disallowed Claims

\*Judge Becker and Judge Brandt will join the Connecticut Bar Association members\*

Next meeting to follow the Executive Committee Meeting scheduled for  
April 10, 2019 from 10:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Committee Member