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NAALJ 2013 Midyear Conference Schedule

Sunday, April 14	
1 - 5 pm	Registration (Empire Registration)
1 - 3 pm	NAALJ Board Meeting (Warwick Room) Board Room across from registration area at Williamsburg Hospitality House
3:30 - 5 pm	Walking Tour of Colonial Williamsburg (Meet at Registration) Kenneth Krantz, Administrative Law Judge, U.S. Department of Labor
6 - 7:30 pm	Welcome Reception (Williamsburg Hospitality House Courtyard)
Evening Networking	Hospitality Room (Carmel Bay Room 320)
The majority of the educational program will be held at the The Williamsburg Hospitality House	
Monday, April 15	
8 - 8:45 am	Continental Breakfast (Berkeley Room) & Registration (Empire Registration)
8:45 - 8:55 am	Opening Remarks (Empire A & B) NAALJ President James Murray Greetings Davison M. Douglas, Dean and Hanson Professor of Law William & Mary College of Law
8:55 - 9:55 am	Decision Writing Mythbusters (Empire A & B) Steven Wise, Administrative Law Judge Iowa Workforce Development, Des Moines, Iowa
10 - 11 am	Breakout Sessions (1) Independent Hearing Officers--The Good, the Bar, and the Ugly (Empire A & B)

	<p>James Murray, Deputy Director, National Appeals Division United States Dept. of Agriculture, Alexandria, VA</p> <p>Manisha Kavadi, Special Education Attorney, Maryland</p> <p>William B. Reichhardt, Special Education Attorney, Virginia</p> <p>(2) Seven Rules of Highly Effective Administrative Judges (Empire C)</p> <p>Lisa Nelson, Administrative Law Judge Division of Administrative Hearings, Tallahassee, Florida</p>
11 - 11:10 am	Break
11:10 - 12:10	<p>Don't Be a Potted Plant: Steps to Ensure a Fair Hearing Even Before You Take the Bench (Empire A & B)</p> <p>Melissa Jones, Administrative Appeals Judge Department of Employment Services, Washington, DC</p>
12:10 - 1 pm	<p>Lunch (Berkeley Room)</p> <p>Greetings Mayor Clyde Haulman</p> <p>Professionalism and Ethics</p> <p>Justice Peggy A. Quince, Supreme Court of Florida</p>
1 - 2 pm	<p>Pro Se Litigants in an Administrative Hearing (Empire A & B)</p> <p>Ann K Sullivan, Attorney Crenshaw, Ware & Martin, PLC. , Partner</p>
2 - 2:30 pm	Break (Walking to Courtroom 21)
2:30 - 4 pm	<p>Courtroom 21 Project Demonstration (Campus of William & Mary)</p> <p>Fredric Lederer, Chancellor Professor of Law and Director, Center for Legal and Court Technology/Courtroom 21 Project</p> <p>Martin E. Gruen, Deputy Director of Technology, Center for Legal and Court Technology/Courtroom 21 Project</p>
4 - 5 pm	<p>When Technology is Useful (Campus of William & Mary)</p> <p>Martin E. Gruen, Deputy Director of Technology, Center for Legal and Court Technology/Courtroom 21 Project</p>
5 - 6:45 pm	Reception (William & Mary Law School Office of Career Services)
7:15 pm	<p>Excursion</p> <p>Chownings Tavern</p>
Evening Networking	Hospitality (Carmel Bay Room 320)

Tuesday, April 16

8 - 9 am	Continental Breakfast (Berkeley Room)
9 - 10 am	The Assertion of Constitutional Privileges in Administrative Hearings (Empire A & B) Phyllis Carter, Acting Director of the West Virginia Human Rights Commission Charleston, West Virginia
10 - 10:10 am	Break
10:10 - 11:10 am	Social Media and the Courtroom--Issues Surrounding Wireless Devices (Empire A & B) Nora Sydow, KIS Senior Analyst National Center for State Courts
11:10 - 11:20 am	Break
11:20 - 12:20 am	Keeping It Safe: Threat Management for ALJs (Empire A & B) Nick Proffitt, U.S. Marshal United State Department of Justice
12:20 - 1 pm	Lunch (Berkeley Room)
1 - 2 pm	Breakout Sessions (1) Explaining Due Process to Pro Se Parents (Empire A & B) Cathy Skidmore, Special Education Hearing Officer, Pennsylvania Jake McElligott, Special Education Hearing Officer, Pennsylvania (2) A Snapshot of VA: Recent Developments in Public Benefits Law (Empire C) LaTonya Reed, Public Benefits Attorney
2 – 2:10 pm	Break
2:10 - 3:10 pm	Mediation Skills: Dealing with Power Imbalances and Impasse (Empire A & B) J. Bernard McClellan, Director of Quality Assurance/Administrative Law Judge Hunt Valley, Maryland
3:10 - 4:10 pm	Positives and Pitfalls of Courtroom Interpretation (Empire A & B) Charlene Watkins, Foreign Language Services Coordinator Department of Judicial Services, Supreme Court of Virginia
4:10 - 4:25 pm	Closing Remarks, NAALJ President James Murray
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