

THE ANNUAL VTLA FAMILY LAW SEMINAR

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An in-depth analysis of how to effectively use prevailing case law to support your clients' positions in Equitable Distribution trials

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Laura Blair Butler, *Tucker Griffin Barnes*, Charlottesville
Program Chair

ATTEND THIS INTERACTIVE PROGRAM ...

- to learn the latest updates from the General Assembly and from the Courts.
- for a thorough examination of the prevailing equitable distribution cases presented as a case study.
- to review the effective usage of demonstrative evidence, including examples of exhibits used by successful family law attorneys across the state.
- to hear it straight from the judges! The Judges' Panel will discuss how they might rule in our case study, view our demonstrative evidence, and weigh the different statutory factors in making their rulings.
- to receive outstanding materials, authored by experienced family law practitioners, in digital format

Audience participation is encouraged throughout this seminar!

Moderators:

Julie M. Cillo, *Hall & Hall*, Midlothian (Richmond)
Cheryl Watson Smith, *Cheryl Watson Smith*, Roanoke (Roanoke)
Brandon H. Zeigler, *Wolcott Rivers Gates*, Virginia Beach (Norfolk)
Debra Powers, *The Susan Hicks Group*, Fairfax (Fairfax)

Program Agenda

- 8:30 Registration and Exhibits open
- 8:45 Moderator's Welcome and Opening Remarks
- 9:00 **Annual Legislative Update**
Lawrence D. Diehl, *Barnes & Diehl*, Chesterfield (Richmond, Norfolk)
Ronald R. Tweel, *MichieHamlett*, Charlottesville (Roanoke)
Scott A. Surovell, *Surovell Isaacs Petersen & Levy*, Fairfax (Fairfax)
- 9:45 **Annual Case Law Update**
Susan Massie Hicks, *The Susan Hicks Group*, Fairfax (All locations)
- 11:00 Break
- 11:15 **Classification**
John H. Kitzmann, *Davidson & Kitzmann*, Charlottesville
(Richmond, Roanoke & Fairfax)
Kellam T. Parks, *Wolcott Rivers Gates*, Virginia Beach (Norfolk)
- 12:15 Lunch included
- 1:15 **Valuation**
Brian H. Jones, *Barnes & Diehl*, Chesterfield (Richmond, Roanoke & Fairfax)
Christine M. Corey, *Barnes & Diehl*, Richmond (Norfolk)
- 2:15 **Demonstrative Evidence**
Julie C. Gerock, *The Maddox Law Firm*, Vienna (All locations)
- 3:15 Break
- 3:30 Judges' Panel
The Interplay of the Factors and Equitable Distribution
* Ruling on the Case Study
* Review and comment on Demonstrative Evidence
- Richmond
Judge Harold W. Burgess, Jr., *Twelfth Judicial Circuit*
Judge J. Overton Harris, *Fifteenth Judicial Circuit*
Judge L.A. Harris, Jr., *Fourteenth Judicial Circuit*
- Norfolk
Judge John R. Doyle, III, *Fourth Judicial Circuit*
Judge Frederick B. Lowe, *Second Judicial Circuit*
Judge Stephen C. Mahan, *Second Judicial Circuit*
Judge Randall D. Smith, *First Judicial Circuit*
Judge Patricia L. West, *Second Judicial Circuit*
- Roanoke
Judge Robert P. Doherty, Jr., *Twenty-Third Judicial Circuit*
Judge Charles N. Dorsey, *Twenty-Third Judicial Circuit*
- Fairfax
Judge Robert William Wooldridge, Jr., Retired
Judge Michael F. Devine, *Nineteenth Judicial Circuit*
Judge Richard B. Potter, *Thirty-First Judicial Circuit*
- 4:30 Adjournment

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