

## **AGENDA**

### **Public Law for the Public's Lawyers**

November 12-13, 2015

Legislative Office Building, Room 643, Raleigh

#### **Thursday, November 12 (6.0)**

- 7:45 – 8:30    Registration**
- 8:30 – 8:45    Welcome**  
Susan Sitze, NC General Assembly Research Division  
Aimee Wall, UNC School of Government
- 8:45 – 9:45    Responding to Voluminous Public Records Requests (1.0)**  
Frayda Bluestein, UNC School of Government  
Mark Holland, Department of Cultural Resources
- 9:45 – 10:45   Legal Ethics Lessons from the Penn State Scandal (1.0, requesting ethics)**  
Chris McLaughlin, UNC School of Government
- 10:45 – 11:00   Break**
- 11:00 – 12:00   Rulemaking Authority: Canards, Conundrums and Conclusions (1.0)**  
Richard Whisnant, UNC School of Government
- 12:00 – 1:15    Lunch (on your own)**
- 1:15 – 2:15    There's an Elephant in the Room – What Does It Look Like?**  
**The Impact of *N.C. Board of Dental Examiners v. FTC* on Licensing Boards (1.0)**  
Jack Nichols, Allen, Pinnix, and Nichols, P.A.
- 2:15 – 2:30    Break**
- 2:30 – 3:30    Challenges for Public Enforcement (1.0)**  
Maggie Lemos, Duke Law School
- 3:30 – 4:30    Ten Ways To Be Better At What You Do (1.0, requesting ethics)**  
Jim Blackburn, Blackburn Seminars, LLC
- 4:30            Adjourn**

**Friday, November 13 (6.0)**

**8:30 – 8:45    Welcome**

**8:45 – 9:45    Legislative Updates (1.0)**  
Susan Sitze, Research Division  
Bill Patterson, Research Division

**9:45 – 10:00   Break**

**10:00 – 10:45   State Case Update (.75)**  
Michael Crowell, Tharrington Smith, LLP

**10:45 – 11:45   The Science of Addiction (1.0, requesting substance abuse)**  
Regina Carelli, UNC Department of Psychology and Neuroscience

**11:45 – 1:00    Lunch (on your own)**

**1:00 – 2:30    Legal Writing (1.5)**  
Michelle Cofield, North Carolina Central School of Law  
Brenda Gibson, North Carolina Central School of Law

**2:30 – 2:45    Break**

**2:45 – 4:00    Tax Reform: Putting Recent Legislative Proposals and Changes in Context (1.25)**  
Whitney Afonso, UNC School of Government  
Cindy Avrette, Research Division  
Jonathan Tart, Fiscal Research Division

**4:00 – 5:00    Voter Outreach, Photo ID and Election Law Changes for 2016 (1.0)**  
Josh Lawson, North Carolina State Board of Elections  
George McCue, North Carolina State Board of Elections

**5:00            Adjourn**