

**15TH NATIONAL ADVANCED FORUM ON
ASBESTOS CLAIMS & LITIGATION**

AGENDA – October 7, 2013

- 7:30 a.m. - Registration and Continental Breakfast**
- 8:00 a.m. - Co-Chairs' Welcoming Remarks**
Robert D. Goodman, Partner, Debevoise & Plimpton LLP
Anne D. Harman, Partner, Dinsmore & Shohl LLP
- 8:05 a.m. - In-House Panel on Financial & Legal Decisions, Managing Claims, Lowering Defense Costs, and Settlement Negotiations**
Michael J. Sehr, President Emeritus, Resolute Management, Inc.
Diane L. Scialabba, Senior Litigation Counsel, CNH America LLC
Jeffrey Koenig, Chief Litigation Counsel, Cytec Industries, Inc.
Robert J. Ryan, Deputy General Counsel, Stallion Oilfield Holdings, Inc.
Patrick Shine, Managing Attorney/Senior Director, Fireman's Fund Insurance Company
Marty Thompson, Senior Legal Counsel, Hess Corporation
Moderator:
James G. Martingano, Shareholder, MehaffyWeber, P.C.
- 9:35 a.m. - Morning Break**
- 9:45 a.m. - Looking Back and Ahead: Emerging Claims and Parties, Key State Nuances, Drastic Differences Between Friendly and Hostile Jurisdictions, the Effects of Tort Reform, and What to Expect for 2014**
Anne D. Harman, Partner, Dinsmore & Shohl LLP
Charles E. Finberg, Of Counsel, Herzfield & Rubin, P.C.
Jeremy D. Huie, Esq., Partner, Bassi Edlin Huie & Blum LLP

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- 10:45 a.m. - Bankruptcy Filings, Confirmations & Estimations and the Transparency Between Bankruptcy Trusts and Tort Litigation**
William Mahoney, Shareholder, Segal McCambridge Singer & Mahoney
Gary Svirsky, Partner, O'Melveny & Myers LLP
Michael Drumke, Partner, Swanson, Martin & Bell LLP
- 12:00 p.m. - Networking Lunch for Speakers and Delegates**
- 1:00 p.m. - Single Fiber, Every Fiber, Low Dose, Lung Cancer, Chrysotile and Beyond: Examining the Impact of the Evolution of Asbestos Medicine and How the Changes Affect Emerging Causation Law**
Thomas A. Sporn, MD, Duke University Health System
Jim Rasmuson, PhD, CIH, DABT, CEO & Sr. Scientist, Chemistry & Industrial Hygiene, Inc.
Bruce W. Case, M.D., Associate Professor, Pathology, McGill University
Nancy L. Pennie, Partner, Aaronson Rappaport Feinstein & Deutsch, LLP
Todd E. Schwartz, Partner, Lewis Brisbois Bisgaard & Smith, LLP
- 3:30 p.m. - Afternoon Break**
- 3:40 p.m. - The Volume of Non-Malignant Cases**
Brian H. Buddell, Partner, Brydon Hugo & Parker
Susan E. Mehringer, Partner, Cantrell Strenski & Mehringer, LLP
J. Hayes Ryan, Managing Partner, Gordon & Rees LLP

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4:40 p.m. - Epidemiology in the Courtroom

Christopher O. Massenburg, Partner, Swetman Baxter Massenburg, LLC
Jason D. Melichar, Partner, Wilson Elser Moskowitz Edelman & Dicker LLP
Stephen T. Armato, Senior Partner, Cetrulo LLP
James N. Sinunu, Partner, Sinunu Bruni LLP
David A. Oliver, Partner, Vorys, Sater, Seymour and Pease LLP

6:00 p.m. - Day One Adjourns

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7:30 a.m. - Continental Breakfast

8:00 a.m. - View From the Plaintiffs' Bar on Litigating Asbestos Claims
Vincent L. Greene, IV, Member, Motley Rice LLC
Joseph W. Belluck, Founding Partner, Belluck & Fox, L.L.P.

**9:00 a.m. - VIEW FROM THE BENCH: Judges Speak Out on Current Litigation Trends,
Successful Plaintiff Claims and Defense Strategies**
The Honorable Helen E. Freedman, New York Supreme Court
Appellate Division, First Department
The Honorable Robert B. Freedman, Superior Court Judge
Alameda County, California
The Honorable Martin Shulman, New York Supreme Court, Appellate Term
First Judicial Department, 1st and 12th Judicial Districts
The Honorable Sherry Klein Heitler, Administrative Judge for Civil Materials. New
York Supreme Court, First Judicial Department
The Honorable Allan L. Tereshko, Philadelphia Court of Common Pleas
Co-Moderators:
Robert I. Komitor, Partner, Levy Phillips & Konigsberg, LLP
Philip Goldstein, Partner, McGuireWoods LLP

10:35 a.m. - Morning Break

**10:45 a.m. - The Navy Cases and Equipment Manufacturer Liability for Outside Insulation,
Gaskets & Packing: Bolstering Your Case from Discovery Through Trial**
Geoffrey M. Davis, Partner, K&L Gates LLP
George D. Yaron, Partner, Yaron & Associates

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- 11:35 a.m. - Spotlight on Premise Owners, Contractors/Suppliers, and the Continued Expansion of Take Home Exposure Cases**
Rachel P. Maines, Ph.D., Scientist, Cornell University School of Electrical and Computer Engineering
Paul Nony, Ph.D., Senior Toxicologist, Major Projects Team, CTEH, LLC
Kyle B. Dotson, CIH, CSP, BCEE, DOTSON Group, LLC
Heidi Brauer Ruchala, Partner, Damon Morey LLP
Jayme C. Long, Partner, McKenna Long & Aldridge LLP
- 1:05 p.m. - Networking Lunch for Delegate and Speakers**
- 2:05 p.m. - Litigating Claims Involving Component Part Manufacturers: Evolving Theories of Liability for Other Manufacturers' Products**
Kerryann Cook, Partner, McGivney & Kluger, P.C.
Donald R. Kinsley, Partner, Maron Marvel Bradley & Anderson LLC
Stephen M. Fowler, Member, Pullin, Fowler, Flannigan, Brown & Poe PLLC
- 3:05 p.m. - Afternoon Coffee Break**
- 3:10 p.m. - Apportioning Liability in Jurisdictions with Fault Allocation: Sorting Out Verdict Form and Other Complexities Given That Today's Cases Name Dozens of Parties as Liable for Exposure**
David M. Cost, Attorney, Hiscock & Barclay LLP
Joseph J. Welter, Partner, Goldberg Segalla LLP
- 4:05 p.m. - Trigger, Allocation, Non-Products, Deductibles, Number of Occurrences, Asbestos Reserves, and Beyond: Key Insurance Issues Impacting Asbestos Coverage**
Robert D. Goodman, Partner, Debevoise & Plimpton LLP
Leslie A. Davis, Counsel, Crowell & Moring LLP
Selena J. Linde, Partner, Perkins Coie LLP
Robin Cohen, Partner, Kasowitz, Benson, Torres & Friedman LLP
- 5:00 p.m. - Conference Ends**