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### Sessions & Presenters

#### **Pre-Conference Introductory Program: Rule 23 Class Action Basics**

Lynnette Miner – Impact Fund | Relic Sun – Outten & Golden LLP

#### **Recent Developments in Civil Rights Class Action Law**

Jocelyn D. Larkin – Impact Fund

#### **Class Actions Matter – Success Stories From The Frontlines of Social Change**

Sheila Thomas – Law Offices of Sheila Thomas | Harry Frischer – Children’s Rights  
Matt Geyman – Columbia Legal Services | Ashley Werner – Leadership Counsel for Justice & Accountability

#### **The Best Laid Plans: Crafting Effective Trial Plans**

Robert L. Schug – Nichols Kaster, PLLP | Andrew J. McGuinness – Andrew J. McGuinness, Esq.  
Monique Olivier - Duckworth Peters Lebowitz Olivier LLP | Rachhana T. Srey – Nichols Kaster, PLLP

#### **Class Actions Gone Wrong: How to Avoid Filing Bad Cases and What to Do When Your Good Case Goes Bad**

Jocelyn D. Larkin – Impact Fund | Jennie Lee Anderson – Andrus Anderson LLP  
Prof. Joshua Davis – University of San Francisco School of Law | Dena Sharp – Girard Gibbs LLP

#### **Created Equal: Update on the Movement for Equal Rights for Transgender People**

Julie Wilensky – Disability Rights California | M. Dru Levasseur – Lambda Legal  
Ria Tabacco Mar – ACLU LGBT & HIV Project | Joseph J. Wardenski – Relman, Dane & Colfax PLLC

#### **Representing Minors: Best Practices for Advocating on Behalf of Children**

Lindsay Nako – Impact Fund | Michael Harris – National Center for Youth Law  
Elizabeth Kristen – Legal Aid at Work | Mark Rosenbaum – Public Counsel

#### **Debtors’ Prison and the Trap of Municipal Fines**

Lynnette Miner – Impact Fund | Elisa Della-Piana – Lawyers’ Committee for Civil Rights Under Law of the San Francisco Bay Area  
Prof. Ranjana Natarajan – University of Texas School of Law | Sara Zampierin – Southern Poverty Law Center

#### **What to Expect from the Trump Administration: Mandatory Arbitration and Beyond**

Christian Schreiber – Chavez & Gertler LLP | F. Paul Bland, Jr. – Public Justice  
Prof. Myriam Gilles – Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law | Scott Nelson – Public Citizen

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