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**WILEY A. BRANTON
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Agenda



October 26 - 29, 2023

Loews Miami Beach Hotel

1601 Collins Avenue | Miami, FL 33139

CONFERENCE AGENDA

Thursday, October 26th

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| 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM | Wiley A. Branton Issues Symposium Registration |
| 9:00 AM – 7:00 PM | Labor & Employment Law Section Annual Conference
Cowrie 2 |
| 1:00 PM – 5:00 PM | National Bar Association Board of Governors Meeting
Americana 2 |
| 5:30 PM – 7:30 PM | Labor & Employment Law Section Annual Conference Reception
Poinciana |
| 5:30 PM – 7:30 PM | LexisNexis® Equity in the Law Symposium Reception
(By Invitation Only)
Preston's Terrace |

Friday, October 27th

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| 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM | Wiley A. Branton Issues Symposium Registration |
| 9:00 AM – 11:30 AM | LexisNexis® Equity in the Law Symposium General Session
Poinciana 3 |
| 12:00 PM – 11:45 PM | Labor & Employment Law Section Annual Conference
Cowrie 2 |
| 11:30 AM – 1:00 PM | LexisNexis® Equity in the Law Symposium Luncheon
Americana Salon 1 |

CONFERENCE AGENDA

Friday, October 27th

1:30 PM – 3:00 PM

Wiley A. Branton Issues Symposium CLE #1

Post SCOTUS Decision on Affirmative Action: Its Impact on Admissions and Beyond

Venus

- Olympia Duhart, Professor, Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law (Moderator)
- Charlton Copeland, Professor, University of Miami Law School
- Iván Espinoza-Madrigal, Executive Director, Lawyers for Civil Rights (LCR)
- Deidré Keller, Dean, Florida A&M University (FAMU Law) College of Law

3:30 PM – 5:00 PM

Wiley A. Branton Issues Symposium CLE #2

Reimagining Redistricting after Milligan and other recent cases

Periwinkle

Wiley A. Branton Issues Symposium CLE #3

Is Litigation Funding Helping or Hurting Access to Justice?

Venus

- Phil Goldberg, DC Office Managing Partner, Shook Hardy & Bacon (Moderator)
- Chanel T. Rowe, Senior Counsel, Johnson & Johnson
- Enjolique Aytch Lett, Shareholder, Greenberg Traurig
- Sam J. Salario, Jr., Shareholder, Lawson Huck Gonzalez, PLLC
- Patrick Montoya, Senior Partner, Milberg Coleman Bryson Phillips Grossman

5:15 PM – 7:00 PM

Wiley A. Branton Issues Symposium Registration

Champions of Diversity, Equity & Inclusion

Sponsored by Duane Morris LLP

7:00 PM – 10:00 PM

Wiley A. Branton Issues Symposium

Welcome Reception

Sponsored by Johnson & Johnson in collaboration with Virgil Hawkins Florida Chapter and Gwen S. Cherry Black Women Lawyers Association

St. Moritz Lawn

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Friday, October 27th

- 7:30 AM** Breakfast - Americana 1
- 8:45 AM** Opening Remarks
Adonica Black
- 8:50 AM** Welcome Remarks - Poinciana Ballroom
Terry Jennings
- 8:55 AM** Keynote Address
- 9:30 AM** Cluster 1 – The Gavel League: An App Providing Legal Education to Children and Adolescents
Imani Roberson, Lauren Fleming, & Jai'Ehir Jackson-Hawkins
- 9:50 AM** Cluster 2 – I, Too, Sing America: Uncovering Untold U.S. History through the Law
Tatiana Brown-Harper, Zaria Graham, & Skylar Dean
- 10:10 PM** Cluster 3 – Technology Solutions to Alleviate Racial Bias in Jury Selection
Jaylon Denkins, Whitney Triplet & Favour Okhuevbie
- 10:30 PM** BREAK
- 10:45 PM** Cluster 4 – Pathways to Practice Pipeline: Building Bridges for HBCU Students to Legal Fields Lacking Diversity
Christian Wolford, Morigan Tuggle & Qwantaria Russell
- 11:05 PM** Cluster 5 – Law Clinic Support Tools & Resources to Combat Systemic Racism in the Legal System
Larry Futrell, Paul Campbell & Veronica Alba
- 11:30 AM - 11:45 PM** Seated for Lunch Americana 1
- 12:05 PM** Award Speaker
Bakari T. Sellers
- 12:15 PM** Awards and Mentor Speeches
- 1:30 PM – 2:15 PM** Breakout Group
Clusters 1, 2, & 3
- 2:15 PM – 3:00 PM** Breakout Group
Clusters 4 & 5
- 3:00 PM** Symposium Concludes

CONFERENCE AGENDA

Saturday, October 28th

8:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Centennial Commission Meeting

Cowrie 1

8:15 AM – 9:00 AM

Wiley A. Branton Issues Symposium Special Session

Allen v. Milligan: A Lifeline for the Consideration of Race in Congressional Redistricting

Poinciana Ballroom

- Kevin B. Wiggins, White and Wiggins, Dallas, TX (Moderator)
- Honorable Colin Z. Allred, U.S. Congressman for the 32d District of Texas

9:15 AM – 10:15 AM

Wiley A. Branton Issues Symposium CLE #1

The South Got Something to Say: Fighting for voting rights in the South.

Venus

- Caroline McNamara, Staff Attorney, ACLU of Florida
- Alanah Odom, Executive Director, ACLU of Louisiana
- Claudia Williams Hyman, Senior Staff Attorney, ACLU of Mississippi
- Christopher Bruce, Senior Advisor Counsel, ACLU of Georgia

Wiley A. Branton Issues Symposium CLE #2

What Inclusive Education Means for An Inclusive Democracy and a Broader Society?

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- Jalaya Liles Dunn (she/her) Director, Learning for Justice, Southern Poverty Law Center
- Bacardi Jackson (she/her) Deputy Legal Director, Children's Rights Practice Group, Southern Poverty Law Center

10:30 AM – 11:30 PM

Wiley A. Branton Issues Symposium CLE #3

Estate Planning through a Social Justice Framework: How to use Estate Planning Tools to Reduce Economic Imbalances and Propel Our Communities Forward on Our Own!

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- Terrence Quinn, Chair, NBA Real Property, Trusts & Estates Section
- Jennifer Norton, Vice Chair for Trusts & Estates, NBA Real Property, Trusts & Estates Section
- Tayson Gaines, Vice Chair for Real Property, NBA Real Property, Trusts & Estates Section

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Saturday, October 28th

Wiley A. Branton Issues Symposium CLE #4

50 Years and Still Going: Hip Hop's Struggle Against the Criminal Legal System and Voter Disenfranchisement

Venus

- Tanya Clay House, EVP, Hip Hop Caucus; Chair, Civil Rights Law Section (Moderator)
- Dr. Roger Mitchell, Howard University Chair of Pathology, Fellow with the National Association of Medical Examiners (NAME). Board Chair, Hip Hop Caucus (tentative)
- Rebekah Caruthers, Vice President, Fair Elections Center
- Sabrina Pearce, Sentencing Project
- Dwayne Crawford, Executive Director, National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Executives (tentative)

12:00 PM – 2:00 PM

Wiley A. Branton Issues Symposium Awards Luncheon

Poinciana Ballroom

Keynote Speaker: Dr. Eddie S. Gluade, Jr.

2:00 PM – 6:00 PM

Wiley A. Branton Issues Symposium Community Forum on Voting Rights and the Threat to Democracy

Overtown Performing Arts Center - 1074 NW 3rd Ave., Miami, FL 33136

8:00 PM – 10:00 PM

**Labor & Employment Law Section Annual Conference
Closing Dinner (By Invitation Only)**

Red Rooster - 920 NW 2nd Ave., Miami, Florida 33136

10:00 PM – UNTIL

“Littler at Night” White Party

Cellar Speakeasy Dance Club - 833 Lincoln Rd., Miami Beach, FL 33139



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