OFFICIAL PROGRAM
Thursday–Sunday, June 22–25, 2017
Omni Grove Park Inn, Asheville
GUEST ROOMS
Main Inn
All three-digit rooms are located in the Main Inn

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Take the guest floor elevators in the Sammons or Vanderbilt Wing to access Spa tunnel

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Take the Atrium elevator to level “E” in the Vanderbilt Wing

MEETING ROOMS
All meeting rooms are located as listed below.

Vanderbilt Wing
(8th Floor)
The Grand Ballroom
Coolidge Suite
Eisenhower Suite
Hoover Suite
Roosevelt Suite
Taft Suite
Wilson Suite

Sammons Wing
(Lobby Level)
Dogwood Suite
Heritage Ballroom
Laurel Suite
Rhododendron Suite
Skyline Room

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Welcome to Asheville, and welcome to the 2017 Annual Meeting of the North Carolina Bar Association.

Since 1899, North Carolina legal professionals have gathered annually to celebrate and foster the highest ideals of our profession. Over the course of this extended weekend, we will acknowledge the accomplishments of our bar association and its members, discuss issues that affect the legal profession and the citizens we serve, and learn from one another as we share our experiences.

The crowning moment will occur on Saturday night, when the president’s gavel will pass into the skillful hands of our 123rd president, Caryn Coppedge McNeill. I have had the pleasure of working with Caryn since our formative professional years in the Young Lawyers Division. She will be an exemplary leader, and I am excited about the NCBA’s future under her guidance.

We will hear during the weekend from many distinguished speakers, including United States Senator Thom Tillis, Chief Judge Roger Gregory of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit, Chief Justice Mark Martin of the North Carolina Supreme Court, and former Chief Justice Henry Frye. Clinical Professor Theresa Newman, Associate Director of the Duke Law School Center for Criminal Justice and Professional Responsibility, is this year’s Willis Smith/Willis Smith Jr. Professionalism Speaker. Stanley Gaston, president of the Port-au-Prince Bar Association and the Federation of Bars of Haiti, will address our Saturday General Session. And we will celebrate the 50th anniversary of the North Carolina Court of Appeals by honoring Chief Judge Linda McGee and her fellow jurists, current and former.

Special events and activities fill the four-day agenda. I invite and encourage you to take advantage of as many of them as your heart desires. We are especially pleased to invite everyone to the Federal Courthouse Reception on Thursday night, hosted by Chief Judge and NCBA Vice President Frank Whitney and the judges of the Western District of North Carolina, as well as to the law school receptions and Legal Legends of Color Reception on Friday night. It is also my distinct honor to welcome Jason Hensley to his first Annual Meeting as your executive director, and to welcome back our retired executive director, Allan Head, who will address the Campbell Law School Family Prayer Breakfast on Sunday morning.

It is a privilege to practice law in North Carolina, and an honor to serve as your president. I am profoundly grateful for your service and support throughout the past year, and I thank you for joining me in Asheville for our 119th Annual Meeting.

With heartfelt appreciation,

Kearns Davis, President
North Carolina Bar Association

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Caryn Coppedge McNeill will be installed on Saturday night, June 24, as the 123rd president of the North Carolina Bar Association. A graduate of Davidson College and the Duke University School of Law, she has practiced her entire career in Raleigh with Smith Anderson. McNeill served as chair of the Young Lawyers Division in 1999-2000 and as a member of the NCBA Board of Governors and NCBF Board of Directors in 2001-02. She has served the past two years as chair of the Ravenscroft School Board of Trustees, making her the first woman to serve in that capacity in the history of the school, which was founded in 1862.
North Carolina Bar Association Mission and Leadership

To serve the public and the legal profession by promoting the administration of justice and encouraging the highest standards of integrity, competence, civility and well-being of all members of the profession.

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JASON M. HENSLEY began his service as executive director of the North Carolina Bar Association on Jan. 1, 2017. He previously served as corporate secretary, senior counsel and director of real estate at Bernhardt Furniture Company in Lenoir, and resided in Morganton with his wife, Alyssa Coletti. Hensley is a graduate of Appalachian State University and the UNC School of Law, and also holds an MBA from UNC-Chapel Hill. He is a former member of the NCBA Board of Governors and a past chair of the Corporate Counsel Section, and served on the Technology Committee of the North Carolina Commission on the Administration of Law and Justice.
General Information
For Your Stay

EXHIBIT HALL AND REGISTRATION DESK
The Exhibit Hall and Registration Desk are open Thursday 4:00–8:00; Friday 8:00–6:00; and Saturday 8:00–1:00. There will be complimentary refreshments and a wireless charging station available, as well as fun extras like a free photo booth and caricature artist.

IDENTIFICATION BADGES
All meeting attendees and guests must wear their identification badges at all times. Your badge shows that you have registered for the Annual Meeting and is required for event entry. ID badges are absolutely required for the General Sessions.

SPOUSES AND GUESTS
Registered spouses and guests are invited to attend all open sessions. Tickets are required for spouses and guests for all ticketed events.

TICKETS
Event tickets may be purchased at the Registration Desk while supplies last. All tickets, purchased in advance and on-site, should be presented upon arrival at applicable events.

FREE SHUTTLE SERVICE
THURSDAY
Shuttle service from the Omni Grove Park Inn (Sammons Entrance) to downtown Asheville (Federal Courthouse and Hyatt Place Hotel) will be provided Thursday from 5:00–10:30 p.m.

FRIDAY
Shuttle service from the Omni Grove Park Inn (Sammons Entrance) to downtown Asheville (Vance Monument) and River Arts District (Foundy Street/Wedge Brewery) will be provided Friday from 1:00 p.m.–midnight.

SATURDAY
Shuttle service from the Omni Grove Park Inn (Sammons Entrance) to downtown Asheville (Vance Monument) will be provided Saturday from 1:00-5:00 p.m.

NCBA CHANNEL 54
Be sure to tune into channel 54 on your guest room TV for meeting information and other fun footage.

DRESS CODE
Unless otherwise noted, we suggest business casual dress for Annual Meeting events.

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Schedule of Events
Thursday, June 22, 11:30 a.m.–8:30 p.m.

11:30 NCBA Board of Governors and NCBF Board of Directors Luncheon | Grand Ballroom C Pre-function | 11:30 a.m.–noon (By invitation only)

noon NCBA Board of Governors and NCBF Board of Directors Executive Session (Closed Meeting) | Grand Ballroom C | noon–1:00 p.m.

noon Law School Liaison Meeting | Eisenhower FG | noon–2:00 p.m. (By invitation only)

1:00 NCBA Board of Governors and NCBF Board of Directors Meeting | Grand Ballroom C | 1:00–5:00 p.m.

4:00 Registration Desk and Exhibit Hall Open | Grand Ballroom A | 4:00–8:00 p.m.

5:00 Free Shuttle Service to the Federal Courthouse, Hyatt Place Hotel | Sammons Wing Entrance | 5:00–10:30 p.m.

5:30 Federal Courthouse Reception | Hosted by Chief Judge Frank D. Whitney | Federal Courthouse, 100 Otis Street | 5:30–7:30 p.m. (Off-site, everyone invited to attend) | Sponsored by the Western District Board of Judges

7:15 General Practice Hall of Fame Dinner | Hyatt Place Hotel, 199 Haywood Street | 7:15–9:30 p.m. (Ticketed) | Sponsored by Rogers Realty and Auction Company Inc.

7:15 North Carolina Fellows of the American College of Trial Lawyers Dinner | The Market Place Restaurant, 20 Wall Street (By invitation only)

8:30 Legal Aid of North Carolina 15th Anniversary Celebration | Homewood Suites, 88 Tunnel Road | 8:30–10:30 p.m. (Cake and ice cream social, off-site, everyone invited to attend)
Schedule of Events
Friday, June 23, 6:00–10:30 a.m.

6:00  Morning Coffee Walk  |  3-mile walk and talk from the entrance of the Great Hall to Starbucks | 6:00–7:30 a.m.
8:00  Registration Desk and Exhibit Hall Open  |  Grand Ballroom A | 8:00 a.m.–6:00 p.m.
8:00  Continental Breakfast  |  Exhibit Hall | 8:00–11:00 a.m.
8:00  Patron Recognition Breakfast Buffet  |  Grand Ballroom B | 8:00–9:00 a.m. (By invitation only)
8:00  Citizen Lawyer Breakfast Buffet  |  Grand Ballroom B | 8:00–9:00 a.m. (By invitation only)
9:00  Health Benefit Trust Meeting  |  Blue Ridge Dining Room | 9:00–11:00 a.m.
9:00  LANC Board of Directors Meeting  |  Laurel Suite (Sammons Wing) | 9:00 a.m.–2:30 p.m.
9:00  Biltmore Estate General Admission  |  9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m. (Discount offer is valid Friday only)
9:00  Friday General Session  |  Chief Judge Frank D. Whitney, Presiding | Grand Ballroom B-C | 9:00 a.m.–noon
  9:05  Citizen Lawyer Recognition  |  Pam Duffy, Local Bar Outreach Committee
  9:25  Medlin Award Presentation  |  Presented to Douglas G. Clark, Greensboro News & Record
  9:30  Reflections After 50 Years: 50th Anniversary of the NCBA’s Integration  |  Former Chief Justice Henry E. Frye interviewed by his granddaughter Whitney Frye

HENRY FRYE, former chief justice of the N.C. Supreme Court, and the late Julius Chambers became the first African-Americans admitted to the NCBA in 1967. Frye was also the first African-American to serve on the N.C. Supreme Court (1983-99), the first African-American to serve as its chief justice (1999-2000), and the first African-American elected to the General Assembly in the 20th century. He is a graduate of North Carolina A&T State University and the University of North Carolina School of Law.

WHITNEY FRYE serves as general counsel and associate commissioner of the N.C. High School Athletic Association and is a previous participant in the NCBA Leadership Academy. She will interview her grandfather on stage. Frye is a graduate of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and the North Carolina Central University School of Law.

10:00  Keynote Speaker  |  Chief Judge Roger L. Gregory, Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals

ROGER L. GREGORY serves as Chief United States Circuit Judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit. A native of Philadelphia, Gregory is a graduate of Virginia State University and the University of Michigan Law School. In 1982 he co-founded the law firm of Wilder & Gregory with L. Douglas Wilder, the first African-American to be elected governor in the United States. Gregory was installed on the Fourth Circuit bench by recess appointment in 2000 by President Clinton, then re-nominated by President Bush and confirmed in 2001. The first African-American to serve on the Fourth Circuit, he became chief judge on July 8, 2016.

10:30  Exhibit Hall Break with Door Prizes  |  Grand Ballroom A | 10:30–11:00 a.m.
Schedule of Events
Friday, June 23, 11:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

11:00  **Friday General Session, continued**  |  Grand Ballroom B-C  |  9:00 a.m.–noon

11:00  **Willis Smith/Willis Smith, Jr. Professionalism Speaker**  |  Theresa Newman, Duke University School of Law (CLE Credit: 0.75 Hour Ethics)  |  Sponsored by the North Carolina Bar Foundation Endowment

**THERESA NEWMAN** wears many hats at the Duke University School of Law, from which she graduated in 1988 and where she has worked since 1999. She serves as clinical professor of law, co-director of the Wrongful Convictions Clinic, associate director of the Duke Law School Center for Criminal Justice and Professional Responsibility, and faculty adviser to the student-led Innocence Project. Newman also served as the associate dean for academic affairs from 1999-2008, and is a past president of the North Carolina Center on Actual Innocence.

11:45  **Endowment Major Gift Announcement**  |  Former Congressman Mike McIntyre

10:00  **Free Caricature Artist**  |  Grand Ballroom A  |  10:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m.

10:00  **Free Photo Booth**  |  Grand Ballroom A  |  10:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.  |  Sponsored by Lawyers Insurance Agency

12:30  **President’s Luncheon, featuring the Pro Bono/McKnight Awards**  |  Keynote Speaker: U.S. Senator Thom Tillis  |  Heritage Ballroom A-B (Sammons Wing)  |  12:30–2:00 p.m. (Ticketed, business attire)  |  Sponsored by Lawyers Mutual Liability Insurance Company of N.C.

**THOM TILLIS** was elected to the United States Senate in November 2014 following four terms in the N.C. House of Representatives. In 2011 Tillis became only the fifth Republican elected to serve as Speaker of the N.C. House. A native of Jacksonville, Fla., Tillis is a graduate of the University of Maryland University College and served two terms on the Town of Cornelius Board of Commissioners prior to his election to the General Assembly.

12:30  **First-Timers’ Welcome Lunch**  |  Sunset Terrace  |  12:30–1:30 p.m. (Free for first-time attendees and their guests)

12:50  **Navitat Zipline Adventure**  |  1:50 and 2:10 reservations; allow one hour for travel/orientation (Ticketed, off-site)

1:00  **Free Shuttle Service to Downtown Asheville, River Arts District**  |  For full schedule, see the General Information page  |  1:00 p.m.–midnight  |  Sponsored by The Van Winkle Law Firm

1:15  **CPE Video Replay: Paralegal Division Annual Meeting**  |  Taft MN  |  1:15–4:30 p.m.

1:30  **CLE Program Registration** (Walk-ins welcome)  |  Vanderbilt Wing, Level 7  |  1:30–4:30 p.m.

1:30  **Tubing on the French Broad River**  |  Zen Tubing, 608 Riverside Drive  |  1:30–4:30 p.m. (Ticketed; meet in the hotel lobby at 1:30)

2:00  **CLE New Video Replay: iPad for Litigators**  |  Wilson  |  2:00–3:00 p.m.

2:15  **Chief Justice’s Commission on Equal Access to Justice**  |  Heritage Ballroom C (Sammons Wing)  |  2:15–5:00 p.m.

3:00  **CLE New Video Replay: iPad for Transactional Lawyers**  |  Wilson  |  3:00–4:00 p.m.

3:00  **YLD Annual Meeting and Executive Council Meeting**  |  Laurel  |  3:00–4:00 p.m.

4:00  **CLE New Video Replay: #LegalEthics**  |  Wilson  |  4:00–5:00 p.m.

5:00  **Paralegal Division Reception**  |  Catawba Brewing Co., 32 Banks Avenue  |  5:00–7:00 p.m.
Schedule of Events
Friday, June 23, 5:30–9:30 p.m.

5:30   **Law School Receptions**  |  Vanderbilt Level 8 Rooms  |  5:30–7:00 p.m. (Free)
  - **Campbell Law School Reception**  |  Eisenhower FG  |  5:30–7:00 p.m.
  - **Duke Law Reception**  |  Roosevelt KL  |  5:30–7:00 p.m. (Honoring 2017-18 NCBA President Caryn Coppedge McNeill at 6:15 p.m.)
  - **Elon Law Reception**  |  Hoover HJ  |  5:30–7:00 p.m.
  - **NCCU School of Law Reception**  |  Taft MN  |  5:30–7:00 p.m.
  - **UNC School of Law Reception**  |  Vanderbilt Terrace  |  5:30–7:00 p.m.
  - **Wake Forest School of Law Reception**  |  Grand Ballroom B  |  5:30–7:00 p.m.

6:30   **Litigation Section Reception**  |  Elaine’s Terrace  |  6:30–8:00 p.m.

6:30   **Past Presidents’ Reception and Dinner**  |  Skyline Room  |  6:30–9:30 p.m.  (By invitation only)

7:30   **YLD/SLD Night on the Town**  |  Wedge Brewery, 5 Foundy Street  |  7:30–11:00 p.m. (Everyone invited to attend)

8:00   **Legal Legends of Color Reception**  |  Honoring Judge Albert Diaz, Former Justice Patricia Timmons-Goodson and Professor Irving L. Joyner  |  Vanderbilt Terrace  |  8:00 –10:30 p.m. (Everyone invited to attend)  |  Sponsored by Carol Goins Attorney At Law, Guilford County Black Lawyers Association, Law Office of Attorney Eugene Ellison, McGuire, Wood & Bissette, Roberts & Stevens P.A., 28th Judicial District Bar and The Van Winkle Law Firm

9:30   **Late Night Hootenanny**  |  President’s Lounge (Samarmon Wing)  |  9:30–midnight (Everyone invited to attend)

Saturday, June 24, 6:00–10:30 a.m.

6:00   **Morning Coffee Walk**  |  3-mile walk and talk from the entrance of the Great Hall to Starbucks  |  6:00–7:30 a.m.

7:00   **Free Yoga**  |  Vanderbilt Terrace  |  7:00–8:00 a.m. (Bring your own mat)

7:30   **Foundation Donors Coffee**  |  Great Hall Coffee Bar  |  7:30–8:30 (All donors invited to attend)

8:00   **Registration Desk and Exhibit Hall Open**  |  Grand Ballroom A  |  8:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.

8:00   **Continental Breakfast**  |  Exhibit Hall  |  8:00–11:00 a.m.

8:45   **Saturday General Session**  |  Judge Patrice A. Hinnant, presiding  |  Grand Ballroom B-C  |  8:45–noon  |  Sponsored by the Chief Justice’s Commission on Professionalism
  - **Business of the Bar (Bylaws, Memorials and Nominations)**
  - **Leadership Academy Class of 2017**  |  Co-chairs Patti Ramseur and Roberta King Latham
  - **Haiti Project Update**  |  Haiti Committee Chair Daniel Merlin introduces Stanley Gaston

STANLEY GASTON serves as president of the Port-au-Prince Bar Association and the Federation of Bars of Haiti. Along with Jacques Miguel Sanon, who serves on the board of the Port-au-Prince bar, he has provided the connection through which the NCBA has developed its relationship with the nation of Haiti. Gaston and Sanon attended the 2016 NCBA Annual Meeting in Charlotte, and it was at their invitation that the NCBA delegation recently visited their country for a successful three-day conference.

10:00   **Exhibit Hall Break with Door Prizes**  |  Grand Ballroom A

10:30   **Election of the New President-Elect**
Schedule of Events  
Saturday, June 24, 11:00 a.m.–9:30 p.m.

11:00  **Saturday General Session, continued**  | Grand Ballroom B-C  | 8:45–noon

11:15  **State of the Judiciary Speech**  | Chief Justice Mark Martin

**MARK MARTIN** has served on the N.C. Supreme Court since 1999 and as chief justice since Sept. 1, 2014. He previously served on the Superior Court and N.C. Court of Appeals, and is a past chair of the ABA Judicial Division and a former NCBA vice president. Martin is a graduate of Western Carolina University and the UNC School of Law. In September 2015, Martin convened the North Carolina Commission on the Administration of Law and Justice “to undertake a comprehensive review of North Carolina’s Judicial System and make recommendations for improving the administration of justice.” The commission issued its final report on March 15, 2017.

11:45  **50th Anniversary NC Court of Appeals Honoring All Living Past Court of Appeals Judges**  | Recognition by NCBA Past President Shelby Benton and Chief Judge Linda McGee

10:00  **Free Photo Booth**  | Grand Ballroom A  | 10:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.  | Sponsored by Lawyers Insurance Agency

noon  **Exhibit Hall Grand Door Prize Drawing**  | Grand Ballroom A  | Sponsored by Office Depot

12:30  **Young Lawyers Division Luncheon**  | Keynote Speaker: Judge Rich Dietz, N.C. Court of Appeals  | Heritage Ballroom A (Sammons Wing)  | 12:30–2:00 p.m. (Ticketed)

**RICHARD DIETZ** has served on the N.C. Court of Appeals since 2014. He was appointed to the court by Gov. McCrory and elected to an eight-year term in 2016. Following two federal clerkships, he served as a research fellow at Kyushu University in Japan before returning to the U.S. to practice with Covington & Burling in Washington, D.C., and Kilpatrick Townsend & Stockton in Winston-Salem. Dietz is a graduate of Shippensburg University and the Wake Forest University School of Law. At the time of his appointment to the Court of Appeals he was serving as vice chair of the NCBA Appellate Practice Section.

12:30  **Golf Tournament**  | GPI Golf Course  | 12:30–5:00 p.m. (Ticketed, athletic attire)

12:30  **Tennis Tournament: Lawyers vs. Judges**  | GPI Sports Complex  | 12:30–2:30 p.m. (Ticketed, athletic attire)

12:30  **Mountain Hike led by John Mason**  | Vanderbilt Wing, Level 7  | 12:30–4:30 p.m. (Ticketed, includes box lunch)

1:00  **Free Shuttle Service to Downtown Asheville**  | For full schedule, see the General Information page  | 1:00–5:00 p.m.  | Sponsored by The Van Winkle Law Firm

1:30  **CLE Program Registration**  | Vanderbilt Wing  | 1:30–4:30 p.m.  | (Walk-ins welcome)

2:00  **CLE New Video Replay: Don’t Click that Link! Scams and Digital Security Basics**  | Wilson  | 2:00–3:00 p.m.

3:00  **CLE New Video Replay: The (Not) So Grand Canyon**  | Wilson  | 3:00–4:00 p.m.

4:00  **CLE New Video Replay: What Am I Supposed to do with all this #^%^Email?**  | Wilson  | 4:00–5:00 p.m.

6:30  **Kid’s Night at the GPI**  | GPI Sports Complex (drop off in Grand Ballroom Pre-Function)  | 6:30–9:30 p.m. (Ticketed)

6:30  **Saturday Night Reception**  | Grand Ballroom  | 6:30–7:00 p.m.  | Sponsored by Smith Anderson

7:30  **Saturday Night Gala Banquet, featuring the swearing in of Caryn McNeill, 123rd NCBA President**  | Grand Ballroom  | 7:30–9:30 p.m. (Ticketed, “black tie and blue jeans” attire)  | Sponsored by Smith Anderson, Duke Law and Lawyers Mutual

9:30  **Saturday Night Entertainment, featuring Amanda Anne Platt & The Honeycutters**  | Grand Ballroom  | 9:30 p.m.–11:00 p.m. (Everyone invited to attend)  | Sponsored by Smith Anderson
Schedule of Events
Sunday, June 25, 6:00 a.m.–noon

6:00  Morning Coffee Walk | 3-mile walk and talk from the entrance of the Great Hall to Starbucks | 6:00–7:30 a.m.
7:00  Free Yoga | Vanderbilt Terrace | 7:00–8:00 a.m. (Bring your own mat)
8:30  Campbell Law School Prayer Breakfast | Speaker: Allan Head | Grand Ballroom C | Service: 9:00–10:00 a.m.

ALLAN HEAD, longtime executive director of the NCBA, became executive secretary in December 1973 following four years of military service as a lawyer assigned to the U.S. Army Security Agency in Kassel and Augsburg, Germany, and served as executive director from 1981 until his retirement at the end of last year. He is a past president of the National Association of Bar Executives and former recipient of its highest honor, the Bolton Award. A native of Atlanta, Head is a graduate of Wake Forest University and the Wake Forest University School of Law.

10:00  NCBA Board of Governors and NCBF Board of Directors Spouse/Guest/Family Member Brunch | Eisenhower FG | 10:00 a.m.–noon
10:00  NCBA Board of Governors and NCBF Board of Directors Meeting | Grand Ballroom A | 10:00 a.m.–noon
noon  2017 Annual Meeting Adjourns

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Francis Marion Hotel
One-night stay

French Broad Chocolates
$15 store gift card and two tickets for a factory tour

Hampton Inn & Suites Charlotte/SouthPark at Phillips Place
One-night stay

Hilton Myrtle Beach Resort
Two-night stay

Hilton Wilmington Riverside
Two-night stay

Hyatt Place Downtown Asheville
One-night stay

Omni Grove Park Inn
Two-night stay with breakfast

Quaintance - Weaver Restaurants & Hotels
One-night stay at the O. Henry Hotel and gift certificates for dinner

Renaissance Asheville Hotel
Two-night stay

Sanderling Resort
One-night stay

The Country Club of the Crystal Coast
Four rounds of 18 holes of golf for up to two foursomes