EATS CONFERENCE 2024

Stetson College of Law

Time	Monday, June 10, 2024	Location
9:30 – 10:00 a.m.	CHECK-IN	Great Hall
10:00 a.m.	WELCOME AND CONFERENCE LOGISTICS	Great Hall
10:00 – 11:15 a.m.	ALL GROUP SESSION: Hosting Competitions Judge recruiting & training Protest committees Professionalism requirements & rewards Competition logistics & fellowship 	Great Hall
11:15 – 11:30	BREAK	
11:30 – 12:30	Work It: Skill Drills for Creating Persuasive Arguments	Great Hall
12:30 – 1:45 p.m.	LUNCH Teaching Soft Skills: Teamwork, Sportsmanship, Giving & Receiving Feedback	Mann Lounge
1:45 – 2:45 p.m.	 ALL GROUP SESSION: LIGHTING ROUNDS I Eight to Ten Minutes on a New Idea, Proposal, or Reflection A. "Expanding the Reach of Evidence & Trial Advocacy Seminars: Race, Gender, Vulnerable Populations, & the Rules of Evidence" B. Top Tricks for Teaching Storytelling C. "Running Internal Competitions" D. "College Mock Trial (AMTA): Facts and Myths" 	Great Hall
2:45 – 3:00 p.m.	Break	

Time	Monday, June 10, 2024	Location
3:00 – 4:00 p.m.	 ALL GROUP SESSION: Gilded Reverence: Bestowing Adoration Upon Our Underappreciated Coaches Recruitment, retention & recognition of coaches Support to coaches when financial resources are not available Inspiring belonging & inclusivity to enhance the coach & student experience 	Great Hall
4:00 – 4:15 p.m.	Break	
4:15 – 5:30 p.m.	BREAKOUT 1: Trial Session – Do We Need a New Regional-to- National Competition?	Great Hall
	BREAKOUT 2: DR Session – Playing by the Rules: Dealing with Facts Outside the Record	Courtroom 109
	BREAKOUT 3: Moot Session – Problem Drafting: Controversial Topics?	Courtroom 102
6:00 – 7:30 p.m.	HAPPY HOUR	

Time	Tuesday, June 11, 2024	Location
7:00 a.m.	RUNNING/WALKING/REFLECTING AT THE BEACH	The Beach Suites 3860 Gulf Blvd. St. Pete Beach
9:00 – 10:00 a.m.	 BREAKFAST AND CONVERSATIONS The Book Club – What books are you reading that impact your teaching, coaching & life? 	Mann Lounge
10:00 a.m.	WELCOME FROM DEAN BARROS	Great Hall

Time	Tuesday, June 11, 2024	Location
10:00 – 11:15 a.m.	 ALL GROUP SESSION: Building a Pipeline to Employment for Our Advocacy Students How to make our students valuable in the job market? How do we connect students with employers who value our students' strengths? How to institutionalize connections & leverage relationships? 	Great Hall
11:15 – 11:30 a.m.	Break	
11:30 – 12:30 p.m.	BREAKOUT SESSION 1: Fostering Authenticity I – Skill Drills to Teach Listening & Likeability	Great Hall
	 BREAKOUT SESSION 2: Balancing Interests & Setting Priorities: Developing and Building Strong Advocacy Programs Prioritizing courses, events & advocacy team competitions Dealing with intra-school politics & limited resources Using people (so you don't have to reinvent the wheel) 	Courtroom 109
12:30 – 1:45 p.m.	LUNCH NALAE Elections & Initiatives	Mann Lounge
1:45 – 2:45 p.m.	BREAKOUT SESSION 1: Regional Hosts: The Good, The Bad & The Balance	Great Hall
	BREAKOUT SESSION 2: ABA Requirements: Leveraging Advocacy Programming With Your Administration To Support Bar Passage & ABA Compliance	Courtroom 109
2:45 – 3:00 p.m.	Break	

Time	Tuesday, June 11, 2024	Location
3:00 – 4:00 p.m.	ALL GROUP SESSION - LIGHTING ROUNDS II	Great Hall
	Eight to Ten Minutes on a New Idea, Proposal, or Reflection	
	A. Advocacy Writing Award Winner "What a Wonderful World This Would Be: A Proposal for Hybrid-Team Collaborative Advocacy Competitions"	
	B. "Advanced Trial Advocacy Workshop from Soup to Nuts"	
	C. "Certifying our Competitions - Ensuring they meet or exceed National Standards"	
	E. "Lessons Learned: Self-evaluation After Competition"	
4:00 – 4:15 p.m.	Break	
4:15 – 5:15 p.m.	ALL GROUP SESSION: Teaching Responsiveness and Presence in All Things (But Mostly in Evidentiary Objections)	Great Hall
5:30 – 7:00 p.m.	AWARDS RECEPTION AND DINNER	Mann Lounge
	Honoring Award Recipients:	
	Edward D. Ohlbaum Award ("The Eddie")Lifetime Achievement Award	

	Wednesday, June 12, 2024	Location
7:00 a.m.	RUNNING/WALKING/REFLECTING ON THE BEACH	The Beach Suites 3860 Gulf Blvd. St. Pete Beach
8:30 - 9:00	BREAKFAST	Great Hall
9:00 – 10:00 a.m.	ALL GROUP SESSION: What Do We Value? And Does Our Current System Reflect Those Values?	Great Hall
	 Do the ballots reflect our values? Do our judges know our values? Do we need to rethink our values? 	
10:00 – 10:15 a.m.	Break	

	Wednesday, June 12, 2024	Location
10:15 – 11:15	BREAKOUT SESSION 1: A Continued Conversation: Do We Need A New Regional-to-National Trial Competition	Great Hall
	BREAKOUT SESSION 2: Students Who Cross Boundaries	Courtroom 109
11:15 – 12:00 p.m.	ALL GROUP SESSION: Litigating as a Person of Color	Great Hall
12:00 – 1:00 p.m.	 LUNCH Teaching Advocacy, Fast & Slow A reprisal of the greatest hits from Nobel Prize winner Daniel Kahnerman's work on how bias impacts human judgement. Using hindsight bias, anchoring, and the availability Heuristic to persuade and teach. 	Mann Lounge
1:00 – 2:00 p.m.	ALL GROUP SESSION: Advocacy & Harnessing AI: Preparing our Students for Practice	Great Hall

FAREWELL!

See you next year!