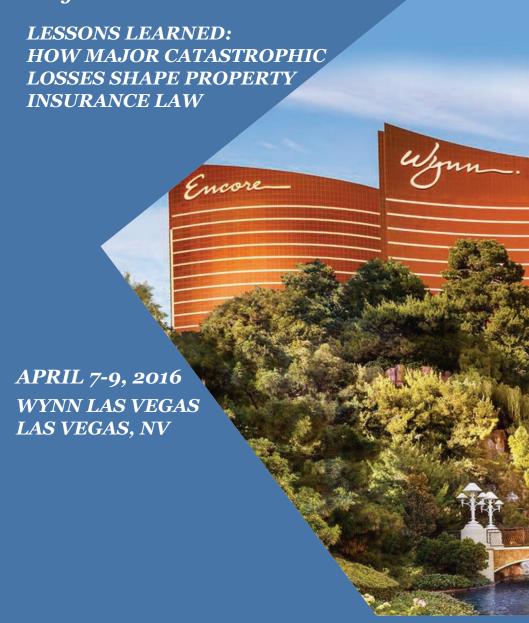


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The 2016 Meeting will focus on how major catastrophic losses have shaped property insurance law. The program will offer a chronological retrospective of major losses and the prospective impact they have had on the law. Our distinguished group of speakers is comprised of seasoned practitioners, judges, industry professionals and experts. This engaging, insightful, and knowledgeable group of esteemed presenters will offer interesting and entertaining panel discussions starting with the 1906 San Francisco earthquake – and the development of ensuing loss coverage – through the legal impact of catastrophic events including the eruption of Mount St. Helens, September 11, the Japanese Tsunami, hurricanes and fires, ending with the developing area of property insurance coverage for cybersecurity losses. The program will also include a discussion of bad faith issues in catastrophic losses and a panel that will address locating and vetting experts for property disputes involving catastrophic losses. The Meeting will end with an ethics presentation by participants from the ABA Commission on Ethics 20/20 who will discuss amendments the ABA has made to the Model Rules of Professional Conduct.

In addition to attending substantive educational programming addressing a broad array of property insurance coverage issues and related legal developments, Meeting attendees will have several opportunities to participate in networking events designed to bring together professionals from all aspects of the property insurance industry. The Meeting begins on Thursday evening with a Welcome Reception open to all attendees. After the Friday morning presentations, attendees are free to enjoy the afternoon at their leisure. Friday evening, all attendees are invited to attend a dinner, followed by a group outing to see the award-winning aqua show, La Rêve – The Dream. After the Saturday morning presentations, all attendees are welcome to join the Committee's business lunch meeting. All of the social events are wonderful opportunities for first time attendees, as well as for return attendees, to connect with friends and colleagues.

We look forward to a wonderful Meeting. See you there!

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THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 2016

12:00 P.M. – 6:00 P.M. **REGISTRATION**

7:00 P.M. – 8:30 P.M. WELCOME RECEPTION

*ALL ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND.

FRIDAY, APRIL 8, 2016

7:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. **REGISTRATION**

7:00 A.M. – 7:30 A.M. CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

7:30 A.M. – 7:35 A.M. WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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7:35 A.M. – 8:20 A.M. 1906 SAN FRANCISCO EARTHQUAKE AND ENSUING LOSS

COVERAGE

This session will explore the development of ensuing loss coverage under commercial and residential property policies, tracing that development from the cases following 1906 San Francisco Earthquake to today.

John N. Love, Robins Kaplan LLP, Boston, MA

Vedica Puri, Pillsbury & Coleman, LLP, San Francisco, CA

8:20 A.M. – 9:00 A.M. MOUNT ST. HELENS' ERUPTION AND DIRECT V. INDIRECT

OFF-PREMISES BUSINESS INCOME LOSSES

The presentation will focus on the unique issues that arose in the context of the eruption of Mount St. Helens. It will explore direct and indirect

business income losses caused by off-premise conditions.

Francis J. "FJ" Maloney, II, Maloney Lauersdorf Reiner P.C.,

Portland, OR

Christina M. Phillips, Childress Duffy, Ltd., Chicago, IL

9:00 A.M. – 9:50 A.M. SEPTEMBER 11, 2001 TERRORIST ATTACKS AND THE NUMBER OF

OCCURRENCES

In this session panelists will present the arguments made regarding the number of covered occurrences arising out of the attack on the World Trade Center in New York on September 11, 2001 and explore the internet

and development of policy provisions highlighted by those events.

John Gross, Proskauer Rose LLP, New York, NY Patricia St. Peter, Zelle LLP, Minneapolis, MN

9:50 A.M. – 10:00 A.M. BREAK





10:00 A.M. – 10:50 A.M.

SEPTEMBER 11, 2001 AND LOSS VALUATION INCLUDING PERIODS OF INDEMNITY FOR TIME ELEMENT LOSSES

This panel will discuss issues concerning loss valuation and measurement arising out of the September 11, 2001 attacks, including the scope of replacement cost coverage under commercial property policies, periods of indemnity for time element losses, and claims for loss of market.

Marshall Gilinsky, Anderson Kill P.C., Burlington, VT

Jonathan Held, J.S. Held LLC, Jericho, NY Jonathan R. MacBride, Zelle LLP, Philadelphia, PA

Daniel G. Markowicz, Matson Driscoll & Damico Ltd., Los Angeles, CA

10:50 A.M. - 11:25 A.M.

SEPTEMBER 11, 2001 AND IMPACT OF ACTIONS

BY CIVIL AUTHORITIES

This session will explore property policy coverages implicated as due to acts by civil authorities after the September 11 attacks and will include a discussion of cases interpreting applicable coverages.

Margaret H. Fahey, Clausen Miller P.C., Chicago, IL Matthew B. Weaver, Ver Ploeg & Lumpkin, P.A., Miami, FL

11:25 A.M. - 12:10 P.M.

HURRICANE KATRINA AND WIND V. FLOOD COVERAGE

This presentation will address property coverage questions that arose after Hurricane Katrina, including causation and damage issues involving wind versus flood and the application of anti-concurrent causation policy provisions.

Jennifer L. Gibbs, Zelle LLP, Dallas, TX

Robert I. Siegel, Geiger, Laborde & Laperouse, LLC, New Orleans, LA

1:30 P.M.

GOLF TOURNAMENT (Ticketed Event)

SPA RETREAT (Ticketed Event)

7:30 P.M.

DINNER (Ticketed Event)

9:30 P.M.

LAS VEGAS SHOW FEATURING LAREVE (Ticketed Event)

SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 2016

7:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

REGISTRATION

7:00 A.M. - 7:30 A.M.

CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

7:30 A.M. - 8:10 A.M.

JAPANESE TSUNAMI AND CONTINGENT BUSINESS

INTERRUPTION LOSSES

This presentation will address the applicability of contingent Business Interruption Coverage to disruptions in policyholders' business operations after the March 2011 earthquake and tsunami, which caused physical loss to the suppliers and customers of policyholders.

Daniel R. Bentson, Bullivant Houser Bailey P.C., Seattle, WA

Erica J. Dominitz, Kilpatrick Townsend & Stockton LLP, Washington, DC

8:10 A.M. - 8:45 A.M.

HURRICANE SANDY-PARTICULAR ISSUES

This session will address issues that figured prominently in the litigation following Hurricane Sandy including coverage limited to named storms, the distinction between storm surge and flood, and the degree to which property policy sub-limits can be "stacked" in the event of a loss.

Melissa M. D'Alelio, Robins Kaplan LLP, Boston, MA

Johnathan C. Lerner, Lerner Arnold & Wilson, LLP, New York, NY









8:45 A.M. - 9:20 A.M.

FIRES/EXPLOSIONS-DEFINITION OF EXPLOSION AND INTERPLAY BETWEEN ALL-RISK AND BOILER & MACHINERY POLICIES

The presentation will address historical distinctions between All-Risk and Boiler & Machinery policies, the definition of "explosion" under Boiler & Machinery coverages and will discuss the current market for such coverages.

Thomas S. Brown, Butler Weihmuller Katz Craig LLP, Philadelphia, PA Larry Gordon, Travelers Ins., Hartford, CT

Bill J. Kramer, William Kramer & Associates, Hartford, CT

9:20 A.M. - 9:55 A.M.

BAD FAITH ISSUES IN CATASTROPHIC LOSSES/BIG BAD FAITH CASES

Panelists will discuss the potential for bad faith exposure in handling catastrophic losses and steps that may be taken to avoid exposure for extra contractual damages.

Jeffrey Michael Cohen, Carlton Fields, Miami, FL Sean McAloon, Rivkin Radler LLP, Uniondale, NY

9:55 A.M. – 10:10 A.M.

BREAK

10:10 A.M. - 10:55 A.M.

DEVELOPING AREA-PROPERTY INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR CYBERSECURITY LOSSES

In this session, panelists will address available property coverages available for cyber security losses, including traditional forms and recent insurance products designed to cover or limit coverage for cyber risks, as well as case addressing coverage for cyber losses.

Rene L. Siemens, Covington & Burling LLP, Los Angeles, CA Joyce C. Wang, Carlson, Calladine Peterson LLP, San Francisco, CA Meredith Murphy, FM Global, Johnston, RI

10:55A.M. - 11:40 A.M.

LOCATING AND VETTING EXPERTS FOR PROPERTY DISPUTES INVOLVING CATASTROPHIC LOSSES

This panel will discuss locating and vetting experts on behalf of one's client, obtaining material necessary to cross examine opposing experts, and legal requirements for admission of expert testimony.

Jay M. Levin, Reed Smith LLP, Philadelphia, PA

William F. Stewart, Stewart Bernsteil Rebar & Smith, Princeton, NJ John J. Murphy, Jr., J. Murphy & Associates, Blue Bell, PA

11:40 A.M. - 12:40 P.M.

ETHICS PANEL

Participants in the ABA Commission on Ethics 20/20 will talk about the amendments the ABA has made to the Model Rules of Professional Conduct through February 2015 including advances in technology.

Hon. Daniel J. Crothers, North Dakota Supreme Court Bismarck, ND

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Ellyn S. Rosen, ABA Center for Professional Responsibility Chicago, IL

12:45 P.M. - 2:00 P.M.

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