Second Annual FBA Hawaii Conference
Honolulu, December 10, 2010
Royal Hawaiian Hotel

SATISFIES 3.0 HAWAII MCPE REQUIREMENT FOR 2010 OR 2011

8:00-9:00  Registration – Continental Breakfast
9:00-10:00 “Supreme Court Review: 2009-2010 Term”
           Prof. Pamela S. Karlan, Stanford Law School
10:00-11:00 “Ethics Without Borders: Professional Responsibility in International Law”
            Dr. James G. Apple, FBA International Law Section Chair
11:00-11:15 Break
11:15-12:15 “The Insular Cases: A Comparative Historical Study of Puerto Rico and Hawaii”
            Hon. Gustavo A. Gelpi, District of Puerto Rico
12:15-1:15 Lunch (included)
1:15-2:15  “The Future of Lawyers and Law Firms: An Ethics Perspective”
           Prof. Nancy J. Moore, Boston University School of Law
           Ashley L. Belleau, Esq., 2010 FBA National President
2:15-2:30  Break
2:30-3:30 “Egon Schiele’s ‘Dead City’: Current Issues in Nazi Art Looting and Recovery”
           Raymond J. Dowd., Esq., FBA Second Circuit Vice President
3:30-4:30 “Ethical Issues in Judicial Settlement Conferences”
           Hon. Robert E. Bacharach, Western District of Oklahoma
           Hon. Michelle H. Burns, District of Arizona
4:30-5:00 “Federal Pro Bono: The Chicago Model”
           Hon. Marvin E. Aspen, Northern District of Illinois
5:00     Reception (hosted)
**DR. JAMES G. APPLE**  
FBA INTERNATIONAL LAW SECTION CHAIR

Dr. James G. Apple is Chairman and founding Director of the International Judicial Academy in Washington, D.C. He is the former Chief of the Inter-judicial Affairs Office, United States Federal Judicial Center, also in Washington, D.C. During his nine and one-half year tenure at the Federal Judicial Center, Jim directed or co-directed more than 50 seminars and hundreds of briefings for judges and legal officials from 152 countries, in addition to his other duties. He has published numerous articles for both U.S. and foreign publications on judges, courts and court administration and has lectured on those subjects at judicial training institutes and universities outside of the United States. Before coming to Washington in 1990, Jim was a practicing trial lawyer in the Commonwealth of Kentucky for 25 years. He is a Fellow of the American College of Trial Lawyers, a member of the American Law Institute, and holds the rank of Advocate with the American Board of Trial Advocates. He has a B.A. with honors in philosophy from the University of Virginia, a J.D. from the University of Virginia Law School, where he was an editor of the Virginia Law Review, and a Master of Laws (LL.M.) in international and comparative law from the University of Edinburgh in Scotland. Jim was awarded first prize in the British Red Cross national essay competition on international humanitarian law in 1990 for which he received short residential fellowships at the Henri Dunant Institute in Geneva, Switzerland and the Institute of International Humanitarian Law in San Remo, Italy. He is co-author of A Primer on the Civil Law System and Manual for Cooperation Between State and Federal Courts, both published by the Federal Judicial Center.

**SENIOR DISTRICT JUDGE MARVIN E. ASPEN**  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

Judge Marvin E. Aspen was appointed to the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois in 1979 and served as Chief Judge from July 1, 1995 to June 30, 2002. Judge Aspen has served as a member of the Judicial Conference of the United States (JCUS) and as Chair of the District Judge Representatives to the JCUS. He served as Chair of the Committee on Civility of the Seventh Federal Judicial Circuit. The Committee promulgated civility standards that were adopted by the Seventh Circuit and by courts and bar associations nationally. From 1971 until his appointment to the U.S. District Court, Judge Aspen was a judge of the Circuit Court of Cook County, Illinois. Before his appointment to the state court, he was on the staff of Corporation Counsel, Chicago, where he served as Head of the Appeals and Review Division, handling more than 100 appeals in state and federal appellate courts, including the Supreme Court of the United States. Judge Aspen received a B.S. in sociology from Loyola University, Chicago, in 1955 and his J.D. from Northwestern University School of Law in 1958. He taught evidence, criminal law, trial technique and municipal law at Northwestern University School of Law for nearly three decades and has lectured in law schools throughout the country.
MAGISTRATE JUDGE ROBERT E. BACHARACH  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

Since 1999, Robert E. Bacharach has served as a United States Magistrate Judge in the Western District of Oklahoma. Upon graduation from Washington University School of Law in 1985, Judge Bacharach clerked for Judge William J. Holloway, Jr., who was then the Chief Judge of the Tenth Circuit Court of Appeals. After his judicial clerkship, Judge Bacharach practiced civil litigation at Crowe & Dunlevy in Oklahoma City from 1987 to 1999.


ASHLEY L. BELLEAU, ESQ.  
2010 FBA NATIONAL PRESIDENT

Ashley Belleau is a partner with Montgomery, Barnett, Brown, Read, Hammond & Mintz, LLP in New Orleans, Louisiana. Her main areas of practice include commercial litigation, business law, and alternative dispute resolution.

Ashley received a B.A., cum laude, from Newcomb College and a J.D. from Tulane University. Before entering private practice, she served as a law clerk for Hon. Henry A. Mentz Jr. in the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana.

Ashley is a past president of the New Orleans Chapter of the FBA and a past FBA vice president for the Fifth Circuit. In September 2003, she was elected chair of the vice presidents for the circuits and served in that position for two years. Her past FBA activities include serving as deputy secretary on the Executive Committee for 2005-2006 and as a director on the Younger Lawyers Division Board for 1991-93. Ashley also served on the 2002-2005 Governance Review Committee, the 2003, 2007, and 2009 Chapter Activity Awards Committees, and the 2001-2002 Judicial Nominations Committee. She also has been a speaker at several annual FBA Chapter Leadership Training Programs for chapter presidents-elect. Ashley has been a member of the FBA National Council for a number of years. Since the adoption of the new governing structure by the FBA membership, Ashley has served on the Board of Directors. In 2006, she was appointed general counsel to the FBA and was re-appointed for the 2007-2008 term.

Ashley’s commercial practice includes advising businesses, financial institutions, and individuals concerning bankruptcies, contracts, construction, insurance, medical malpractice, real estate, corporate, and estate matters. She has been recognized as a Louisiana Super Lawyer, a Barrister of the Tulane Chapter of the American Inns of Court, a Fellow of the Foundation of the Federal Bar Association, a Fellow of the Young Lawyers Division of the American Bar Association, a Fellow of the American Bar Foundation, and a Fellow of the Louisiana Bar Foundation.
MAGISTRATE JUDGE MICHELLE H. BURNS
DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

Judge Michelle Burns is a U.S. Magistrate in Phoenix, Ariz., appointed to the bench on March 1, 2007. Previously, she worked in the U.S. Attorneys office, white collar crime unit, and before that spent 11 years in private practice. Judge Burns started her legal career as a county public defender. She has spent 22 years as a trial attorney, in both city, county and federal courts. Many of her cases were in the areas of complex securities fraud, wire fraud, and conspiracy litigation. She has appeared several times before Arizona and the Ninth Circuit Courts of Appeals. She has been a member of the Horace Rumpole Inn of Court, the Arizona Judicial Performance Review Committee, and a Lawyer Delegate to the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals. Judge Burns received a B.A. from the University of Michigan in 1981 and a J.D. from the University of Toledo in 1985.

In the FBA, Judge Burns has held the positions of secretary, treasurer, vice president, and president of the Phoenix Chapter from 1998-2001. In 2003, she was appointed to the board of the FBA Federal Litigation Section, and later became the editor of the section’s newsletter, Sidebar. She was elected chair of the Federal Litigation Section in 2004, holding that position until 2007. During her term as president of her chapter in 2001/2002, and as chair of the Litigation Section in 2005/2006, Judge Burns received Presidential Citation and Excellence Awards from the National FBA. Previously, Judge Burns served on the FBA Chapter Activity Fund Committee, the Bench/Bar Committee, the Nominations and Elections Committee, and the Task Force on Sections and Divisions. In October, 2009, Judge Burns was elected to serve a 3-year term on the FBA National Board of Directors.

RAYMOND J. DOWD, ESQ.
FBA SECOND CIRCUIT VICE-PRESIDENT

Raymond J. Dowd is an alumnus of Fordham Law School, Class of ’91. His legal career has taken him to France, Italy, and finally New York City, where he began his own practice in 1994. He is now a litigation partner at Dunnington, Bartholow & Miller, LLP in New York City. He is the author of West’s Copyright Litigation Handbook, now in its fifth printing. Ray earned his B.A. in International Studies from Manhattan College in 1986 and a French Language Certificate from the Sorbonne in Paris.

While attending Fordham Law School, he completed an internship with the Honorable John E. Sprizzo in the Southern District of New York and served as Articles Editor of the Fordham International Law Journal. After Fordham Law, Ray spent two years with the law firm of Dobson & Sinisi in Milan, Italy where the firm represented a wide range of U.S., Canadian and Italian corporate clients. Ray has litigated numerous trademark, copyright, music royalty, right of publicity, and defamation cases. He writes book reviews and a column for the New York Law Journal, teaches Fundamentals of Intellectual Property Management at New York University (School of Professional and Continuing Education) and delivers the copyright and Trademark Fundamentals lecture at the New York County Lawyers Association’s Continuing Legal Education Program. He currently represents a number of families pursuing claims for restitution of artworks lost during World War II.
**DISTRICT JUDGE GUSTAVO A. GELPI**
**DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO**


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**PROFESSOR PAMELA S. KARLAN**
**STANFORD LAW SCHOOL**

A nationally prominent constitutional law scholar and award-winning teacher, Pamela S. Karlan is also co-director of Stanford Law School’s Supreme Court Litigation Clinic, where students litigate cases before the Court. One of the nation’s leading experts on voting and the political process, she has served as a commissioner on the California Fair Political Practices Commission and an assistant counsel and cooperating attorney for the NAACP Legal Defense Fund. Professor Karlan is the co-author of three leading casebooks on constitutional law, constitutional litigation, and the law of democracy, as well as more than sixty scholarly articles.

Before joining the Stanford Law School faculty in 1998, she was a professor of law at the University of Virginia School of Law and served as a law clerk to Justice Harry A. Blackmun of the U.S. Supreme Court and Judge Abraham D. Sofaer of the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York. Professor Karlan is a member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences and of the American Law Institute and serves as a member of the Board of Directors for the American Constitution Society. Some of her key published works include:

PROFESSOR NANCY J. MOORE  
BOSTON UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL

Professor Nancy J. Moore is Professor of Law and Nancy Barton Scholar at Boston University School of Law, where she teaches Professional Responsibility and Torts. She has been teaching and writing in the Professional Responsibility field for over thirty years and is the author of numerous articles on attorney ethics. Professor Moore is a nationally recognized scholar in this field. Recent articles include “Mens Rea Standards in lawyer Disciplinary Codes,” 23 Geo. J. Legal Ethics 1 (2010); “The American Law Institute’s Draft Proposal to Bypass the Aggregate Settlement Rule: Do Mass Tort Clients Need (or Want) Group Decision-making?” 57 DePaul L. Rev. 395 (2008); “Regulating Law Firm Conflicts in the 21st Century: Implications of the Globalization of Legal Services and the Growth of the ‘Mega Firm’” 18 Georgetown J. Legal Ethics 521 (2005); “Who Should Regulate Class Action Lawyers?” 2003 U. of Ill. Law Rev. 1477; and “Regulating Self-Referrals and Other Physician Conflicts of Interest,” 15 Healthcare Ethics Forum 134 (2003). Professor Moore was Chief Reporter for the ABA Commission on Evaluation of the Rules of Professional Conduct (“Ethics 2000”) and is Chair of the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination Drafting Committee. She has served twice as Chair of the Association of American Law Schools’ Section on Professional Responsibility and was an Adviser to the American Law Institute’s Restatement of the Law Governing Lawyers.

CONFERENCE DAY COORDINATOR

JUANITA SALES LEE, ESQ.  
2008 FBA NATIONAL PRESIDENT

Juanita Sales Lee is a senior attorney with the U.S. Army, Space and Missile Defense Command in Huntsville, Alabama, where she primarily practices labor and employment law. Although practicing with various Army commands for over 20 years, she has also worked with the Legal Aid Society of Madison County, Huntsville; Alabama A&M University; the US. Department of Housing and Urban Development, and was in private practice in her hometown of Phenix City, Alabama. She is a graduate of the University of Alabama School of Law, and has a Master of Laws degree from the Judge Advocate General’s School, U.S. Army. She is admitted to the State Bar of Alabama, State Bar of Georgia, the Supreme Court of the United States, and the U.S. District Court, Northern and Middle Districts of Alabama. As an FBA member for over 15 years, she has served in many leadership positions, most recently as 2008 FBA National President.

Juanita is also a member of the Board of Directors, Legal Services Alabama Inc.; the Museum Committee, Alabama Space Science Exhibit Commission; the Alabama Citizens for Constitutional Reform; Georgia Bar delegate to China, People to People Ambassador Program; past president of the Phenix City NAACP; past secretary, Russell County Bar Association; past member, Advisory Committee, Alabama State Docks.
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