



Above left: Presenters at the Federal Bar Association's Dallas Chapter—David Jarvis, assistant U.S. attorney; Nancy S. Resnick, U.S. trustee trial attorney; and Emily Pearl, U.S. trustee intern and SMU law student. Above middle: Presenters David Jarvis, assistant U.S. attorney, and Nancy S. Resnick, U.S. trustee trial attorney. Above right: Attendees follow along with a PowerPoint presentation.

### 'Do You Feel Lucky? A Clint Eastwood Guide to Bankruptcy-Connected Prosecutions' presented by the Bankruptcy Law Section and the Dallas Chapter

On Oct. 31, 2017, the FBA Bankruptcy Section, the FBA Dallas Chapter, and the Dallas Bar Association's Bankruptcy Section jointly sponsored "Do You Feel Lucky? A Clint Eastwood Guide to Bankruptcy-Connected Prosecutions." Using recent prosecutions and convictions as examples, the presenters highlighted the types of questions that attorneys should ask potential clients, the statutory requirement to refer bankruptcy crimes, and the ethical concerns when an attorney responds to questions from investigators and prosecutors. David Jarvis, assistant U.S. attorney, and Nancy S. Resnick, U.S. trustee trial attorney, presented with the assistance of Emily Pearl, U.S. trustee intern and SMU law student. FBA Fifth Circuit Vice President Marc Taubenfeld welcomed over 50 attendees to the bankruptcy ethics-CLE.

Many thanks to Judge Cooter Hale and Marc Taubenfeld, both of whom serve on the FBA Bankruptcy Section Executive Committee and the Dallas Chapter FBA Board, for planning and coordinating this event.



Top: Presenter David Jarvis speaks while (right to left) Marc Taubenfeld, Nancy Resnick, and Emily Pearl listen. Middle: Attendees. Bottom: William T. Neary, the U.S. Trustee for Region 6, is in the foreground.

### University of Kansas Law School Student Chapter

On Sept. 18, 2017, the University of Kansas Law School Student Chapter hosted a Welcome Back Reception at KU Law to kick off the 2017-18 academic year. National members from the area were invited to attend and meet KU Law's student FBA members and connect with fellow area members. KU Law FBA members had a wonderful time speaking with the federal judges, practicing attorneys, and the Kansas and Western District of Missouri Chapter Board members in attendance. The division looks forward to future events that connect its student members with national members!



Above: (left to right) John Shaw (partner, Berkowitz Oliver LLP, and 2016-17 Kansas and Western District of Missouri Chapter president), Amii Castle (KU Law adjunct faculty), Jon Simpson (assistant solicitor general, Kansas AGO), Hon. Eric Melgren (U.S. District Court, District of Kansas).



Lou Mulligan (KU Law associate dean and division adviser), Anthony Mattivi (assistant U.S. attorney, District of Kansas), Benjamin Stringer (KU Law 3L and division vice president).

## International Law Section and SDNY Chapter Present Human Rights Adjudication Event at Fordham Law School

On Nov. 2, 2017, the International Law Section and the SDNY Chapter presented an introduction to human rights adjudication in the U.S., the role of stakeholders, such as the FBA, in shaping policy and informing debate, and the pending FBA application for UN Consultative Status. The event was sponsored by Fordham Law School. Mimi Tsankov presented an informal talk to LL.M. students at Fordham Law School on opportunities within the FBA for law students and younger lawyers. The program is part of an ongoing relationship between Fordham, the FBA, longtime FBA national leader Raymond Dowd, Esq., and Dean Toni Jaeger-Fine, board member, FBA International Law Section. The students were excited to join the FBA and learn more about FBA's application for United Nations Consultative Status. Many of them will be participating in the following upcoming jointly sponsored program: A historical reenactment of "The Case of 22 Lewd Chinese Women: *Chy Lung v. Freeman*"—an immigration case that reached the Supreme Court in the 1870s. Second Circuit Court of Appeals Judge Denny Chin will preside over the reenactment. That program will take place on March 14 and will be co-sponsored with the Asian-American Bar Association of New York (AABANY).



From the DC Chapter and International Law Section: (L to R, front row) Diana Wielocha, Jonathan Lasken, Brian C. Murphy; (second row) Virginia Law students Jessie Michelin, Lucia Radder, Jacqui Dejournett.

## Section on Taxation Presented Networking Reception With Hon. Joseph Nega

On Oct. 18, the Section on Taxation held an event at Northwestern University School of Law in Chicago for U.S. Tax Court Judge Joseph W. Nega. Approximately 30 tax LL.M. students, government attorneys, and private sector tax practitioners attended the event. Judge Nega provided a brief presentation about his perspectives from the Tax Court before taking questions from the audience about pre- and post-trial briefing, best practices, and Tax Court clerkships. Judge Nega joined the networking reception for attendees before and after sharing his remarks.

## Section on Taxation Presents Networking Reception in Boston

FBA Tax Boston had a reception on Oct. 17, 2017, at Society on High in downtown Boston. Local tax LL.M. students and practitioners enjoyed drinks and hors d'oeuvres compliments of the FBA Tax Section and Ropes & Gray LLP. The Boston group of the FBA Section on Taxation looks forward to its next event.



SDNY Chapter: Qiuyan (Vicky) Zhao, FBA ILS law student liaison, Fordham Law School; and Bo (Bella) Xiao, FBA member.

## International Law Section Presents Careers Panel at the University of Virginia

On Nov. 3, 2017, current FBA DC Chair and International Law Section Past Chair Brian Murphy presided over a careers panel sponsored by the FBA and the John Bassett Moore International Law Society.

## Section on Banking Law Hosts 2017 General Counsels' Dinner

The Banking Law Section enjoyed fine food and speeches at the Hotel Monaco on Nov. 29, as Andy Navarrete, chair of the Banking Law Section, hosted the annual General Counsels' Dinner.

The section's annual event honors general counsels in banking law and presents the Richard Peterson Award in recognition of excellence in the field. John Dugan, former Comptroller of the Currency and Partner at Covington & Burling, received this year's award.

Speakers included Michael McKenna of the National Credit Union Administration; Karen Solomon, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency; Mark Van Der Weide, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; and Charles Yi, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. Nearly 100 people attended.