

DATE	PROGRAM HELD NOTE: CLE credit arranged, if at all, by the sponsoring organization
April 20-21, 2012	West Virginia State Bar's Annual Meeting - Oglebay, Resort, Wheeling, WV(District Judge Joy Flowers Conti)
April 19, 2012	The W. Edward Sell American Inns of Court: Ethics Location: Jury Assembly Room 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
April 19, 2012	The Amy Reynolds Hay Inns of Court: Marcellus Shale Location: Storms Restaurant, 429 4 th Avenue 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
April 17, 2012	Third Circuit Review of Cases, sponsored by the Allegheny County Bar Association - Federal Court Section (various Third Circuit Judges) Location: Courtroom 6A, U.S. Courthouse - 2:30 - 4:30 p.m.
April 12, 2012	PIPLA (Pittsburgh Intellectual Property Law Association) will present a Patent Roundtable discussion on the Court's Local Patent Rules and the America Invents Act (recent amendments to the Patent Law) Jury Assembly Room - Noon
March 30, 2012	Allegheny County Bar Association Federal Court Section CLE program on Managing Patent Litigation and the New WD PA Patent Pilot Program (keynote speaker: Chief Judge Randall Rader - U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit; Chief Judge Gary L. Lancaster, District Judges Joy Flowers Conti, Nora Barry Fischer, Cathy Bissoon) Location: Double Tree Hotel: 12:30 - 4:30 p.m.
March 16, 2012	Academy of Trial Lawyers and the Allegheny County Bar Association Federal Court Section, CLE Program on Examining Witnesses and Closing Argument, featuring Professor Stephen A. Saltzburg (District Judges Fischer, Hornak, McLaughlin and Schwab) Location: Omni William Penn Hotel - 8:45 a.m.
March 15, 2012	The Amy Reynolds Hay Inns of Court: Criminal Law Location: Storms Restaurant, 429 4th Avenue
March 15, 2012	The W. Edward Sell American Inns of Entertainment Law Location: Jury Assembly Room 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
March 14, 2012	The Bankruptcy Inns of Court: Avoidance Issue Presentation
February 9, 2012	The Amy Reynolds Hay Inns of Court: Expert Witnesses Location: Judge Fischer's Courtroom
February 16, 2012	The W. Edward Sell American Inns of Court: Health Care/Highmark - UPMC Location: Jury Assembly Room 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
January 24, 2012	The Bankruptcy Inns of Court: Ethics Presentation
January 19, 2012	The Amy Reynolds Hay Inns of Court: Motion in Limine Location: Judge Fischer's Courtroom

January 19, 2012	The W. Edward Sell American Inns of Court: Eyewitness Testimony Location: Jury Assembly Room 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
January 12, 2012	PIPLA (Pittsburgh Intellectual Property Law Association) will present a patent Roundtable discussion on an introductory primer to patent law and patent litigation. Location: Jury Assembly Room - Noon
December 15, 2011	The W. Edward Sell American Inns of Court: Gay Marriage Location: Jury Assembly Room 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
November 17, 2011	The Amy Reynolds Hay Inns of Court: The Insurance Triangle: the Insured, the Insurer and the Attorney Location: Storms Restaurant, 429 4th Avenue
November 17, 2011	The W. Edward Sell American Inns of Court: Privacy Issues Location: Jury Assembly Room 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
October 27, 2011	The W. Edward Sell American Inns of Court: Jeopardy Program (Joint meeting with The Amy Reynolds Hay Inns of Court and Bankruptcy Inns of Court) Location: Jury Assembly Room 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
July 7, 2011	Federal Bar Association E Discovery vs. Third Parties (District Judge Arthur J. Schwab), Jennifer Mason, Moderator Location: Jury Assembly Room - Noon
June 24, 2011	E Discovery in Criminal Cases (District Judges Nora Barry Fischer and Joy Flowers Conti) Tina Miller, Moderator Location: Jury Assembly Room - Noon
June 16-18, 2011	ACBA Bench Bar Conference - Seven Springs - Friday: Keynote Speaker - Hon. Alberto Gonzales (Circuit Judge Thomas M. Hardiman and Magistrate Judge Lisa Pupo Lenihan, Speakers); Civil Division Sound-Off/Workshop- Civil Division Sound-Off and Debate on Hot Topics in the Law (Magistrate Judge Lisa Pupo Lenihan); Federal Court Sound-Off/Workshop - "Strategies for Managing the Risks and Expenses Associated with E-Discovery" (District Judge Joy Flowers Conti)
June 7, 2011	Federal Bar Association's seminar on practical ideas to improve search. (Jennifer Mason, Jason Baron, Maura Grossman, presenters) Location: Courtroom 5B - 8:30 a.m.
May 18, 2011	Kaplan Lecture: "Developing Conflict Competence", sponsored by ACBA; Lecture offered by Craig Runde, Esquire Location: Omni William Penn Hotel - 5:00 p.m.
May 12, 2011	The Honorable Amy Reynolds Hay Inns of Court Program: "Joint Dinner Program with W. Edward Sell Chapter" Location: Rivers Club - 5:00 p.m.
May 10, 2011	Third Circuit Review of Cases, sponsored by the Allegheny County Bar

	<p>Association - Federal Court Section (various Third Circuit Judges) Location: Courtroom 6A, U.S. Courthouse - 2:30 - 4:30 p.m.</p>
April 21, 2011	<p>The Honorable Amy Reynolds Hay Inns of Court Program: "Trial Opening/Closing Statements" Location: Courtroom 5B - 5th Floor - U.S. Courthouse - 5:00 p.m.</p>
April 14, 2011	<p>Federal Bar Association - E Discovery and Use of Special Masters (District Judge Nora Barry Fischer and Magistrate Judge Lisa Pupo Lenihan); Rick Lettieri, Moderator and Jonathan Redgrave, Guest Speaker. Location: Jury Assembly Room - 11:30 a.m.</p>
April 7, 2011	<p>Valuing Civil Rights Cases for Settlement, sponsored by the Federal Court Section of the Allegheny County Bar Association sand Municipal Solicitors Section of the Allegheny County Bar Association - 80 persons attended (Magistrate Judge Robert C. Mitchell and Attorneys Ken Benson, Thomas McGinnis, Jon Pushinsky, Marie Mille Jones, Vickie Beatty, Mariah Pasarelli, Brian Kravetz and Emily Guzan), James Glunt and Dennis Watson, Moderators Location: Courtroom 6A, U.S. Courthouse at 2:00 p.m.</p>
March 24, 2011	<p>"How Presentence Reports are Used and Why", presented by the U.S. Probation Office (Michelle Tambellini, Coordinator) Location: Jury Assembly Room</p>
March 24, 2011	<p>The Honorable Amy Reynolds Hay Inns of Court Program: "Technology & Ethics"Location: Storms Restaurant - 429 4th Avenue - 5:00 p.m.</p>
March 16, 2011	<p>PIPLA presents Developments in Intellectual Property Law (District Judges Gary L. Lancaster, Arthur J. Schwab and Nora Barry Fischer) Omni William Penn Hotel 8am - 1:30 pm</p>
March 11, 2011	<p>The Federal Trial Advocacy Program, sponsored by the Academy of Trial Lawyers (District Judges Sean J. McLaughlin, Joy Flowers Conti and Magistrate Judge Lisa Pupo Lenihan). Moderator: Stan Parker, Buchanan Ingersoll 8:45 - noon - Omni William Penn</p>
March 10, 2011	<p>Court to Court: Mandatory ADR in WD PA, produced for the FJTN (various District Judges present) Karen Engro, moderator Location: Jury Assembly Room 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.</p>
February 17-18, 2011	<p>The Academy of Trial Lawyers Moot Court Competition (various District Judges) Federal Courthouse - all day</p>
February 17, 2011	<p>Qui Tam and False Claims Act - CLE Program, sponsored by ACBA Federal Court Section - (Assistant U.S Michael Comber and Tina Miller, Esquire) (District Judges Nora Barry Fischer and Arthur J. Schwab) Location: Jury Assembly Room - 3rd Floor - U.S. Courthouse - 3:30 - 5:30 pm</p>
February 16 2011	<p>February 16, 201 The Honorable Amy Reynolds Hay Inns of Court Program: "Voir Dire" Location: Courtroom 5B - 5th Floor U.S. Courthouse - 5:00 p.m.</p>
February 10, 2011	<p>E-Discovery: Can You Ever Afford It In Small Cases - CLE Program (District Judges Nora Barry Fischer, Arthur J. Schwab and Joy Flowers</p>

	Conti) Location: Jury Assembly Room - 5th Floor - U.S. Courthouse - Noon
January 20, 2011	The Honorable Amy Reynolds Hay Inns of Court Program: "Expert Witnesses - Best Practices" Location: Storms Restaurant - 429 4th Avenue - 5:00 p.m.
December 10, 2010	Academy of Trial Lawyers - Federal Program -New Developments In The Law You Need To Know - (District Judges Nora Barry Fischer, Donetta W. Ambrose, Sean J. McLaughlin) Roundtable discussion includes additional District Judges Gary L. Lancaster, Joy Flowers Conti, Arthur J. Schwab and Magistrate Judge Lisa Pupo Lenihan)
December 9, 2010	Environment Compliance and Criminal Enforcement, sponsored by ABA Criminal Justice Section (District Judge Sean J. McLaughlin)
December 9, 2010	Inns of Court Program: "Legal Jeopardy"
December 9, 2010	E Discovery Program - CLE - "Electronic Discovery Today" sponsored by the Federal Bar Association (District Judge Arthur J. Schwab)
November 18, 2010	Inns of Court Program: "Rules of Evidence Primer"
November 17-18, 2010	PBI Employment Law Institute - A Variety of Employment Law Sessions (Circuit Judges D. Michael Fisher, District Judges Arthur J. Schwab, Terrence F. McVerry, Nora Barry Fischer, Donetta W. Ambrose, Joy Flowers Conti, Magistrate Judges Lisa Pupo Lenihan and Robert C. Mitchell)
November 10, 2010	"Introduction to the Federal Court" program for the Young Lawyers Division of the Allegheny County Bar Association. (Bob Barth, Colleen Willison, Mike Palus and Tim Tarby presented). Sam Yamron, Coordinator
November 10, 2010	Insights into Practice before the Third Circuit Court of Appeals (Circuit Judges Joseph F. Weis, Jr., Thomas M. Hardiman and D. Michael Fisher)
August 25, 2010	Pennsylvania Bar Association (PBA) Seminar, "Preserving Issues for Appeal". (Circuit Judges D. Michael Fisher and Thomas M. Hardiman and District Judge Donetta W. Ambrose).
July 29, 2010	Best Practices for Concise Statements of Material Fact. Sponsored by FBA; Lunch CLE Program; Jury Assembly Room, FBA (Pat Sorek) to sponsor program (Law Clerks Mark Hall, Carol Hesz, Rich Williams Mark Mohney to assist)
July 22, 2010	The Federal Bar Association, Western PA Chapter, CLE "E-Discovery Special Masters - Why Do We Need Them?" (District Judge Arthur J. Schwab - panel member)
July 15, 2010	Lunch and Learn Legal Writing - Part 3 of 3 (Judy Teeter); Noon (Courtroom 5B)
July 8, 2010	Lunch and Learn - Appellate Practice (Rob Byer, Presenter)
July 1, 2010	Lunch and Learn Legal Writing - Part 2 of 3 (Judy Teeter); Noon (Courtroom 5B)

June 17-18, 2010	ACBA Bench Bar Conference - Seven Springs - Friday - Breakfast with Judges (various). Federal Section Panel on E-discovery, Zubalake and 30(b)(c) depositions (District Judges Joy Flowers Conti and Nora Barry Fischer; John Myers and Patti Diulus Meyers). Civil Litigation Sound Off (District Judge Sean J. McLaughlin and Allegheny County Court of Common Pleas Judge Eugene Strassburger)
June 9, 2010	Lunch and Learn Legal Writing - Part 1 of 3 (Judy Teeter); Noon (Courtroom 5B)
May 18, 2010	Third Circuit Review of Cases (various Third Circuit Judges), cosponsored by ABA Federal Section (2:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.; Jury Assembly Room)
May 18, 2010	Kaplan Lecture: "Challenging Conflict: Mediation Through Understanding" cosponsored by ACBA ADR Committee; Collaborative Law Association of Western Pennsylvania; Mediation and Training services of CVVC; and the Mediation Council of Western Pennsylvania with Report on the Court's ADR Program (Chief Judge Gary L. Lancaster, and lecture offered by Jack Himmelstein, Esquire) (5:30 p.m. - U.S. Post Office and Courthouse Building Ceremonial Courtroom)
May 12, 2010	Friends of E Discovery Meeting (District Judges Joy Flowers Conti and Nora Barry Fischer)
May 6, 2010	ADR Program on What Mediators and Early Neutral Evaluators Need to Know about Ethics. Co-sponsored by the Mediation Council of Western Pennsylvania (District Judge Arthur J. Schwab, Michael D. McDowell, Esquire, and Karen Engro, ADR Coordinator). Jury Assembly Room - 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
April 21, 2010	Drafting and Challenging Federal Court Complaints: Outlining Pleading and Motion to Dismiss Practice Post Twombly and Iqbal - CLE - sponsored by the Western Pennsylvania Trial Lawyers Association (Panel: Circuit Judges Thomas M. Hardiman and D. Michael Fisher, District Judge Nora Barry Fischer and Professor Rhonda Wasserman; Moderator: Frederick B. Goldsmith, Esquire). Courtroom 5B, USPO and Courthouse Bldg. 11:15 a.m. - 1:45 p.m.
April 14, 2010	Legal Writing Pro's seminar, "Secrets to Great Briefwriting -- Giving the Court What It Wants and Needs" CLE (2:00 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.) (Ross Guberman, Speaker) Jury Assembly Room - U.S. Courthouse
March 25, 2010	E-Discovery: Tying It All Together: New Local Rules Provide Practical E-Discovery Tools and Advice for Lawyers in Western District - sponsored by the FBA (Judge Joy Flowers Conti and Richard N. Lettieri, Esquire), Jury Assembly Room from 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
March 18, 2010	Early Neutral Evaluation - sponsored by American Inns of Court Pittsburgh Chapter (Karen Engro, ADR Coordinator is a participant; Judge Nora Barry Fischer coordinating Courtroom 5B, USPO & Courthouse Building at 5:00 p.m.
March 12, 2010	Trial Advocacy Program - jointly sponsored by the Academy of Trial Lawyers and the ACBA's Federal Court Section (District Judges Arthur J. Schwab, Nora Barry Fischer and Terrence F. McVerry); William Penn from 8:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
March 4, 2010	ADR Presentation sponsored by the Pennsylvania Bar Institute (District Judge

	Arthur J. Schwab) held in the Heinz Building (1:00 -3:30 pm)
February 25, 2010	ACBA Federal Court Section - CLE: Valuing Personal Injury Cases (Judges Terrence F. McVerry, Allegheny County Court of Common Pleas Judge Terrence L. O'Brien, Butler County Court of Common Pleas Judge Marilyn Horan) Dennis Watson, moderator; Judge Nora Barry Fischer, coordinator; Jury Assembly Room at 2:00 p.m.
February 18-19, 2010	The Academy of Trial Lawyers Moot Court Competition (various District Judges) Federal Courthouse - all day
February 4, 2010	E-discovery: The Practical and the Costs - CLE Program, sponsored by the FBA (Judge Arthur J. Schwab)
January 5, 2010	ACBA/ADR Program: Mediation (Judge Arthur J. Schwab); Summary Jury Trials (Judge Nora Barry Fischer); Mary Kate Coleman, Moderator
December 11, 2009	Annual Academy Federal Practice Program on December 11 (Judges Gary L. Lancaster, Donetta W. Ambrose, Joy Flowers Conti, Arthur J. Schwab, Amy Reynolds Hay and Cathy Bissoon)
December 10, 2009	CVVC Mediation Education and Training CLE program, "Mediating Beyond a Case" (Karen Engro, ADR Coordinator)
December 10, 2009	Pittsburgh Mediation Center co-sponsored a round-table discussion with the Court, entitled, "Mediating Beyond Basic Technique: Making the Magic Happen", held in the Court's Jury Assembly room
November 20, 2009	ACBA/Sentencing Seminar - (Judges Gary L Lancaster, Sean J. McLaughlin and Arthur J. Schwab); Cynthia Eddy, Esq. Coordinator
November 18, 2009	Pennsylvania Bar Institute (PBI) Employment Law Seminar (District Judges Donetta W. Ambrose and Gary L. Lancaster)
November 17, 2009	Pennsylvania Bar Institute (PBI) Employment Law Seminar (District Judge Sean J. McLaughlin)
October 22, 2009	Update on E-Discovery cases - Jury Assembly Room - sponsored by the Federal Bar Association (Judges Nora Barry Fischer and Donetta W. Ambrose)
October 21, 2009	E-Discovery and Ethics for Pitt Law/Snyder Symposium - Rivers Club (Judge Nora Barry Fischer and Robert J. Cindrich, Esquire)
September 29, 2009	ACBA - Federal Court Section - CLE: Valuing your Employment Case (Judges Nora Barry Fischer and Arthur J. Schwab). Attorney Charles Lamberton served as moderator
September 10, 2009	Group Lecture - Educational session on breaking the impasse in mediation featuring John Settle. A reception to honor Chief Judge Ambrose followed the event. Co-sponsored by the Mediation Counsel of Western Pennsylvania (Karen Engro, ADR Coordinator)
July 22, 2009	Lunch 'n Learn - discussion of legal writing as it relates to different argument paradigms (Professor Judi Teeter)
July 15, 2009	Introduction to E-Discovery (Rick Lettieri, Presenter)

July 14, 2009	PA and Federal Practice - Depositions (Judges Kim R. Gibson, Thomas M. Hardiman, Allegheny County Court of Common Pleas Judges R. Stanton Wettick, and Washington County Court of Common Pleas Judge Debbie O'Dell-Seneca. Fred Goldsmith and Scott Hardy served as co-moderators)
June 24, 2009	Lunch 'n Learn - discussion of hypothetical case of alleged employment discrimination (Professor Judi Teeter)
June 18 & 19, 2009	ACBA Bench Bar Conference - Seven Springs - Thursday: ADR Program: Mediation (Judge Arthur J. Schwab); Summary Jury Trials (Judge Nora Barry Fischer); Friday - Federal Court Sound Off Program (Judges Donetta W. Ambrose, Arthur J. Schwab, Gary L. Lancaster and Thomas M. Hardiman)
June 17, 2009	PA Bar Assn- Labor & Employment Section - ADR and E-discovery issues (Judge Donetta W. Ambrose)
June 2, 2009	Lunch 'n Learn - addressing legal writing basics and avoidance of common writing mistakes (Professor Judi Teeter)
June 1 - July 30, 2009	Summer Intern Program (Judge Nora Barry Fischer)
May 20, 2009	Third Circuit Review of Cases (Holly Whalen, Esq.; AUSA Steve Kaufman, and various Third Circuit Judges)
May 14, 2009	Writing CLE - (Brad Tupi, Presenter)
May 14, 2009	Bankruptcy Update Inns of Court (Sell and Pittsburgh Chapters) Program - Judges Joy Flowers Conti, Judith K. Fitzgerald and Jeffery A. Deller)
April 15, 2009	Westlaw Training (Librarian Barbara Alexander-Klein)
April 7, 2009	ACBA Labor and Employment Section - Motions in Limine Lunch 'n Learn (Judge Nora Barry Fischer)
April 2, 2009	Lunch 'n Learn - "Do You Really Want to be in Federal Court?" (Allegheny County Common Pleas Court Judge Christine Ward, Butler County Common Pleas Court Judge C. Gus Kwidis, and Judges Nora Barry Fischer and Amy Reynolds Hay)
March 26, 2009	Academy of Trial Lawyers presentation - "Direct and Cross Examination Made Alive"(various Judges) (Professor Saltzburg)
March 18, 2009	"ADR in the IP Arena", Patent and Intellectual Property Law Association (PIPLA) - Judge Nora Barry Fischer and ADR Coordinator Karen Engro
March 13, 2009	E Discovery - The New Local Rule's "Duty to Investigate" and the "Top 10 Things that You and Your Client Must Do to Comply with this Duty" (Judge Nora Barry Fischer)
February 26 - 27, 2009	Academy Mock Trial Court Competition (various judges)
February 21, 2009	PBI Seminar - defense of white collar cases (Judges Joy Flowers Conti and Donetta W. Ambrose)
February 2, 2009	PBA semiannual meeting (discussion on recent U.S. Supreme Court decisions in relation to federal practice) (Judge Donetta W. Ambrose)

February 6, 2009	CJRA training - presentation on sentencing (Judge Nora Barry Fischer)
January - February, 2009 (8 sessions)	Mediation Training (40 hour CLE credit) - Presented by the Western Pennsylvania Chapter of the Federal Bar Association
January 27, 2009	Sentencing issues - at the Criminal Rules Subcommittee (Federal Section) (Judge Nora Barry Fischer, speaker; comments from Judges Donetta W. Ambrose & Terrence F. McVerry)
January 7, 2009	Lunch with the Sentinel of the Federal Court (the ten worst filing mistakes lawyers make) (Robert V. Barth, Jr., Clerk of Court)
December 16, 2008	Academy Annual Federal Practice Seminar (various judges)
December 11, 2008	ACBA ADR Committee Breakfast Presentation (Judge Arthur J. Schwab)
December 9, 2008	PBI Electronic Discovery Seminar (Judge Nora Barry Fischer)
December 4, 2008	Whistleblower Cases under the Federal False Claims (2 CLE credits) held in ACBA Conference Center Auditorium
December 3, 2008	Judicial Views on the Use of E-Discovery Experts at the Rule 16 and 26(f) Conferences & as Court-Appointed "Special Master" (Judge Donetta W. Ambrose)
December 2, 2008	Criminal Standard Jury Instructions & Proposed Changes in Local Criminal Rules (1 credit) - Lunch 'n Learn (Judge Terrence F. McVerry)
November 18 - 19, 2008 November 13, 2008	PBI Employment Institute West - Panel Discussion (Judges Nora Barry Fischer and Arthur J. Schwab) ADR Review Meeting (various Judges)
November 13, 2008	ADR Review Meeting (various Judges)
November 10, 2008	Lunch 'n Learn for Young Lawyers on Federal Court Practice Tips (Judge Donetta W. Ambrose)
October 8, 2008	ACBA ADR Committee Presentation on Summary Jury Trials (Judge Nora Barry Fischer)
September, 2008	Update on E-Discovery and Rule 26 by Federal Bar Association