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# **Mid-Atlantic Asbestos Litigation Conference**



**Wednesday, July 17, 2019**  
**Chase Center on the Riverfront**  
**Wilmington, DE**

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**8:30 AM: Women's Breakfast (located in Harlan & Hollingsworth Room)**  
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**Lauren E. Burke, Esq.**, Swartz Campbell, Philadelphia, PA  
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**9:00 AM: Registration (located in Christina Ballroom)**

**9:30 AM: Welcome & Opening Remarks**

**Leonard F. Feldman, Esq.**, Weitz & Luxenberg, P.C., Cherry Hill, NJ  
**Larry Rufo, Esq.**, Rufo Associates, P.A., Hockessin, DE

**9:45 AM: Jurisdictional Update: Status of the Litigation and Recent Decisions**

- Overview of Mid-Atlantic jurisdictions: Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey and Pennsylvania
- Key legal decisions

**Laurence H. Brown, Esq.**, Brookman, Rosenberg, Brown & Sandler, Philadelphia, PA  
**Melanie J. Garner, Esq.**, Langfitt Garner PLLC, Philadelphia, PA  
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**Raeann Warner, Esq.**, Jacobs & Crumplar, PA, Wilmington, DE

**11:00 AM: Break**

**11:15 AM: The Recent Devries Decision**

**William R. Adams, Esq.**, Dickie McCamey & Chilcote, P.C., Wilmington, DE  
**Joel M. Doner, Esq.**, Eckert Seamans Cherin & Mellott, LLC, Wilmington, DE  
**Robert Paul, Esq.**, Paul, Reich & Myers, P.C., Philadelphia, PA  
**Nicholas E. Skiles, Esq.**, Swartz Campbell, Wilmington, DE

## 11:45 AM: The Science & Medicine of Genetic Testing in Malignancy Cases

- The nuts and bolts of the testing

**Paul Bradley, Esq.**, Maron Marvel Bradley Anderson & Tardy LLC, Wilmington, DE

**Len Van Zyl, Ph.D**, Chief Executive Officer, ArrayXpress, Inc., Raleigh, NC

**Mark S. Weinstein, Esq.**, Weitz & Luxenberg, P.C., Cherry Hill, NJ

## 12:15 PM: Networking Lunch (*located in Governors' Hall*)

## 1:00 PM: The Judicial Perspective

**Moderators: Laurence H. Brown, Esq.**, Brookman, Rosenberg, Brown & Sandler, Philadelphia, PA

**Larry Rufo, Esq.**, Rufo Associates, P.A., Hockessin, DE

**Hon. Jeffrey J. Clark**, Superior Court of Delaware, Wilmington, DE

**Hon. Vivian L. Medinilla**, Superior Court of Delaware, Wilmington, DE

**Hon. Arnold L. New**, Coordinating Judge, Complex Litigation Center, Philadelphia, PA

## 1:45 PM: Medicare Compliance in Asbestos Litigation

**Charles Medlin**, Founder, LitPro LLC, Charlotte, NC

**Christian J. Singewald, Esq.**, White & Williams, LLP, Wilmington, DE

## 2:15 PM: Ethics/Professional Development

**Moderator: Rochelle L. Gumapac, Esq.**, White & Williams, LLP, Wilmington, DE

**Brian D. Ahern, Esq.**, Eckert Seamans Cherin & Mellott, LLC, Wilmington, DE

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**Ryan W. Browning, Esq.**, MG+M The Law Firm, Wilmington, DE

**Lynne M. Kizis, Esq.**, Wilentz, Goldman & Spitzer, P.A., Woodbridge, NJ

## 3:15 PM: Break

## 3:30 PM: The Latest Developments in the Talc Litigation

- Update on verdicts
- Industrial vs. cosmetic

**Moderator: Joseph S. Naylor, Esq.**, Swartz Campbell, Wilmington, DE

**Caitlin Christie Bodtmann, Esq.**, McGivney Kluger & Cook, P.C., Florham Park, NJ

**Monica A. Cooper, Esq.**, The Lanier Law Firm, Houston, TX

**David Katzenstein, Esq.**, Eckert Seamans Cherin & Mellott, LLC, Newark, NJ

## 4:30 PM: The Importance of ADR

**Ipek Kurul, Esq.**, Dalton & Associates, P.A., Wilmington, DE

**Larry Rufo, Esq.**, Rufo Associates, P.A., Hockessin, DE

**Timothy A. Sullivan, III, Esq.**, Wilbraham Lawler & Buba, P.C., Wilmington, DE

**David A. White, Esq.**, McCarter & English, Wilmington, DE

## 5:00 PM: Conclusion

## 5:00 - 6:00 PM: Networking Cocktail Reception

*\*Speakers & Agenda are subject to change.*

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