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#### Thursday, November 1, 2018

8:00 AM - Registration

8:30 AM – Welcome & Opening Remarks

**Ann M. Anaya, Esq.,** Chief Diversity Officer, Global Diversity and Inclusion Strategic Lead, 3M, St. Paul, MN **Alonzo Barber III, Esq.**, Enterprise Global Sales Group, Microsoft North America, Chevy Chase, MD

#### 8:45 AM – Artificial Intelligence: The Way of the Future

- What is Artificial Intelligence?
- How Artificial Intelligence Impact Us
- Why Diversity and Inclusion are Important in the Arena of Artificial Intelligence.

**Alonzo Barber III, Esq.**, Enterprise Global Sales Group, Microsoft North America, Chevy Chase, MD **Jennifer Passannante, Esq.**, Hoagland, Longo, Moran, Dunst & Doukas, LLP, New Brunswick, NJ

#### 9:30 AM – Generational Diversity: The Interaction of Generation Z and X

- Differences in their perspectives of D&I
- Z's replacing The Boomers
- Millennials in the workforce

Moderator: Alonzo Barber III, Esq., Enterprise Global Sales Group, Microsoft North America, Chevy Chase, MD

Adebola Ibidapo, Environmental Claims Specialist, Brandywine Group, Dallas, TX Denzel Singletary, Manager, Global Government Relations, eBay, Inc., Washington, DC Ralph Woodard, Claims Manager, The Navigators Group, Inc., San Francisco, CA Rey S. Yang, Esq., Yang Professional Law Corporation, Pasadena, CA

10:30 AM – Break

#### 10:45 AM - The White Male Perspective

Moderator: Kristi K. Brownson, Esq., Brownson Norby PLLC, Minneapolis, MN Nick C. Giallourakis, Esq., Forman Watkins & Krutz LLP, Jackson, MS Richard L. Walker, II, Esq., Kelley Jasons McGowan Spinelli Hanna & Reber LLP, Philadelphia, PA Joseph J. Welter, Esq., Goldberg Segalla, Buffalo, NY

#### 11:30 AM - The Impact of Social Media on Diversity and Inclusion

- The Candidate and Employer Perspective on Social Media
- How Social Media Impacts Society and Professional Climate

Moderator: Priscilla Jimenez, Esq., Kline & Specter, PC, Philadelphia, PA

**Thea Foglietta Silverstein,** Managing Claim Counsel, Bond & Specialty Insurance – Construction Services Claim, Travelers, Philadelphia, PA

Priyanka Gandhi, Esq., Senior Technical Claims Specialist, QBE North America, New York, NY

#### 12:15 PM – Lunch (on your own)

#### 1:30 PM – The In-House Counsel Perspectives

- Effective Internal Programs to Promote Diversity & Inclusion
- Hiring Diverse and Inclusive Law Firms
- How to Better Serve Your Clients

Moderator: Javier F. Flores, Esq., Manning Gross + Massenburg, LLP, Boston, MA

**Debbie A. Carlos,** Vice President, Deputy General Counsel, Comcast NBCUniversal, Philadelphia, PA **Elizabeth Feeney**, Assistant General Counsel, GlaxoSmithKline, Philadelphia, PA

**Deirdre E. Groenen, Esq.**, Vice President of Human Resources and General Counsel, Innovative Benefit Planning, Moorestown, NJ

David Pilson, Director, Compensation & Benefits Counsel, eBay Inc., San Jose, CA

#### 2:15 - Insights on Diversity in the Legal Community - The Law Firm Perspective

- What Are Law Firms Doing? How Are You Tracking?
- Are There Incentives?
- Recruitment, Hiring & Retention
- Staying in the Practice of Law
- What Are the Implications of D&I

Moderator: Bernadette W. Catalana, Esq., Lavin, O'Neil, Cedrone & DiSipio, New York, NY Madina Axelrod, Esq., Segal McCambridge Singer & Mahoney, Ltd., New York, NY Butler Buchanan III, Esq., Marshall Dennehey Warner Coleman & Goggin, Philadelphia, PA Melissa M. Fallah, Esq., Maron Marvel Bradley Anderson & Tardy LLC, Chicago, IL Gregory B. Gilmore, Esq., Goldberg Segalla, Newark, NJ

#### 3:00 PM - Break

### 3:15 PM – Deconstructing the Definition of Diversity by Introducing its Various Dimensions

Diversity: It's More Than What is Racially, Culturally and Physically Evident

 Business Inclusion Groups (BIGs)- Cultural Competency Engines that Serve as a Hybrid Between Traditional ERG/ARGs and Diversity Councils

**Moderator: Kelly Fields,** Recruiting Specialist, Human Relations, Bimbo Bakeries USA, Philadelphia, PA **Caryn A. Boisen, Esq.,** Larson • King, St. Paul, MN

Kanan Sheth, Assistant Vice President, Claims Counsel, Sompo International Insurance, Purchase, NY

Richard H. Taylor, Litigation Counsel, Saint-Gobain Corporation, Malvern, PA

Kenneth P. Williams, Esq., Segal McCambridge Singer & Mahoney, Ltd., Detroit, MI

#### 4:00 PM - Collaborative Efforts Between Private & Public Entities

**Ann M. Anaya, Esq.,** Chief Diversity Officer, Global Diversity and Inclusion Strategic Lead, 3M, St. Paul, MN **James C. Burroughs II**, Chief Inclusion Office of Minnesota, Governor's Office, Minneapolis, MN

#### 4:30 PM – What is Not Working and What is Next?

- New Approaches: Intentional & Strategic
- Why Not More Progress? Roadblocks?
- Inclusive culture supports a more diverse workforce

**Moderator: Ann M. Anaya, Esq.,** Chief Diversity Officer, Global Diversity and Inclusion Strategic Lead, 3M, St. Paul, MN

**Wesley D. Bizzell, Esq.,** Senior Assistant General Counsel, Managing Director of Political Law & Ethics Programs, Altria Client Services LLC, Washington, D.C.

William T. "Toby" Eveland, Esq., Saul Ewing Arnstein & Lehr LLP, Chicago, IL

**Leslie Fair,** Talent Development and Engagement Expert, Diversity & Inclusion/Resilience Training Principal, Inclusion Strategies LLC, New York, NY

Kassem L. Lucas, Esq., Pepper Hamilton LLP, Philadelphia, PA

#### 5:15 PM - 6:15 PM - Networking Cocktail Reception

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