

# CLE Registration Details



## CLE Schedule 2012

**The Fundamentals of a Bankruptcy Case  
Session One: Debtor's Counsel Practice Points**  
October 10, 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm  
A VLP Seminar Series

**Medicaid 202 - Beyond the Basics**  
October 16, 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm

**Income Tax Consequences of Foreclosures,  
Debt Modifications & Bankruptcy**  
Cosponsored with the  
Rhode Island Society of CPAs  
October 23, 9:00 am – 11:00 am

**Recent Developments 2012**  
October 26, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

**Criminal Law Practice In Rhode Island**  
November 2, 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM  
A Practical Skills Seminar

**The Fundamentals of a Bankruptcy Case  
Session Two: Chapter 7 Means Test  
& Trustee Practical Tips**  
November 7, 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm  
A VLP Seminar Series

**A Side Bar with the Superior Court**  
November 15, 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

**2012 Estate Gift & Income Tax Planning  
With or Without New Legislation**  
Cosponsored with the  
Rhode Island Society of CPAs  
November 30, 8:30 am – 10:30 am

**The Fundamentals of a Bankruptcy Case  
Session Three: RI Bankruptcy Court's Loss  
Mitigation Program**  
December 5, 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm  
A VLP Seminar Series

For more information go to [www.ribar.com](http://www.ribar.com)

### DATE/TIME/PLACE

Tuesday, December 11, 2012 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.  
Rhode Island Law Center 115 Cedar Street, Providence

*In the event of inclement weather which causes severe or hazardous driving conditions, call the RIBA CLE program at 401-421-5740 for cancellation information. You will receive written notification of the new seminar date.*

### TUITION

\$155.00 for attorneys admitted before January 1, 2007  
\$130.00 for attorneys admitted after January 1, 2007

You may register by fax (401- 421-2703) or online ([www.ribar.com](http://www.ribar.com)) with a credit card or by mail with check or credit card. Payment must accompany registration. You will receive an email confirmation of your registration.

### SEMINAR MATERIALS

#### Your choice of Print or Electronic Formats

Materials are available in print or on a USB drive. Be sure to make your selection by checking the appropriate box on the registration form. You cannot change your selection onsite; however you can purchase both the USB drive and printed versions for an additional \$45. If you do not make a choice you will receive the printed materials.

### WALK-IN REGISTRATION

Pre-registration is strongly recommended. If you have not pre-registered, please call before the seminar to confirm that there have been no schedule changes and that seats are still available. Call 401-421-5740.

### CANCELLATION POLICY

A full refund less a \$10.00 administrative fee will be given to registrants whose cancellations are received by 12:00 noon the day before the seminar. There will be no refunds for "no shows", however the program materials will be shipped after the program or a substitute may attend for someone unable to do so.

### SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION/ MORE INFORMATION

Please indicate on the registration form any special accommodation you may require or call the CLE office at 401-421-5740. For more information you may contact the CLE Office at the Rhode Island Bar Association 401-421-5740, fax 401-421-2703.

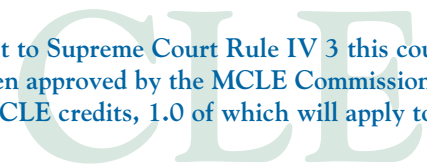


## A Rhode Island Bar Association CLE Seminar

### Organizing a Rhode Island Business A Practical Skills Seminar

Tuesday, December 11, 2012  
9:00 AM – 3:00 PM  
Rhode Island Law Center, Providence

Subject to Supreme Court Rule IV 3 this course has been approved by the MCLE Commission for 5.0 RICLE credits, 1.0 of which will apply to ethics.





# Registration Form

Please complete a separate form for each registrant. Please print.  
(Please do not staple checks)

Your client wishes to open a business. Should it be a sole proprietorship, general or limited partnership, a corporation or a limited liability company? What about a limited liability partnership? You've probably heard and read much about LLCs and the rest of the choices, but are you sure you know their differences? Do you know which one best suits the needs of your clients? Are you familiar with the recent changes in the Rhode Island Business Corporation Act? At this session of our Practical Skills series we will focus on the basics of organizing a Rhode Island business.

The panelists will walk you step-by-step through:

- choosing a business entity and setting it up for your client,
- completing the required forms and filings,
- entity maintenance and governing documents,
- the fiduciary duties of entity owners,
- the essential elements of each entity, as well as
- recent legislative changes.

You will receive sample checklists to help you gather information from your clients which in turn will help you choose the proper entity. Following the discussion on the basics, the panel will illustrate the selection process by analyzing several sample cases. There are some potential malpractice and ethical pitfalls in this area of practice, and the panel will point out a few to you.

This program is designed for new attorneys in their transition from law school to law practice. We also welcome attorneys who are unfamiliar with this area of law and those who would like to expand their practices into this area.

## Speakers

**Christopher C. Cassara, Esq.**  
*Partridge Snow & Hahn, LLP*

**Gordon A. Carpenter, Esq.**  
*Providence*

**Jean A. Harrington, Esq.**  
*Duffy & Sweeney, Ltd.*



### Organizing A Business 12/11/12

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

FIRM/ORGANIZATION \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_ BAR ID# \_\_\_\_\_

DATE ADMITTED TO PRACTICE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

*(You will receive an email confirmation of your registration)*

### SEMINAR MATERIALS: (CHOOSE ONLY ONE)

- USB Version (Included in registration fee.)
- Printed Version (Included in registration fee.)
- Both USB & Printed Versions: Add \$45 \_\_\_\_\_  
(In addition to registration fee.)  
(Selection is FINAL. You cannot change your selection onsite.)

### TUITION

Admitted to the Bar BEFORE January 1, 2007: \$155.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Admitted to the Bar AFTER January 1, 2007: \$130.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Associate Members of RIBA: \$130 \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL** \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed is my check for \_\_\_\_\_ payable to the Rhode Island Bar Association/CLE

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