



A Rhode Island Bar Association CLE Seminar

## DOMESTIC LAW PRACTICE IN RHODE ISLAND

A Practical Skills Seminar

May 3, 2011 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM RI Law Center, Providence

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

#### Speakers

Hon. John E. McCann, III Associate Justice Rhode Island Family Court

Carolyn R. Barone, Esq. Kirshenbaum Law Associates

Timothy J. Conlon, Esq. TJC Esq.

Mary A. Donnelly, Esq. Child Support Enforcement Department of Administration

Deborah M. Tate, Esq. McIntyre Tate & Lynch LLP

#### Moderator

Vincent A. DiMonte, Esq. Providence



Rhode Island Family Court can be overwhelming if you are not familiar with it. During this session, experienced practitioners will walk you through a divorce case sharing tips on conducting client interviews and designing fee agreements, handling discovery, preparing witnesses and negotiating support or alimony agreements.

One of the most challenging portions of a divorce is often the issue of custody and visitation. You will receive some suggestions on how to devise agreements that will work for your clients and their families. You will also learn how to determine equitable distribution and alimony.

The speakers will discuss divorce mediation and the role of a mediator, update you on recent Rhode Island cases that have changed procedures or practice, and discuss how to recognize and resolve ethical issues that arise in almost every divorce case.

This Practical Skills program is designed for new attorneys and attorneys new to family law. It will be a nuts and bolts session that will prepare you for your first experience with the legal ramifications of domestic discord.

### **Registration Form**

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

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Admitted to the Bar BEFORE January 1, 2006 and Associate Members of RIBA \_\_\_\_\_\$155.00 \_\_\_\_\_\$165.00 at the door

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# CLE Registration Details

DATE/TIME/PLACE Tuesday, May 3, 2011 9:00 a.m - 3:00 p.m. RI Law Center, 115 Cedar St., Providence

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\$130.00 (attorneys admitted after January 1, 2006)\$155.00 (attorneys admitted before January 1, 2006)

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