

Legal Presentations

MDL Transferee Judges Conferences, Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation, Palm Beach, FL attended:

1999	2010	2015 (speaker and moderator)
2000	2011	2016 (moderator)
2001	2012 (moderator)	2017
2002 (speaker)	2014 (moderator)	2018

Panelist, Archer Master of Master Tort, Mass Tort Speed Session – Meet the Judges, Cancun, Mexico, February, 2020.

Faculty, Harris Martin MDL Conference, Preparing for the Complex Settlements – Wisdom from a Special Master, Austin, TX, December, 2019.

Faculty, Pound Civil Justice Institute Symposium, Class Action, Mass Torts and MDLs: The Next Fifty Years, Portland, OR, November 2019.

Judicial and Hall of Fame panels: Mass Torts Made Perfect, Las Vegas, NV, October 2019 (confirmed).

Judicial and Hall of Fame panels: Mass Torts Made Perfect, April 2019 (confirmed).

Faculty, Duke School of Law MDL Certification Program, March 2019 (confirmed).

Judicial Panelist: Masters of Mass Torts, “View from the bench,” Archer Systems, Cancun, Mexico, February 2019.

Panelist: Harris Martin MDL Conference, “The Court, Special Masters, Lien Resolution Administrators: Roles and Responsibilities Pre- and Post-Settlement,” “Preemption Landscape – Waiting on Fosamax,” Miami Beach, FL, January 30, 2019.

Judicial Panelist: Drug and Medical Device Litigation Conference, “View from the Bench,” American Conference Institute, New York, NY, November 29, 2018.

Judicial Panelist: Federal Civil Practice CLE, “Federal Court Jurisdiction: How to Land It and Avoid It,” Illinois State Bar Association and Federal Bar Association – SDIL, O’Fallon, IL, June 29, 2018.

Judicial Panelist: Duke MDL Conference, “Control Over Client Cases by Non-Leadership Counsel and Concerns About Inventory Settlements,” Duke School of Law, Atlanta, GA, April 26, 2018.

Judicial Panelist: MTMP Conference, “Trial Lawyer Hall of Fame Panel,” Mass Torts Made Perfect, Las Vegas, NV, April 11, 2018.

Judicial Presenter: Orientation Workshop for District Judges, Federal Judicial Center, Ft. Worth, TX, February 9, 2018.

Judicial Panelist: Masters of Mass Torts Conference, “Managing the Mass Tort Spectrum” and “View from the Bench,” Providio MediSolutions, Cancun, Mexico, January 18, 2018.

Judicial Panelist: Drug and Medical Device Litigation Conference, “Weighing the Pros and Cons of MDLs: Have MDLs Run Their Course?” American Conference Institute, New York, NY, December 6, 2017.

Judicial Presenter: 2017 Federal Court Clerks Association Space and Security Conference, “Discussion on Security Committee and Upcoming Initiatives,” Federal Court Clerks Association, August 16, 2017.

Judicial Panelist: MTMP Conference, “The Trial Lawyer Hall of Fame Meets the Judiciary – Do Great Minds Think Alike?,” Mass Torts Made Perfect, Las Vegas, NV, April 27, 2017.

Judicial Panelist: Webinar, “View from the Bench: Awarding Attorney Fees in Federal Litigation,” National Association of Legal Fee Analysis, Chicago, IL, March 24, 2017.

Judicial Presenter: Orientation Workshop for District Judges, Federal Judicial Center, Los Angeles, CA, February 17, 2017.

Judicial Panelist: Masters of Mass Torts Conference, “Q and A with Judges,” “Federal/State Coordination Issues,” Providio MediSolutions, Cancun, Mexico, January 19, 2017.

Judicial Panelist: Settlement in Complex Litigation Conference, “Special Challenges in Settlement: Latent Harms, Overlapping Claims and Bad Actors,” Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation and Federal Judicial Center, Atlanta, GA, December 15, 2016.

Judicial Panelist: Next Gen Conference, “Getting Selected for Leadership,” “Presentations by Senior Counsel on How They Obtained Their First Appointment,” “Pitfalls in Climbing the Ladder,” Emory University School of Law, Atlanta, GA, December 14, 2016.

Judicial Panelist: Class Action Forum, “Settlement and Resolution of Class Actions,” University of Miami School of Law, Miami, FL, December 2, 2016.

Judicial Panelist: Contemporary Issues in Complex Litigation, “Are Bellwethers an Effective Way of Resolving Group Litigation,” Northwestern University School of Law, Chicago, IL, November 16, 2016.

Guest Lecturer: Electronic Discovery Seminar (3L class), Southern Illinois University School of Law, Carbondale, IL, November 14, 2016.

Judicial Panelist: Duke Law MDL Conference, “Extent of Fiduciary Co-Lead Counsel’s and PSC’s Responsibility to All Plaintiff’s,” Washington, D.C., October 27, 2016.

Judicial Presenter: Orientation Workshop for District Judges, Federal Judicial Center, Ft. Worth, TX, February 5, 2016.

Judicial Panelist: MDL Conference, “Use of Special Masters in MDLs,” Harris Martin Conferences, Cape Coral, FL, January 27, 2016.

Judicial Panelist: Drug and Medical Device Litigation Conference, “View from the Bench,” American Conference Institute, New York, NY, December 4, 2015.

Moderator: Managing Complex Litigation Workshop, “Settlement and Trial,” Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation and Federal Judicial Center, Denver, CO, August 25, 2015.

Judicial Panelist: Drug and Medical Device Litigation Conference, “View from the Bench,” American Conference Institute, New York, NY, December 10, 2014.

Judicial Panelist: Sanctions in Mass Tort Litigation, Women of Litigation Section of the American Bar Association, Chicago, IL, November 6, 2014.

Judicial Panelist: National Complex Litigation Conference, “Best Practices and Trends in Multidistrict Litigation; An Interview with Chief Judge Herndon, Chief Judge Heyburn and Judge Motz,” Perrin Conferences, Chicago, IL, June 11, 2014.

Judicial Panelist: Drug and Medical Device Litigation Conference, “View from the Bench,” American Conference Institute, New York, NY, December 11, 2013.

Judicial Panelist: Annual Mass Torts Forum, “Mass Tort Coordination,” “E-Discovery and Documents,” “Trial Issues,” “Hot Topics in Mass Torts,” “Mass Tort Resolution,” and “Scientific Evidence in Mass Tort Litigation,” Mass Torts Made Perfect, Philadelphia, PA, May 23, 2013.

Judicial Panelist: Drug and Medical Device Litigation Conference, “View from the Bench,” American Conference Institute, New York, NY, December 5, 2012.

Judicial Panelist: Mass Torts Forum, “A Roundtable for Judges and Lawyers,” Mass Torts Made Perfect, Philadelphia, PA, February 9, 2012.

Judicial Panelist: Mass Tort Symposium, The Dispute Resolution Institute, Philadelphia, PA, December 8, 2011.

Judicial Panelist: Drug and Medical Device Litigation Conference, “View From the Bench,” American Conference Institute, New York, NY, December 7, 2011.

Judicial Presenter: 2nd Annual Philadelphia Mass Tort Symposium, “State and Federal Cooperation in MDL Litigation,” The Dispute Resolution Institute, Philadelphia, PA December 8, 2011.

Judicial Panelist: Managed Care Disputes and Litigation Conference, “Judges Roundtable,” American Conference Institute, Philadelphia, PA, May 18, 2011.

Guest Lecturer: Mass Torts and Complex Class Action, University of Chicago Law School, Chicago, IL, May 2, 2011.

Judicial Panelist: ERISA Litigation Conference, “View From the Bench,” American Conference Institute, San Francisco, CA, April 15, 2011.

Judicial Panelist: Drug and Medical Device Litigation Conference, “View From the Bench,” American Conference Institute, New York, NY, December 9, 2010.

Guest Lecturer: Ethics in Mass Torts, University of Chicago School of Law, Chicago, IL, October 13, 2014.

Judicial Presenter: Judicial Retreat, “Multi District Litigation,” United States District Court Western District Missouri, March 2, 2012.

Judicial Presenter: Orientation Workshop for District Judges, Federal Judicial Center, Los Angeles, CA, June 8, 2012.

Judicial Panelist: Drug and Medical Device Litigation Conference, “View from the Bench,” American Conference Institute, New York, NY, December 5, 2012.

Judicial Presenter: Mass Torts Judicial Forum, Philadelphia, PA, May 22-24, 2013.

Judicial Panelist: Drug and Medical Device Litigation Conference, “View from the Bench,” American Conference Institute, New York, NY, December 11, 2013.

Judicial Presenter: Orientation Workshop for District Judges, Federal Judicial Center, Richmond, VA, January 17, 2014.

Judicial Presenter: Complex Litigation Conference, Perrin Conferences, “The Bellwether Process – Are Bellwethers a Good Idea,” Chicago, IL, June 11, 2014.

Guest Lecturer: Mass Torts Litigation, University of Denver Sturm College of Law, Denver, CO, November 22, 2010.

Judicial Panelist: Mass Torts Judicial Forum with Judge Marina Corodemus, “Social Media, Juries, and the Use of the Internet-Ethical Pitfalls and Things to Avoid,” Summation Clean-Up or Crap Out,” and “Future Shock Good, Better, Bland,” HB Litigation Conferences, Philadelphia, PA, June 28, 2010.

Judicial Panelist: Mass Tort Dialogue with Judge Corodemus, “Protective Orders,” HB Litigation Conferences, teleconference, April 14, 2010.

Judicial Panelist: Tips for Lawyers in the Civil Practice of Employment Law Cases, “View from the Bench,” Illinois State Bar Association Section on Labor and Employment Law CLE, Collinsville, IL, February 17, 2006.

Judicial Presenter: Technology and the Law, “Electronic Evidence Presentation and E-filing,” Illinois State Bar Association CLE, East Saint Louis, IL, March 19, 2004 and Urbana, IL, March 24, 2004.

Judicial Panelist: Labor and Employment Law Symposium, “Litigating TROs in Federal Court,” Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis, St. Louis, MO, March 5, 2004.

Judicial Panelist: Labor and Employment Law Symposium, “The Practice of Employment Law Before Federal Court,” Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis, St. Louis, MO, February 12, 2003.

Judicial Panelist: 6th Annual Employment Law Update, “View From the Bench,” Illinois Institute for Continuing Education CLE, Springfield, IL, November 14, 2002.

Judicial Presenter: Comparing Inquisitorial and Accusatorial Criminal Justice Systems, “Role of the Judge,” US Department of Justice in conjunction with the Thailand Attorney General’s Office, Bangkok, Thailand, November, 2002.

Judicial roundtable participant: Back to the Basics – Federal Civil Practice, Illinois State Bar Association, CLE, Collinsville, IL, April 19, 2002.