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SBA's Admiral Harvey Weitz Boat Ride

The 2019 SBA Admiral Harvey Weitz Boat Ride took place Friday, April 5 and was enjoyed by many. The Savannah Bar Association would like to thank Vagabond Cruise for the smooth sailing and Chef Kirk Blaine of The Howlin Hound & Castaways for the wonderful food. For those who missed this year's boat ride, please mark next year's calendar for Friday, April 24, 2020. Langston is already hard at work planning the 2020 boat ride.

We would also like to give special thanks to our generous sponsors:

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- Savannah Law School - (912) 525-3900.

Please consider employing the services of our sponsors if you have the need. Their generosity helped pay for this wonderful event. Your support of our sponsors is greatly appreciated.





Savannah YLD Update

Thank you to all who attended April's happy hour event at the new Alida Hotel rooftop patio, The Lost Square, in downtown Savannah. YLD members mingled and enjoyed libations with a stunning view of the skyline, thank you to all who attended. New and prospective members are encouraged to attend happy hour events.

Please contact Amanda Kistler for membership information, alk@mccorklejohnson.com.

Keep an eye on your inbox for details on next month's May happy hour event, we hope to see you there!



WSWGS welcomes attorney H.L. Scottie Hendrix II

Commercial real and residential real estate attorney H.L. Scottie Hendrix, II, has joined the law firm of Weiner, Shearouse, Weitz, Greenberg & Shawe.

Mr. Hendrix is a Savannah native whose practice focuses in the areas of commercial and residential real estate, general business, and transactional law. Prior to joining WSWG, Mr. Hendrix clerked for the Honorable Doyet A. (Jack) Early, III in Bamberg, South Carolina.

Mr. Hendrix received an undergraduate degree from the University of Georgia in 2004 and was employed at the United States Army Corps of Engineers, where he resolved real property and contract related disputes. Mr. Hendrix then worked for Norfolk Southern Railway, where he was responsible for drafting and reviewing real estate contracts and negotiating the purchase, sale, and lease of the company's industrial, commercial, residential, and agricultural property interests in Georgia, New York, and Pennsylvania.

Mr. Hendrix is a member of the South Carolina Bar and the State Bar of Georgia and graduated Cum Laude from the Charleston School of Law. While in law school, Mr. Hendrix interned at the South Carolina Supreme Court for Justice Kaye G. Hearn, and later with Gulfstream Aerospace Corporation.

He was also selected to be a Writing Fellow within the Legal Writing Department, served on the Federal Courts Law Review Editorial Board and was elected Chairman of the Honor Council. Mr. Hendrix is a Freemason, and a member of the Alee Temple Shriners and Keystone Kops.



H.L. Scottie Hendrix II



The Young Lawyers Division Presents



The Fourteenth Annual



Savannah Guardian Ad Litem Charity Golf Tournament

Event Date: June 7th, 2019 (Friday)

Event Time: 1:30 shotgun start

Location: Palmetto Course @ The Landings Club (Plantation Clubhouse)

Entry Fee: \$112.50 per player paid individually or \$450.00 per team, which includes green fees, cart, range balls, lunch and beverages.

Any entries received after the May 17th deadline will incur an additional charge of \$25 per individual and will be subject to availability.

Registration Deadline: May 17, 2019

If you are interested in participating or sponsoring the event, please contact Taylor Dove at (912) 236-0261 or by email at tdove@huntermaclean.com.



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of the State Bar of Georgia cordially invites you to the*

2019 Commitment to Equality *Awards*

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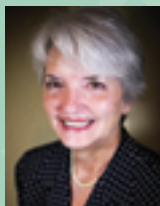
May 23 | 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.
Georgia State University College of Law
85 Park Place NE, Atlanta, GA 30303

Tickets are \$35 per person.

To register, please visit
<http://bit.ly/2X9KZh7>

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Phyllis J. Holmen
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Lee & Peynado Immigration Law Group

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Senior Counsel,
Wells Fargo
& Company



**Gwendolyn Fortson
Waring**
Attorney,
Waring Law Firm



General Civil Mediation Training

When: August 8- 11, 2019, 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Where: The Mediation Center, 5105 Paulsen Street #125-D
Savannah, GA 31405

Join The Mediation Center for our next Civil Mediation Training, August 8th-11th, 2019. The 28-hour training provides you with the certification to mediate Magistrate, State, Superior, and Probate Court civil cases.

The fee is \$1,250.00 and TMC will provide you with administrative support to register with GODR.

For more information or to register contact:

Lee Robbins: lrobbins@mediationsavannah.com ; 912-354-6686 Or

Trish Murphy, Esq.: tmurphy@mediationsavannah.com; 912-354-2857

Congratulations Adam Walters

Adam Walters of Walters Law P.C. was selected by the American Health Lawyers Association to serve as Vice-Chair of the Physician Organizations Practice Group for the 2019-2021 term. Congratulations!

Judge Frank Cheatham Professionalism Award Nominations

Nominations are now being taken for this year's Judge Frank Cheatham Professionalism Award. The award is presented to the attorney within our legal community who best exemplifies professionalism in the manner in which he or she engages clients and other members of the profession and the community as a whole.

Named after Judge Cheatham, who exemplified professionalism in his career, the award seeks to acknowledge that individual who pursues work on behalf of clients, as well as on behalf of the community, as a public servant to promote justice and the public good.

The deadline for nominations is Friday, May 10, 2019. The award will be presented at the Savannah Bar Association's Annual Cocktail Reception on June 20, 2019. Please email your nominations to Robert Hughes at RHughes@rhp-law.com.



Harris Lowry Manton LLP Honored by Georgia Legal Awards

Harris Lowry Manton LLP, a full-service catastrophic and personal injury firm with offices in Savannah and Atlanta, has been named the Litigation Department of the Year in the small firm category by the 2019 Georgia Legal Awards. Harris Lowry Manton LLP is the only plaintiff's litigation firm in the state to be honored with a Georgia Legal Award this year.

Sponsored by The Daily Report, Atlanta's top legal publication and Law.com affiliate, the Georgia Legal Awards recognizes the state's finest attorneys for their contribution to the Georgia legal community and excellence in a variety of practice areas.



"This award has special meaning because it recognizes our entire litigation department and the spirit of teamwork that has helped secure justice for our clients," said Harris Lowry Manton LLP partner Jeff Harris. "We are deeply honored to be counted among Georgia's best law firms."

The awards committee received a record number of nominations and selected a total of 55 honorees from across the state. Winners will be recognized at a ceremony in Atlanta on June 20.

Earlier this year, Harris Lowry Manton LLP partners Jeff Harris and Steve Lowry were named to Georgia Super Lawyers' prestigious Top 100 list of attorneys for the second consecutive year. Harris and Lowry have also been honored in Georgia Trend's "Legal Elite" issue, which recognizes top attorneys in the state of Georgia.



HunterMaclean Listed in Prestigious Chambers USA 2019 Guide

HunterMaclean, a leading business law firm with offices in Savannah and Brunswick, was recently ranked in the exclusive Chambers USA 2019. Considered the most trusted law resource guide worldwide, Chambers USA is the result of thousands of in-depth interviews by the largest research team of its kind that is trusted across the globe to objectively rank the world's best lawyers and law firms.

HunterMaclean received rankings in Environmental Law, Labor and Employment, and Litigation: General Commercial. Attorneys highlighted for their work within these practices include Drew Ernst (Environmental Law), Wade Herring (Labor and Employment), Shawn Kachmar (Labor and Employment), and Sarah Lamar (Labor and Employment).

"It is an honor to be included in this well-respected and prestigious publication," said HunterMaclean Managing Partner Brad Harmon. "Having our firm consistently included in this publication is further validation of our commitment to knowledgeable and dedicated client service."

Chambers USA is compiled through a research-based review that evaluates the multiple practice areas of hundreds of law firms through investigative research and interviews with attorneys and their clients.



Drew Ernst



Wade Herring



Shawn Kachmar



Sarah Lamar



Attorney Robert J. McGuirk Joins HunterMaclean

Prior to joining HunterMaclean, Rob worked for 11 years as the executive director of tax and tax counsel for Quest Diagnostics Incorporated, a Fortune 500 company that provides clinical diagnostic laboratory services in the health care field.

“Rob brings a tremendous amount of knowledge and experience to our firm’s taxation practice group,” said Managing Partner Brad Harmon. “He is a respected professional, and his expertise will certainly be an asset to our team and clientele.”

Rob received a Master of Laws in Taxation and his Juris Doctor from New York University School of Law. He earned undergraduate degrees in Accounting and Philosophy from Rutgers University in New Brunswick, New Jersey. Rob is a certified public accountant in Maryland and New Jersey.

Rob is a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the American Bar Association. He also served on the conference board of the Tax Executives Council from 2016 to 2017.



Robert J. McGuirk

Attorney Andrew Walcoff Joins Bouhan Falligant

Bouhan Falligant LLP is pleased to announce that litigation attorney Andrew Walcoff has joined the firm. Walcoff has extensive experience representing companies and individual clients in complex cases in federal and state courts throughout the United States.

Prior to joining Bouhan Falligant, Walcoff worked as Counsel at King & Spalding in Atlanta. In addition to his litigation work, he advises clients on litigation readiness, focusing on privilege, records management, and data-privacy issues. Walcoff is a Certified Information Privacy Professional/Europe, a credential issued by the International Association of Privacy Professionals, and he is a member of several working groups of the Sedona Conference, a nonpartisan, nonprofit 501(c)(3) research and educational institute dedicated to the advanced study of law and policy in the areas of antitrust law, complex litigation, and intellectual property rights. Walcoff writes and teaches on topics including privilege non-waiver, discovery best practices, case law developments, and e-discovery cost shifting and taxation.

Walcoff earned his law degree from the University of Georgia, his Master of Science degree from Columbia University Graduate School of Architecture, Planning and Preservation, and his Bachelor of Arts degree from Hamilton College.

Please visit Bouhan Falligant’s new website at www.bouhan.com where you can find additional information about the firm and its many attorneys.



Andrew Walcoff



Now Open for Submissions

The Savannah Bar Association is always seeking content for upcoming editions of The Citation. Members are encouraged to submit:

- Your professional and personal announcements
- Law-related advertisements,
- Articles or announcements regarding your preferred philanthropies
- Other written submissions.

Suggestions for improving The Citation are also always welcome.

Finally, we love to receive photographs and video to share with our readers!

Bear in mind that our readers include not only current SBA members, but also many judges and law school students.

Please contact us at SBACitation@gmail.com with submissions or inquiries.