

## 4 CPD points

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# FAMILY, WILLS AND PROPERTY

Thursday, 28 March 2013 9.00am to 1.15pm

\$460

Wills, Family and Property, brings together four of Melbourne's leading practitioners in their fields, providing you with an update and snap shot on three essential practice areas. You will hear about the impact of recent case law, trends and topical issues to assist you in delivering quality advice to your clients. Attend all three sessions or pick the session of your choice.

» Chair: **Barry Berger**, Partner, Berger Korodis Lawyers

**Family Law Update** 9.00am to 10.00am 133V45A \$155

### Family Law Update

- Recent cases and developments
- Understanding expected challenges in family law in 2013
- Role of case guardian and litigation guardian in family law matters

» Presented by **Tim Mulvaney**, Partner, TJ Mulvaney & Co

**Wills and Estates Update** 10.15am to 12.15pm 133V45B \$255

### Wills & Estates in 2013

- Progress of VLRC Succession Law Review
- Current & topical Wills, Probate & Part IV cases
- » Presented by **Daniel Keillner**, Special Counsel, Russell Kennedy, Accredited Wills and Estates Specialist

### A General Overview of Estate Planning

- Estate planning in the will versus estate planning outside of the will
- Appropriate use of testamentary structures in wills
- Overview of superannuation death benefit nominations
- » Presented by **Teresa Catalano**, Partner, Cadens Lawyers, LLV Accredited Specialist in Wills and Estates

**Property Law Update** 12.30pm to 1.30pm 133V45C \$155

### Property Law Update

- Recent cases and legislative developments
- Understanding expected challenges in Property Law in 2013
- Anticipating potential pitfalls
- » Presented by **Lily Tell**, Partner, Arnold Bloch Leibler

## 3 CPD points

Attend and earn 3 CPD points including:  
1 point in Practice Management & Business Skills  
1 point in Professional Skills

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# CPD COMPLIANCE FOR ALL LAWYERS

Thursday, 28 March 2013

2.00pm to 5.15pm

\$460

It's your last chance! Gain your compulsory CPD points before the Easter long weekend! This is not just a 'tick the box' seminar, these fantastic speakers will cover relevant and practical issues in your legal practice with valuable advice in the areas of ethics, skills and practice management. Book now!

» Chair: **Bill Papatsoygiadis**, Managing Partner, Moray & Agnew Solicitors

### Ethics & Professional Responsibility

#### Developing an Ethical Culture

- Putting the onus of ethics responsibility on the employer as well as the employee; considering the impact of a firm's culture and structure on the ethics of an individual employee
- Building ethical infrastructure in your firm: policy, values and behaviour
- Managing the firm's obligations to employees to reduce the risk of unethical behaviour
- » Presented by **Michelle Sharpe**, Barrister, Owen Dixon Chambers West

### Professional Skills

#### Achieve Your Personal Best

- Developing high performance habits: genuine behaviour change that is both effective and life-long
- Using the science of psychology, productivity, recovery and physiology to help you boost productivity, regulate stress and build physical activity and recovery into daily routines to maximise personal health and wellbeing
- » Presented by **Paul Vine**, General Counsel and Company Secretary, Bell Financial Group Pty Ltd, Performance Coach with The Performance Clinic

### Practice Management

#### Copywriting Skills for Lawyers

- How to generate an immediate response to your client communications: both online and paper-based
- » Presented by **Alicia Patterson**, Director, House Consulting

## 6 CPD points

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# 2ND ANNUAL CONTRACTS CONFERENCE

Thursday, 28 March 2013

9.00am to 5.15pm

\$810

Learn everything you need in the latest developments affecting the law of contracts, from contract construction and interpretation in the morning and contractual termination and breach in the afternoon session. Attend the whole day or just part, depending on your areas of interest.

**Session One: Contract Construction and Interpretation** 9.00am to 1.15pm 133V46A \$460

» Chair: **Jeremy Loediger**, Partner, Holding Redlich Lawyers

### Contractual Interpretation

- Principles of construction and interpretation
- Pre-contractual conduct
- Objective intention and factual matrix
- Applying the parol evidence rule and understanding its exceptions
- Canons of contractual construction: some illustrations.
- » Presented by **Paul J. Hayes**, Barrister, Owen Dixon Chambers West

### Drafting for Effective Contract

• Penalties: Effect of recent case: *Andrews vs Australia and New Zealand Banking Group Ltd [2012] HCA*

- Best endeavours clauses
- Examining common 'limitation' exclusion provisions and potential issues
- Indemnities vs damages
- Direct vs consequential loss: the judicial approach
- » Presented by **Grant Rowlands**, Partner, Ashurst

### Allocating and Managing the Risk of the Unexpected

- How do contracts respond to the unexpected?
- How may the risk of the unexpected be allocated?
- How far is it possible to go?
- Force majeure
- What if the contract is silent?
- The doctrine of frustration and related statutory regimes
- How might equity treat conduct in unexpected circumstances?
- » Presented by **Nathan Abbott**, Partner, Middletons

### Recent Developments in the Law of Electronic Contracts in Australia

- Electronic contracting
- Part 2A of the Electronic Transactions Acts
- Formation of electronic contracts
- Warranties implied at common law for the download of software
- Unfair terms in standard form contracts under the Australian Consumer Law
- » Presented by **Professor Margaret Jackson**, RMIT, Graduate School of Business & Law

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