Delaware Corporate Law
Anniversary Symposium

September 26 & 27, 2017 • Hotel du Pont, Wilmington, Delaware
9.5 hours CLE credit for Delaware and Pennsylvania attorneys
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Anniversary Symposium

Celebrating

The 225th anniversary of the establishment of the Delaware Court of Chancery
Constitution of 1792
Adopted June 12, 1792

The 50th anniversary of the 1967 general revision of the Delaware General Corporation Law
July 3, 1967

The 25th anniversary of the Delaware Limited Liability Company Act
July 22, 1992
Day One
Tuesday, September 26, 2017

8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. | Gold Ballroom Lower Foyer
Continental Breakfast

9:00 a.m. – 9:10 a.m. | Gold Ballroom
Welcome
Stephen P. Lamb, Esquire
Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP
Former Vice Chancellor, Court of Chancery

9:10 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. | Gold Ballroom
Opening Keynote Address
The Honorable Andre G. Bouchard
Chancellor, Court of Chancery

9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. | Gold Ballroom
Panel: The Court of Chancery: At the Human Level
Moderator
The Honorable Abigail M. LeGrow
Judge, Superior Court of Delaware
Panelists
The Honorable Sam Glasscock III
Vice Chancellor, Court of Chancery
Lexie Shelton McFassell, Esquire
Office of the Public Guardian
David J. Ferry, Jr., Esquire
Ferry Joseph, P.A.

10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.
Break

10:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. | Gold Ballroom
Panel: The Purpose of the Delaware Corporation
Moderator
Frederick H. Alexander, Esquire
Morris Nichols Arsht & Tunnell LLP
Panelists
The Honorable Leo E. Strine, Jr.
Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Delaware
Professor Elizabeth Pollman
Loyola Law School, Los Angeles, California
Professor Lyman P. Q. Johnson
Washington & Lee University Law School, Lexington, Virginia; University of St. Thomas School of Law, Minneapolis, Minnesota
Norman M. Monhait, Esquire
Rosenthal, Monhait & Goddess, P.A.

12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. | Gold Ballroom
Lunch and Address
Interview with Martin Lipton
Interview by The Honorable Andre G. Bouchard
Chancellor, Court of Chancery

2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. | Gold Ballroom
Panel: The DGCL and Litigation in the Court of Chancery
Moderator
Professor Michael L. Wachter
University of Pennsylvania Law School
Panelists
Theodore N. Mirvis, Esquire
Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz, New York, New York
Stuart M. Grant, Esquire
Grant & Eisenhofer P.A.
Gregory P. Williams, Esquire
Richards, Layton & Finger, P.A.
William M. Lafferty, Esquire
Morris Nichols Arsht & Tunnell LLP
David C. McBride, Esquire
Young Conaway Stargatt & Taylor, LLP
The Honorable Tamika R. Montgomery-Reeves
Vice Chancellor, Court of Chancery

3:30 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.
Break

3:45 p.m. – 5:15 p.m. | Gold Ballroom
Panel: The Court of Chancery, the DGCL, and Federalism
Moderator
Professor Charles M. Elson
University of Delaware
Panelists
Edward P. Welch, Esquire
Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom LLP
Amy L. Simmerman, Esquire
Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati
Jack B. Jacobs, Esquire
Sidley Austin LLP
Former Justice, Supreme Court of Delaware
Professor Jill E. Fisch
University of Pennsylvania Law School
The Honorable Joseph R. Slichts III
Vice Chancellor, Court of Chancery
E. Norman Veasey, Esquire
Gordon Fournaris & Mammarella, P.A.
Former Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Delaware

6:30 p.m. – 7:15 p.m. | du Barry Room
Reception

7:15 p.m. | Gold Ballroom
Dinner and Remarks
Jeffrey W. Bullock
Secretary of the State of Delaware
The Honorable Andre G. Bouchard
Chancellor, Court of Chancery
The Honorable Leo E. Strine, Jr.
Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Delaware
Day Two
Wednesday, September 27, 2017

8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.
Gold Ballroom Lower Foyer
Continental Breakfast

9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
Gold Ballroom
Panel: Beyond the Corporation
Moderator
Professor Ann E. Conaway
Widener University Delaware Law School
Panelists
Professor Mohsen Manesh
University of Oregon School of Law
Thomas E. Rutledge, Esquire
Stoll Keenon Ogden PLLC
Matthew J. O’Toole, Esquire
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Former Vice Chancellor, Court of Chancery
The Honorable J. Travis Laster
Vice Chancellor, Court of Chancery
Srinivas M. Raju, Esquire
Richards, Layton & Finger, P. A.

10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.
Break

10:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.
Gold Ballroom
Panel: The Court of Chancery, the DGCL, and the World
Moderator
Myron T. Steele, Esquire
Potter Anderson & Corroon LLP
Former Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Delaware
Panelists
Carol Hansell, Esquire
Hansell LLP, Toronto, Canada
Bastiaan F. Assink, Esquire
NautaDutilh N.V., Amsterdam, Netherlands
The Honorable Ruth Ronnen
Tel Aviv District Court, Corporate Department, Israel
Francisco Antunes Maciel (Chico)
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Barboso Mussnich Aragao, Rio de Janeiro/San Paolo, Brazil
Scott V. Simpson, Esquire
Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom LLP, London, United Kingdom
Louis Chen, Esquire
Taiwan Corporate Governance Association, Taipei, Taiwan

12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Gold Ballroom
Lunch
A Look Back:
The Oral History Project
Presentation of Video on
Smith v. Van Gorkom
Moderator
Joel Friedlander, Esquire
Friedlander & Gorris, P.A.
Commentators
A. Gilchrist Sparks III, Esquire
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