

# STATE BAR OF MONTANA ANNUAL MEETING



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## Wednesday, September 21

Time	Event	Venue
2 to 5 p.m.	<b>Board of Trustees Meeting</b>	Delta Colonial Hotel
5 to 9 p.m.	<b>First Judicial District Bar Welcome Reception.</b> All Annual Meeting attendees welcome.	Montana Club, Second Floor, 24 W. Sixth Ave.

## Thursday, September 22

Time	Event	Venue
Noon to 1 p.m.	<b>Kickoff Luncheon CLE The Ghost of Meagher – Ireland, Montana and their Constitutions.</b> Perspectives on Constitutional Order. Dr. Seán Ó Conaill, School of Law, University College Cork, Cork Ireland.	Hotel Ballroom
1 to 2 p.m.	<b>Ethics for Government-Employed Lawyers.</b> Pamela Bucy, Chief Disciplinary Counsel, Montana Office of Disciplinary Counsel.	Hotel Ballroom
2 to 2:30 p.m.	Sponsor Break	Ballroom Lobby
2:30 to 3:30 p.m.	<b>Mental Well-being in Law: Scope, Evidence and Thoughts to Improve.</b> Professor Matthew S. Thiese, Ph.D., Rocky Mountain Center for Occupational and Environmental Health, University of Utah and Weber State University.	Hotel Ballroom
3:30 to 4:30 p.m.	<b>Lies and Technology: Ethical Considerations for Civil and Criminal Practitioners.</b> Professor Andrew King-Ries, Professor Anna Conley Asst. Dean Katy Stack, Blewett School of Law at the University of Montana.	Hotel Ballroom
5 to 6 p.m.	<b>President's Reception.</b> Ceremony to honor 50-year members. Art for Justice silent auction to benefit the Montana Justice Foundation.	Capitol/State Room
6 to 8 p.m.	<b>Awards Banquet.</b> (Ticket required) Winners of the State Bar of Montana's Annual Awards will be honored.	Hotel Ballroom



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**Friday, September 23**

Time	Event	Venue
7:30 a.m.	<b>Breakfast hosted by the Alexander Blewett III School of Law</b>	Hotel Ballroom
8 to 8:30 a.m.	State Bar of Montana Annual Business Meeting and Conference for Members	Hotel Ballroom
8:45 to 9 a.m.	<b>Law School Update.</b> Speaker Acting Dean Elaine Gagliardi	Hotel Ballroom
9 to 9:30 a.m.	<b>Oral Argument Introduction.</b>	Hotel Ballroom
9:30 to 10:45 a.m.	<b>Oral Argument. <i>Charles Daniel Smith, Plaintiff and Appellant, v. Charter Communications, Inc., Defendant and Appellee</i></b> (Wrongful Discharge From Employment Act suit)	Hotel Ballroom
10:45 to 11:30 a.m.	Sponsor Break	Ballroom Lobby
11:30 to 12:45 p.m.	<b>Luncheon Keynote Discussion.</b> Speakers: Montana Attorney General Austin Knudsen; U.S. Attorney Jesse Laslovich, District of Montana; moderated by Mark Parker, Parker, Heitz & Cosgrove, Billings	Hotel Ballroom
1 to 4 p.m.	<p><b>Breakout Specialty Tracks.</b></p> <p><b>Family Law Section and Indian Law Section:</b> Indian Child Welfare Act (ICWA) and ICWA Jurisdiction and Requirements (Includes additional 1.0 Ethics CLE credit)</p> <p><b>Public Law Section:</b> Part 1 -- MAPA Hot Topics and Practice Tips by FWP Chief Legal Counsel Sarah Clerget, OPI Chief Legal Counsel Robert Stutz, and DOC Deputy Chief Legal Counsel Andres Haladay. Part 2 -- Montana Supreme Court Update by Jim Reavis, Montana Office of the Public Defender, Billings; Part 3 -- U.S. Supreme Court Update by Montana Solicitor General David Dewhirst.</p> <p><b>Paralegal Section: Help, Hope and Access to Justice</b> (open to all Annual Meeting attendees for 3.0 general CLE credits)</p>	<p>Executive Room</p> <p>Legislative Room</p> <p>Judicial Room</p>



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8:00 a.m.	<b>Dealing with Problem Clients: Practical and Ethical Considerations:</b> Presented by Jessica L. Beckwith, Partner & Firmwide Assistant General Counsel at Lewis Brisbois in Los Angeles and Phoenix; moderated by John Mudd, Executive Director & General Counsel, State Bar of Montana.	Hotel Ballroom
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**Thank you for attending  
the 2022 Annual Meeting!**

**We hope to see you again in Billings in 2023**

