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## 2024 SUMMER SEMINAR



# TADC *Calendar of Events*



**June 7-8, 2024**

**A New Wave: TADC Young Lawyer Seminar**  
Margaritaville Hotel, South Padre Island, Texas

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**September 18-22, 2024**

**2024 TADC Annual Meeting**  
Horseshoe Bay Resort & Spa, Horseshoe Bay, Texas



**October 17, 2024**

**2024 TADC Deposition Boot Camp**  
Virtual Seminar

# LAKE TAHOE *Nevada* July 17-21, 2024

# TADC 2024 SUMMER SEMINAR

July 17-21, 2024 ~ Harvey's Resort Hotel ~ Lake Tahoe, Nevada

**Jennie C. Knapp, The Underwood Law Firm, P.C., Amarillo & Arlene C. Matthews, Crenshaw, Dupree & Milam, LLP, Lubbock, Program Co-Chairs**

CLE Approved for: 9.75 hours, including 3.5 hours ethics

## Wednesday, July 17, 2024

6pm – 8pm TADC Welcome Reception

## Thursday, July 18, 2024

6:45-9:00am Buffet Breakfast

7:25-7:30am Welcome & Announcements  
**Gayla Corley**, TADC President  
MehaffyWeber, P.C., San Antonio  
**Jennie C. Knapp**, Program Co-Chair  
The Underwood Law Firm, P.C., Amarillo  
**Arlene C. Matthews**, Program Co-Chair  
Crenshaw, Dupree & Milam, LLP, Lubbock

7:30-8:00am *DEFAULT JUDGMENTS: THINGS PLAINTIFFS HOPE YOU FORGET*  
**Catrina L. Guerrero**, Nye Law Office, PLLC., Corpus Christi

8:00-8:30am *CAN I THROW IT AWAY? FINER POINTS OF PRESERVATION AND SPOILIATION (.5 ethics)*  
**Mitzi Mayfield**, The Underwood Law Firm, P.C., Amarillo

8:30-9:00am *CREATION OF NEW TORT DUTIES – OR NOT*  
**Peter Hansen**, Jackson Walker, LLP, Austin

9:00-9:30am *CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION: I DO NOT THINK IT MEANS WHAT YOU THINK IT MEANS*  
**Tyler Talbert**, Scanes Yelverton Talbert, LLP, Waco

9:30-10:15am *CONFLICTS OF INTEREST OR INTERESTING CONFLICTS (.75 ethics)*  
**Mark White, Executive Vice President and General Counsel**, Amarillo College, Amarillo

10:15-10:30am B R E A K

10:30-11:00am *PLAYBOOK FOR GETTING INJUNCTIVE RELIEF IN TEXAS STATE COURT*  
**Joshua Sandler**, Winstead, PC, Dallas

11:00-11:30am *DO I HAVE TO ARBITRATE WHETHER I HAVE TO ARBITRATE?*  
**Cynthia Keely Timms**, Locke Lord LLP, Dallas

11:30-12Noon *EXPERTS AND THE TRIAL LAWYER*  
**Wade Wilson**, Young & Associates, Dallas

12:00-1:30pm *LUNCHEON: GUARDIANS OF DATA: CYBERSECURITY RESPONSIBILITIES FOR LAW FIRMS (1.0 ethics)*  
**Lindsay Nickle**, Constangy, Brooks, Smith & Prophete, LLP, Dallas

**Afternoon Free to Enjoy Lake Tahoe!**

## Friday, July 19, 2024

6:45-9:00am Buffet Breakfast

7:30-7:45am Welcome & Announcements  
**Gayla Corley**, TADC President  
**Jennie C. Knapp**, Program Co-Chair  
**Arlene C. Matthews**, Program Co-Chair

7:45-8:15am *ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE: THE ROBOT LAWYER TURNS ONE (.5 ethics)*  
**Justice Larry Doss**, Seventh Court of Appeals, Amarillo

8:15-9:15am *GENERAL PERSONAL JURISDICTION AFTER MALLORY*  
**Kendyl Hanks**, Greenberg Traurig LLP, Austin & **Jordan Smith**, Pisanelli Bice, PLLC, Las Vegas

9:15-9:45am *HOW TO MAKE 91A WORK FOR YOU*  
**Rachel Moreno**, Kemp Smith, LLP, El Paso

9:45-10:15am *THE ULTIMATE SLIPPERY SLOPE: TEXAS SUPREME COURT PONDERES INVITING NON-LAWYERS TO OWN TEXAS LAW FIRMS (5. ethics)*  
**David Chamberlain**, Chamberlain♦McHaney, PLLC, Austin

10:15-10:30am B R E A K

10:30-11:00am *THE GOOD, THE BAD, AND THE UGLY: TIPS FOR EFFECTIVE ADVOCACY IN MEDIATION AND ARBITRATION (.25 ethics)*  
**The Honorable Patricia J. Kerrigan**, Patricia J. Kerrigan, P.C., Houston

11:00-11:30am *HOT TOPICS IN INSURANCE LAW*  
**Sarah Nicolas**, Ramon Worthington Nicolas & Cantu, PLLC, Bee Cave

11:30-12Noon *THE OTHER AI COVERAGE: IMAGINING INSURANCE RISKS AND ISSUES CREATED BY THE ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE REVOLUTION*  
**Darin Brooks**, Gray Reed, Houston

12:00-12:30pm *RESTRICTIVE COVENANTS – THE ROLE OF HARM*  
**Jason Boulette**, Boulette, Golden & Marin, L.L.P., Austin

**Afternoon Free to Enjoy Lake Tahoe!**

## Saturday, July 20, 2024

6:45-9:00am Buffet Breakfast

**Day Free to Enjoy Lake Tahoe!**

## Sunday, July 21, 2024

Depart for Texas!

# 2024 TADC Summer Seminar

July 17-21, 2024 ~ Harvey's Resort Hotel ~ Lake Tahoe, NV

Highway 50 at Stateline Avenue, Lake Tahoe, NV 89449

### Pricing & Registration Options

Registration fees include Wednesday evening through Saturday group activities, including the Wednesday evening welcome reception, all breakfasts, CLE Program each day and related expenses and hospitality room.

Registration for Member Only (one person) \$850.00  
Registration for Member & Spouse/Guest (2 people) \$995.00

### Children's Registration

Registration fee for children includes Wednesday evening welcome reception and Thursday, Friday and Saturday breakfast.

Children Age 12 and Older \$175.00  
Children Age 6-11 \$125.00

### Spouse/Guest CLE Credit

If your spouse/guest is also an attorney and would like to attend the Summer Seminar for CLE credit, there is an additional charge to cover written materials, meeting materials and coffee breaks.

Spouse/Guest CLE credit for Summer Seminar \$75.00

### Hotel Reservation Information

For hotel reservations, CONTACT HARVEY'S RESORT DIRECTLY AT 1-800-455-4770 and reference Group Code **S07TDX4** for the TADC Summer Seminar. The TADC has secured a block of rooms at an EXTREMELY reasonable rate. It is IMPORTANT that you make your reservations as soon as possible *as the room block will most likely fill quickly*. Any room requests after the deadline date, will be on a wait list basis.

**DEADLINE FOR HOTEL RESERVATIONS IS JUNE 17, 2024**

### TADC Refund Policy Information

Registration Fees will be refunded ONLY if a written cancellation notice is received at least TEN (10) BUSINESS DAYS PRIOR (July 3, 2024) to the meeting date. A \$100.00 ADMINISTRATIVE FEE will be deducted from any refund. Any cancellation made after July 3, 2024 IS NON-REFUNDABLE.

## 2024 TADC SUMMER SEMINAR REGISTRATION FORM

July 17-21, 2024 ~ Harvey's Resort Hotel ~ Lake Tahoe, NV

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### CHECK ALL APPLICABLE BOXES TO CALCULATE YOUR REGISTRATION FEE:

- \$ 850.00 Member ONLY (One Person)  \$ 175.00 Children 12 & Older \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ 995.00 Member & Spouse/Guest (2 people)  \$ 125.00 Children 6-11 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ 75.00 Spouse/Guest CLE Credit  
 (no charge) CLE for a State OTHER than Texas \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL Registration Fee Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

SPOUSE/GUEST (IF ATTENDING) FOR NAME TAG: \_\_\_\_\_

Check if your spouse/guest is a TADC member

CHILDREN'S NAME TAGS: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

### PAYMENT METHOD:

A CHECK in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed with this form.

MAKE PAYABLE & MAIL THIS FORM TO: TADC, P.O. Box 92468, Austin, TX 78709 OR register online at [www.tadc.org](http://www.tadc.org)

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