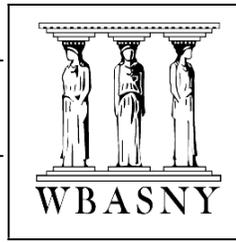


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Dear Friends:

On behalf of the Women's Bar Association of the State of New York ("WBASNY"), I am delighted to invite you to sponsor our 2019 Convention, which will take place at The Westin Savannah Harbor Golf Resort and Spa in Savannah, Georgia from May 30 to June 2, 2019.

As you may know, WBASNY is one of only three state-wide bar associations in New York, and the only one specifically dedicated to the advancement of the status of women within the legal profession and in our community at large. WBASNY's 4,300+ members hail from twenty chapters across the State and include individuals from all facets of the legal profession, including state and federal judges, prominent attorneys in all areas of the law, successful business owners, educators, and government leaders.

For decades, WBASNY has been committed to issues of statewide, national, and international significance to women in general, and to women attorneys in particular. Through the work and dedication of thirty-four active committees, WBASNY advocates for and supports issues such as Access to Justice, Children's Rights, Domestic Violence, Diversity, Equal Opportunity in the Profession, International Women's Rights, Judiciary and the Courts, Health Issues, and Matrimonial and Family Law. Our united and unsurpassed passion for WBASNY's mission is the foundation for the invaluable professional contacts and friendships enjoyed by our members across the state.

Our Annual Convention is a cornerstone event of our organization, as members from the statewide organization and from every chapter -- together with featured speakers and distinguished guests --- gather and participate in educational seminars, networking opportunities, community service projects, and more. Your sponsorship of this event provides you with an opportunity to reach influential leaders in communities throughout New York State by showcasing your support for WBASNY and its mission.

We invite you to join the many prominent businesses, corporations, law firms, and individuals, who recognize the importance of WBASNY's activities and the influence of our members throughout New York State and beyond through their support and sponsorship. As we continue forward with our mission, WBASNY and the community we serve are so grateful for the generosity, collaboration, involvement and support of our sponsors and friends because without you, our work is simply not possible.

Sponsorship opportunities are described in the attached materials. Whether you show your support at the Benefactor (\$5,000), Patron (\$2,500), or Friend (\$1,500) level or sponsor an individual Convention event or program, your contribution will be recognized in WBASNY publications, on its website, during our Convention and at WBASNY meetings throughout the year.

Thank you very much for your support. If you have any questions, please contact our Executive Director, Linda Chiaverini, at (212) 362-4445 or at lchiaverini@wbasny.org.

Sincerely,

Greta K. Kolcon
President, WBASNY



WOMEN'S BAR ASSOCIATION OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

Convention 2019

The Westin Savannah Harbor Golf Resort and Spa
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CONVENTION EVENTS AVAILABLE FOR SPONSORSHIP

Convention Event Sponsors will be recognized for their generosity at the event(s) which they support and are entitled to the benefits commensurate with the level of support. All Convention Sponsor opportunities will be awarded on a first-come basis.

Benefactor - \$5,000

Awards Dinner (Friday Night) -- \$5,000

At this major event of the Convention weekend, highly coveted awards are bestowed honoring the significant achievements of individual WBASNY members and recognizing their contributions to both WBASNY and the greater legal community.

Installation Dinner (Saturday Night) -- \$5,000

This event is the highlight of the Convention weekend. It includes the induction of WBASNY Officers, a tribute to the accomplishment of the outgoing officers and a key-note address delivered by a high-profile individual from the legal or political community.

Benefactors receive:

- Admission for four (4) representatives at the sponsored event
- Full page silver banner premium-positioned advertisement in the annual Convention journal
- Exhibitor display table during the three days of the Convention (Friday-Sunday)
- Sponsorship acknowledgment at the podium of the sponsored event, in the annual Convention journal and in one issue of the *Women's Bar News*
- Prominent logo visibility during the three days of the Convention
- The opportunity to provide promotional material to each Convention participant
- Half page advertisement in three issues of the *Women's Bar E-Newsletter*
- Display of logo on, and hotlink from, WBASNY's website for two months

Patron - \$2,500

Cocktail Reception Preceding Awards Dinner (Friday Night) -- \$2,500

Cocktail Reception Preceding Installation Dinner (Saturday Night) -- \$2,500

These highly attended events provide a sophisticated atmosphere for networking and socializing.

Sunday Plenary Breakfast Meeting -- \$2,500

This closing event of the Convention weekend is the annual Plenary Session meeting of the Association. The new President of WBASNY will outline her plans for the upcoming year, and members are welcome to comment and discuss the activities of the Association.

Patrons receive:

- Admission for two (2) representatives at the sponsored event
- Full page premium-positioned advertisement in the annual Convention journal
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Friend - \$1,500 - \$2,000

Audio Visual -- \$2,000

This contribution offers an excellent opportunity to be recognized as the official sponsor of audiovisual and videography for the Continuing Legal Education programs offered at Convention.

Tote Bags -- \$1,500

Your company name and logo will be prominently displayed on one side of high-quality tote bags distributed to and used by each participant during the Convention weekend and long after the Convention is over.

Friends receive:

- Admission for two (2) representatives at the sponsored event
- Half page premium-positioned advertisement in the annual Convention journal
- Sponsorship acknowledgment at the podium of the sponsored event, in the annual Convention journal and in one issue of the *Women's Bar News*
- Prominent logo visibility during the three days of the Convention
- The opportunity to provide promotional material to each Convention participant
- Quarter page advertisement in two issues of the *Women's Bar E-Newsletter*
- Display of logo on, and hotlink from, WBASNY's website for one month

Associate - \$1,000

Badges/Lanyards -- \$1,000

As the exclusive badges/lanyard sponsor, your lanyards will be distributed to all convention attendees ensuring you leave a lasting impression. Each and every participant will wear your company name and logo front and center throughout the entire Convention.

Board of Directors Lunch Meeting (Friday) -- \$1,000

Convention also serves as the forum for one of five annual meetings of WBASNY's Board of Directors. The agenda of this working session may include such items as finalizing the Association's position on state and federal legislation, as well as a review of the highlights of chapter activities during the prior year.

First-time Attendee Reception (Thursday) -- \$1,000

As a welcome to the Convention, all first-time attendees are invited to join the WBASNY Officers and Past Presidents along with the Convention Committee to a reception that features a presentation by a local artist or historian.

Keynote Speaker -- \$1,000

An opportunity to support one of the highlights of the Installation Dinner on Saturday evening of Convention. Your company will be mentioned at the podium in connection with the keynote speaker, and your company name and logo will appear in the Convention journal.

Associates receive:

- Quarter page premium-positioned advertisement in the annual Convention journal
- Sponsorship acknowledgment at the podium of the sponsored event, in the annual Convention journal and in one issue of the *Women's Bar News*
- Prominent logo visibility during the three days of the Convention
- The opportunity to provide promotional material to each Convention participant
- Business card advertisement in two issues of the *Women's Bar E-Newsletter*

Colleague - \$500

Breaks (Friday or Saturday) -- \$500 each

Throughout the weekend, coffee and snack breaks are offered between continuing legal education seminars and other convention programs. These short breaks provide networking opportunities for Convention participants.

Continuing Legal Education Seminars -- \$500 each

WBASNY is certified by the NYS Continuing Legal Education Board as an Accredited Provider of continuing legal education (CLE). Multiple CLE sessions will be offered throughout the weekend on relevant and timely topics.

Signage -- \$500

As the official Convention sign sponsor, your company name and logo will be prominently displayed throughout the entire weekend.

Colleagues receive:

- Business card premium-positioned advertisement in the annual Convention journal
- Sponsorship acknowledgment at the podium of the sponsored event, in the annual Convention journal, in one issue of the *Women's Bar News* and on WBASNY's website for one month
- Prominent logo visibility during the three days of the Convention
- The opportunity to provide promotional material to each Convention participants
- Business card advertisement in one issue of the *Women's Bar E-Newsletter*

CONVENTION JOURNAL ADVERTISEMENTS

The annual Convention journal will include statements by the outgoing and incoming presidents of WBASNY, a calendar of the weekend's activities and other articles of interest commemorating the Convention. It will be distributed to 250+ convention participants and will serve as the permanent historical record of the weekend's proceedings. Advertising or tribute space is available at the following rates:

Back Cover	\$1,500
Full Silver Banner Page	\$500
Full Page	\$400
Half Page	\$300
Quarter Page	\$175
Business Card	\$100
Booster (one line)	\$50

CONVENTION MATERIAL DONATIONS AND DOOR PRIZES

Donors may provide one or more promotional gifts to be included in the annual Convention gift bag that will be distributed to 250 + Convention participants at registration. A minimum of two hundred and fifty (250) of each item is required.

Individual door prize items to be awarded at the annual Convention may also be donated. Your gift and company name will be mentioned at the podium in connection with the event.