

22nd Annual

Advanced Administrative Law Course



HOT TOPICS:

- UDJA Actions
- Ethics Issues for Administrative Lawyers
- How Bankruptcy Impacts Administrative Law
- Agency Authority to Overturn PFDs
- *In Re Texas State Board of Public Accountancy*
- Property Tax Appraisals
- Open Meetings and the PFD

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Thursday

7 hrs including 1.25 hrs ethics

8:00 **Registration and Continental Breakfast**

8:30 **Welcoming Remarks and Program Introductions**
Course Director

Miguel A. Huerta, *Austin*
Smith Trostle

8:45 **Case Law Update** .5 hr

Hon. Diane M. Henson, *Austin*
Justice, Third Court of Appeals

9:15 **Texas Supreme Court Update**
.5 hr

Jane M. N. Webre, *Austin*
Scott Douglass & McConnico

9:45 **Current Issues in UDJA Suits and the Redundant Remedies Doctrine** .5 hr

Nichole Bunker-Henderson, *Austin*
Office of the Attorney General

10:15 **Break**

10:30 **Immunity Issues in Administrative Law After Heinrich and Reconveyance**
.75 hr

Kristofer S. Monson, *Austin*
Assistant Solicitor General
Office of the Solicitor General

11:15 **Tips on Legislative Testifying and Ethical Lobbying** .75 hr
(.25 hr ethics)

Andrew Kever, *Austin*
Winstead

William A. Moore, *Dallas*
Luminant

12:00 **Break - Lunch Provided**

12:15 **Luncheon Presentation**
Effective Client Communication: Making Hard Decisions and Making Right Choices

.75 hr ethics
Michael P. Maslanka, *Dallas*
Ford & Harrison

1:00 **Break**

1:15 **Health Records/Confidentiality/Protection of Records/HIPAA/Releases/Federal Administrative Law** .75 hr (.25 hr ethics)

Kathy L. Poppitt, *Austin*
Cox Smith Matthews Incorporated

2:00 **Evidentiary Issues** .5 hr

Jeremy Counseller, *Waco*
Professor of Law
Baylor University School of Law

2:30 **How Bankruptcy Impacts Administrative Law** .5 hr

Stephen W. Sather, *Austin*
Barron & Newburger

3:00 **Break**

3:15 **SOAH Appeals of Property Tax Appraisal District Orders: A Pilot Program** .5 hr

Peter Brooks, *Austin*
Tax Division ALJ
State Office of Administrative Hearings

3:45 **Investigations and Enforcement Proceedings** .5 hr

Elizabeth Drews, *Austin*
Brown McCarroll

4:15 **Agency Authority to Overturn PFDs** .5 hr

Bryce Benjet, *Austin*
Hull Henricks

4:45 **Adjourn**



Friday

6 hrs including 2.25 hrs ethics

8:00 **Continental Breakfast**

8:20 **Announcements**

8:30 **ADR: What ARE We Doing? .5 hr**

Karl Bayer, *Austin*
Karl Bayer, Dispute Resolution Specialist

9:00 **Interplay Between Administrative Law and Criminal Law .75 hr**

Julian L. Rivera, *Austin*
Brown McCarroll

William B. Mateja, *Dallas*
Fish & Richardson

9:45 **Break**

10:00 **What is a Rule? .75 hr**

Ronald L. Beal, *Waco*
Professor of Law
Baylor University School of Law

10:45 **In Re Texas State Board of Public Accountancy .5 hr**

Introduction
Ronald L. Beal, *Waco*
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Jack Hohengarten, *Austin*
Office of the Attorney General

11:15 **Practicing Law and Wellness: Modern Strategies for Lawyers Dealing with Anxiety, Addiction and Depression .5 hr ethics**

Louis D. Leichter, *Austin*
Leichter Law Firm

11:45 **Break - Lunch on Your Own**

1:00 **Ex Parte Communications**

.5 hr ethics
Ross Fischer, *San Antonio*
Denton Navarro Rocha & Bernal

1:30 **HB3445 – Communications with State Agencies Regarding Purchasing Decisions .5 hr ethics**

Katherine Minter Cary, *Austin*
General Counsel
Office of the Attorney General

2:00 **Open Records .5 hr**

Amanda E. Crawford, *Austin*
Office of the Attorney General

2:30 **Break**

2:45 **Open Meetings and the PFD .5 hr ethics**

Kerry D. Sullivan, *Austin*
State Office of Administrative Hearings

Les Trobman, *Austin*
General Counsel
Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

3:15 **Judges' Panel 1 hr**
(.25 hr ethics)

Moderator

Hon. Cathleen Parsley, *Austin*
Chief Administrative Law Judge
State Office of Administrative Hearings

Hon. Wallace B. Jefferson, *Austin*
Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Texas

Hon. Stephen Yelenosky, *Austin*
Judge, 345th District Court

Hon. Diane M. Henson, *Austin*
Justice, Third Court of Appeals

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