

## Innovations in Litigation

### Civil Litigation

**Date:** Monday, October 28, 2019 | 9:00 am to 1:00 pm  
**Location:** Twenty Toronto Street Conferences and Events  
20 Toronto Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Toronto  
**Program Chairs:** **Geoff Mowatt**, DLA Piper LLP  
**Naomi Metcalfe**, Blakes, Cassels & Graydon LLP



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As the world moves towards a greater dependence on technology and innovation, so does the legal community. Increasingly there is an expectation on lawyers to shift from the traditional way of thinking to embracing new ways to practice that will provide clients and the justice system with faster and more affordable access to the courts. While this includes technological advances that promote greater efficiency in the practice of law and management of the litigation process, innovation has also encouraged the legal industry to develop more nuanced and flexible service delivery models that can better achieve the goals of their clients regardless of the size and complexity of litigation.

Thinking forward is the key to moving forward in law. Join us for this unique and valuable program.

8:30 am Registration and Coffee

9:00 am Welcome and Opening Remarks

9:05 am **Trends and Thought-Leaders**

**Hersh Perlis**, Director, Legal Innovation Zone

**Anne Glover**, Blake, Cassels, and Graydon LLP

- Learn about trends and new developments from legal start-up incubators
- What policies and goals are driving innovation
- Key initiatives to improve access to justice

9:40 am **Technology, Litigation and the Law**

**Sarah Millar**, Lenczner Slaght LLP

**Kathryn Manning**, DMG Advocates LLP

- New and innovative technologies to streamline your practice
- E-discovery and e-filing
- Apps and other technology

10:20 am **Alternative Business Models for your Practice**

**Shane Murphy**, Founded Technologies Inc.

- New approaches and business models available
- New billing practices including alternate fee arrangements and flat fee billing
- Limited scope retainers and fee-for-service lawyering

10:55 am Networking Break

11:05 am **Manage Your Information Flow Before Trial**

**Bentley Gaikis**, DLA Piper Canada LLP

**Rebecca Huang**, Principal Lawyer, Rebecca Huang\* & Associates

- Tools to manage your intake and email
- Manage your documents efficiently
- Tools to improve factum and other document writing

11:35 am **Client Perspective**

**Lisa Alleyne**, Senior Legal Counsel, eDiscovery, Scotiabank

**Ahmad Mozaffari**, Litigation Counsel, Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce

**Kyle Elliott**, Legal Counsel, Litigation, Bell Canada

- How are clients asking their lawyers to change from traditional service delivery?
- Proportionality as the guiding factor in developing new tools for client
- Successes and failures

12:15 pm **View from the Bench**

**The Honourable Michael Phelan**, Federal Court of Canada

**The Honourable Glenn A. Hainey**, Superior Court of Justice

- Initiatives in the Federal Court and Ontario Courts
- Video and teleconferencing pitfalls
- Presenting your case with technology
- E-trials and the future of litigation

12:55 pm Q & A and Closing Remarks

1:00 pm Program Concludes

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