

REGISTRATION

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Please indicate type of registration below. To register to attend only one day of the seminar, please pay half the rate and mark which day you will attend. To register as a NALA member, please include proof of current NALA membership. To register as a Student Non-Member, please include proof of current student status.

LAW Member - \$60 FRI SAT \$ _____

NALA Member - \$80 FRI SAT \$ _____

Non-Member - \$100 FRI SAT \$ _____

Student LAW/NALA Member - \$35
 FRI SAT \$ _____

Student Non-Member - \$40
 FRI SAT \$ _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

Will you attend virtually? _____

Email address for Zoom invite:

LODGING

A block of 10 rooms consisting of two queen rooms have been reserved at the TRU by Hilton, 372 Main Street, in Deadwood. *A daily parking fee of 14.95 per night plus tax will also be charged in addition to the room rate.* Cancellations must be made 48 hours prior to arrival. ***As of the date of this brochure, the block has been filled.***

EVENT CHARITY

This seminar, LAW will be accepting monetary donations to fund the Henry's Hand-Up Fund. This fund honors our late friend Henry Cuartas – husband of Ginger Cuartas, CP – to help other members who have unexpected or emergency circumstances or expenses.

SOCIAL EVENT

*Friday Evening
Pizza at Cadillac Jack's
Gambling Optional*



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2023 SPRING SEMINAR & ANNUAL MEETING

April 28th and 29th
(LIVE AND VIRTUAL)

Legal Assistants of
WYOMING Est. 1990

*This Seminar has been approved by
NALA for 3 substantive and
2 non-substantive CLE credits.*

Tin Lizzie
Gaming Resort
555 Lower Main Street
Deadwood, SD 57732

AGENDA

Friday, April 28th

12:30 - 1:00 p.m.

Registrant Check-In and Networking

1:15-2:15 p.m.

Debbie Overstreet – Your Career is Your Journey – How NALA Can Assist in Advancing your Career

2:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Blake Klinkner – Changing the Landscape of eDiscovery

3:45- 4:45 p.m.

Jason Smiley – Job Security – What Makes You Invaluable to Your Attorney

6:00 p.m.

Pizza at Cadillac Jacks

Saturday, April 29th

8:30 - 9:30 a.m.

Devin Peterson – Who Let the Dogs Out: Freeing a Dog on Death Row

9:45 - 10:45 a.m.

Amanda Nelson – Updates on the Limited Licensing of Paralegals

11:00-12:00

Annual Meeting

SPEAKERS

Debbie Overstreet, ACP – Debbie Overstreet has been in the legal field since 1980. She has worked in both the public and private sector and is currently employed as a Lead Realty Specialist with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Ms. Overstreet is a graduate of NALA's leadership program (LEAP), has served as NALA's Affiliated Associations Secretary, Affiliated Associations Director, Regional Director, Professional Development Committee member, Treasurer, Secretary, Vice-President, and is currently serving as NALA President. She resides in Porter, Oklahoma, with her husband, Gregg Overstreet. They have five children and eight grandchildren.

Blake Klinkner, JD – Professor Blake A. Klinkner is an award-winning legal educator and author. Blake currently serves as an Assistant Professor of Law at the University of North Dakota School of Law, where he teaches Civil Procedure, Cybersecurity, Law and Technology, and Law Practice Management. Before entering academia, Blake served a 2-year judicial clerkship for the District Court of Wyoming, served as Assistant Attorney General for the State of Wyoming, worked for the regional law firm of Crowley Fleck, and ran a solo practice. Blake completed his undergraduate degrees at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, his master's degree at Northern Illinois University, and his juris doctor at the University of Utah School of Law. The graduating class of Washburn University School of Law recently named Blake as the 2022-2023 Professor of the Year.

Jason Smiley, JD – Jason Smiley is a Partner of Gunderson, Palmer, Nelson and Ashmore, LLP, and a member of the firm's Executive Committee. He focuses his practice on construction law, real estate, civil litigation, and insurance defense. Jason is a graduate of Black

Hills State University and earned his JD from the University of Wyoming. Jason was awarded the Outstanding Trial Student and the Defender's Aid Program's Outstanding Student while in law school. He worked as a law clerk after law school for the Fourth Judicial Circuit Court in South Dakota.

Devon Petersen, JD – Devon Petersen is a partner at Fleener Petersen, LLC. Devon graduated from Princeton University with a degree in history in 2003. He graduated from the University of Wyoming College of Law in 2008. His legal career began with a clerkship for the District Court of the Ninth Judicial District with the Hon. Norman E. Young. For the first six years of his career following his clerkship, Devon represented the most vulnerable members of society as a public defender, he then went into private practice. Devon is also an adjunct professor at the University of Wyoming where he teaches Trial Practice and Bar Exam Preparation. He also taught Civil Pretrial Practice.

Amanda Nelson, ACP - Amanda is an almost native of Wyoming, having spent nearly her entire life in this state. She graduated from the Casper College Paralegal Program in 2006, received her CP designation in July 2007 and her ACP designation in 2010. Amanda holds a BS degree in History from Oregon State University and will graduate with an MS of Education: Learning, Design and Technology from the University of Wyoming School of Education in May 2023. After working in various firms and as a contract paralegal across the state for nearly 15 years, Amanda is now the Program Director and tenured faculty for the Casper College Paralegal Program. She has served in several capacities on the LAW board, holding every position at least once (and many twice).