



THE CANADIAN  
BAR ASSOCIATION  
Prince Edward Island Branch

Law Society of PEI & CBA PEI Branch

# Mid-Winter Meetings & Professional Development

## Information and Registration Package

Friday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2024

Memorial Hall, Confederation Centre of the Arts

145 Richmond St., Charlottetown

### With Thanks...

**2024 Mid-Winter Meeting Committee:** *Chair* Ben Coles, Kate Profit, Molly Murphy, Susan Johnston, Cynthia Taylor, Melissa Trowsdale, Paula MacFadyen, Randy Campbell, Nicola Reynolds (CBA), Mary Lynn Kane, K.C. (Law Society), Lisa MacKay (Law Society)

**Joint CBA PEI Branch & Law Society Continuing Legal Education Committee:** *Chair* Isabelle Keeler, Kerri Seward Carpenter, Kim McNeill, K.C., Constance Robinson, Scott Barry, Thomas Sutton, Lucas MacArthur, Meaghan Hughes, Lisa MacKay (Law Society), Nicola Reynolds (CBA)

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### ***Professional Development Program***

Programing presented by the Law Society / CBA PEI Joint Continuing Education Committee, event chaired by Isabelle Keeler & Scott Barry and provides **3.0 hours of CPD**.

8:30AM	<a href="#">Registration</a> – Lobby, a light breakfast will be served.
9:00AM - 10:00AM	<a href="#">Using Expert Evidence: Perspectives from Both Sides of the Bench</a> , - presented by The Honourable Chief Justice Tracey L. Clements and J. Gordon MacKay, K.C. of Carr, Stevenson & MacKay. This panel will provide important perspectives from both sides of the bench regarding the use of expert evidence in litigation, including a discussion on items such as the admissibility and reliability of expert evidence, qualifying expert opinion evidence, objecting to expert evidence, and challenging opposing experts.
10:15AM - 11:15AM	<a href="#">M &amp; A Fundamentals</a> , presented by Travis Gallant, CPA, CA of Grant Thornton and Ben Howard of Cox & Palmer. This session will provide an overview of transaction structures and the associated tax implications, including a discussion on factors to consider when structuring the deal and how to determine the best structure for your transaction. It will also address important issues once you've structured your deal, including key negotiated clauses, vendor financing, and earnouts.
11:30AM - 12:30PM	<a href="#">Getting to Yes</a> , presented by Cynthia Taylor of Key Murray Law, Jennifer MacPherson of Stewart McKelvey, and the Honourable Justice Wayne D. Cheverie. This session will discuss effective settlement strategies and common barriers to resolution from the perspectives of plaintiffs' counsel, defence counsel and a judge presiding at a settlement conference.
12:30PM	<a href="#">CBA PEI Branch Mid-Winter Meeting &amp; Luncheon</a> Everyone is welcome to a <b>complimentary buffet luncheon</b> hosted by the Canadian Bar Association, PEI Branch. The business meeting will commence at 1:00OPM
1:30PM	<a href="#">Law Society of Prince Edward Island Mid-Winter Meeting</a>
3:00PM	<a href="#">Bowling</a> Come out and enjoy a fun social afternoon at <a href="#">The Alley</a> , bar and bowling lanes at the <a href="#">Murphy's Community Centre</a> , 200 Richmond St., Charlottetown.
6:30PM	<a href="#">Presidents' Reception &amp; Dinner</a> Join hosts Law Society President Cindy Cameron and CBA Branch President David Canvin for the Presidents' Reception followed by dinner.

**CLE Cancellation Policy:** Registrants who cancel within two weeks but more than twenty-four (24) hours before the CLE will receive a fifty per cent (50%) refund and will be entitled to receive a copy of any CLE materials. Registrants who cancel within 24 hours of the CLE or who do not show will not be refunded any portion of the registration fee, but the registrant will be entitled to receive a copy of the CLE materials.

***Please note the dress for all events will be Business Casual.***

# REGISTRATION FORM

Due January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2024

## MEMBER INFORMATION

Name (for name tag):

Firm:

CBA #:

Name of Dinner Guest:

Telephone:

Email:

Dietary Restrictions and Other Special Needs:

PLEASE SELECT YOUR ACTIVITIES by marking an 'X' in the appropriate boxes.

2023 Mid-Winter Professional Development

CBA – PEI Mid-Winter Meeting & Luncheon (complimentary)

Law Society of PEI Mid-Winter Meeting

Bowling

Presidents' Reception & Dinner, *please indicate meal choice(s) below.*

Member

Guest

## REGISTRATION FEES

Continuing Legal Education	Fee	HST	Total	Amount Due
CBA Member	\$300.00	\$45.00	\$345.00	<hr/>
Non-CBA Member	\$375.00	\$56.25	\$431.25	<hr/>
Presidents' Dinner				
# of tickets	\$75.00	\$11.25		<hr/>
<b>Total Registration Fees Due</b>				
			\$	

Register before January 26, 2024 by completing the form and submitting it to the Law Society electronically by emailing a copy to [lawsociety@lspei.pe.ca](mailto:lawsociety@lspei.pe.ca) or by faxing a copy to 902-368-7557.

Payment due prior to February 1, 2024 and may be made by e-Transfer to [lawsociety@lspei.pe.ca](mailto:lawsociety@lspei.pe.ca), direct deposit or by sending a cheque to the office.

**Cancellation Policy** will be in effect and can be found [here](#).