

# Agenda

## 2017 Evelyn Gandy Lecture Series – New Orleans

### “Behind the Masque”

**Friday, February 17, 2017 (2.5 CLE Hours)**

11:00 am – 12:00 pm WIP Committee Meeting

12:30 pm – 2:00 pm **Registration**

2:00 – 2:15 pm **Welcome**

Tiffany Grove, Chair WIP Committee

**Opening Remarks**

Chair: Jenny Tyler Baker, Gulfport

2:15 – 3:15 pm **“The Gandy Hour”**

Justice Dawn Beam

3:15 – 3:45 pm Break/Check-In

3:45 – 5:15 pm **“Jewels from the Crown” Panel Discussion**

Moderator – Karen Sawyer

Joy Phillips

Maura McLaughlin

Judge Allan Alexander

Amanda Alexander

Michelle Easterling

Nina Tollison

Vicki Slater

Judge Deborah Gambrell

6:00 – 6:30 pm **Cocktail Reception** – Maison Dupuy

(Cash bar)

6:30 pm – 8:00 pm **Optional Dinner** – “Exploring the Masques We Wear” –

Maison Dupuy

(ticket required)

Immediately following dinner

**Tiara Party & Silent Auction to Benefit MVLP**

Charlene Roemer, Presiding, 2016 Tiara Queen

Representing MVLP, Gayla Carpenter-Sanders,

MVLP Executive Director

**Saturday, February 18, 2017 Agenda (3.5 CLE hours)**

- 7:30 – 8:30 am Breakfast – come and go
- 8:30 – 9:30 am **“Having Your King Cake and Eating It Too”**  
Work/life balance speaker
- 9:30 – 11:00 am **“Throw Me Something: Top Tips in Recent Laws”**  
Moderator: Tiffany Graves, MS Access to Justice Commission Exec. Dir.  
Family Law – Chase Morgan, Family Law Section Chair  
Business Law – Tammra Cascio, Business Law Section Chair  
Health Law Point – Lisa McKay, MDLA President-Elect  
Health Law Counter Point - Cindy Mitchell, MAJ President  
Legislative Update – Deanne Mosley, Labor and Employment Law  
Section Chair  
Estates & Trusts – Emmy Stone, WIP Committee  
Criminal Law – Alison Baker, Past WIP Committee Chair  
Practice Tips for Litigators – Defense – La’Verne Edney, Past Bar  
Commissioner  
Practice Tips for Litigators – Plaintiff – Jennifer Ingram Johnson,  
Professional Responsibility Committee Chair
- 11:00 – 11:30 am Mimosas/ Bloody Mary Break
- 11:30am – 12:30 pm **“The West Hour” Ethics Hour**  
Judge James E. Graves, Jr.
- 12:30 pm Adjourn