

# 2022 Annual CLEreg Conference

July 31 - August 2



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## Dear MCLE Regulators and Friends of CLEreg,

On behalf of the Continuing Legal Education Regulator's Association (CLEreg), I am pleased to invite you, your colleagues, and board members to the 2022 CLEreg Annual Meeting to be held from July 31 through August 2, 2021 in lovely Lake Tahoe, Nevada at the Hard Rock Hotel and Casino.

For the past 36 years, the CLEreg Annual Meeting has been bringing together regulators and board members from different jurisdictions to offer a common platform to advance and share knowledge in the highly specialized field of continuing legal education. In 2022, for the second year in a row, this event will be a hybrid format allowing individuals the flexibility to participate in-person or virtually.

The Planning and Management Committees have built an exciting and high-standard program; they have also provided time and tools to interact and connect with speakers and fellow regulators. With interactivity at the heart the program, we feature sessions such as:

The Future of Continuing Legal Education in Nevada and the Court's view of its Importance  
Distance Education, Lessons Learned on the Fly; Why it Will Never be the Same after Covid  
Regulation 101, a Survey of CLE Regulation – Compliance and Accreditation

This year's program will also include the coveted roundtable sessions What's New in Your State and Hot Topics.

Please join me and our fellow regulators for this outstanding opportunity to learn from each other and our stellar presenters. We are looking forward to seeing you on-site or online during this very exciting 2022 CLEreg Hybrid Annual Meeting!

Sincerely,

*Maria Molinelli-Gonzalez*

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CLEreg President

### **CLEREG EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

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All Executive Committee Members  
serve on this committee.

# Join us at the largest alpine lake in North America!



CLereg is the acronym for the Continuing Legal Education Regulators Association. Our group has been connecting regulators in mandatory CLE jurisdictions and offering them professional opportunities since 1986.

We present educational and networking opportunities at our mid-year and annual conferences, as well as in our regularly-scheduled Coffee Chats. CLereg also connects members via a listserv that offers invaluable, timely, day-to-day support and information from our peers. CLereg also maintains and distributes the MCLE Guide, addressing each jurisdiction’s rules and regulations.

CLereg currently represents 46 mandatory CLE jurisdictions in North America. We welcome existing and newly-established regulatory jurisdictions worldwide to join us. In most jurisdictions, regulatory duties include accreditation of attorney educational programs and record-keeping responsibilities for attorney program attendance. To learn more about CLereg, visit [www.clereg.org](http://www.clereg.org)

## Conference Registration Online at [www.clereg.org](http://www.clereg.org)

Early Bird Registration Fee (on or before July 1, 2022) ).....	\$450
Non-Member Registration Fee (on or before July 1, 2022 ).....	\$625
Late Registration Fee (after July 1, 2022).....	\$475
Late Non-Member Fee (after July 1, 2022).....	\$650
CLereg Guest Reception Fee.....	\$25
This Conference will be broadcast via Zoom; it will not be recorded	
Remote Attendance Fee.....	\$100 / per person

### QUESTIONS & OTHER INFORMATION

If you have any questions, please contact Julia Orzeske, CLereg’s Executive Director, at [jorzeske@gmail.com](mailto:jorzeske@gmail.com).

For more information on CLereg’s scholarship policy, please visit [www.clereg.org](http://www.clereg.org).

### CLEREG CANCELLATION POLICY

CLereg will refund any paid conference registration fee, minus a \$50 processing fee, if a written cancellation and refund request has been received by July 1, 2022. No refunds will be granted after July 1, 2022.

# ACCOMMODATION INFORMATION



Tap into the rock star inside of you with a hotel experience that brings together lavishness, quality and edge. Enjoy picturesque views of Lake Tahoe and its alpine peaks and the kind of rock 'n roll memorabilia you can only find at a Hard Rock Hotel & Casino!

At South Lake Tahoe's hottest casino, you don't have to go to the action — the action comes to you. With a 25,000 square foot casino floor, a William Hill Sportsbook and limits that match your mood; you're going to need a bigger wallet.

South Shores' largest outdoor pool offers hotel guests lavish poolside amenities and services including private cabanas and "day" beds, signature drink specials, bottle-service and a seasonal summer menu. The pool is surrounded by plush gardens providing a cool, casual and entertaining experience with a bit of rock n' roll edge. Work up a sweat or stretch it out in the fitness center located adjacent to the Heavenly Tower hotel elevators. The fitness room provides just the right amount of recharge to keep your party going all weekend long.

Stroll the halls viewing rock n' roll memorabilia or get your game on in the 24 hour casino. Take full advantage of all the Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Lake Tahoe has to offer both inside the building and outside. From Christina Aguilera to Elvis, Hard Rock Lake Tahoe provides a variety of musically inspired displays immortalizing amazing music of the years. Take a tour around the property to see guitars, drums, vintage t-shirts and autographed guitars by your favorites. In addition, there is musically inspired artwork showcased.

## RESERVATIONS

Room Rates:

Fri, July 29, 2022.....	\$225
Sat, July 30, 2022.....	\$243
Sun, July 31, 2022.....	\$99
Mon, August 1-Thurs, August 4.....	\$84

Group Code is: **CLEREG2022**

Book online at:

[www.hardrockcasinolaketahoe.com](http://www.hardrockcasinolaketahoe.com) by placing the group code in the Special Codes & Rates Section.

Call 1-844-588-ROCK (7625) to make reservations. Guests will see a Resort Fee of \$25 when they are booking. This will be adjusted to the contracted rate of \$18 upon check-in.

If anyone would like to upgrade their room type, please reach out to Linda Hunt, Executive Assistant Hark Rock Hotel & Casion Lake Tahoe, at [linda.hunt@hrhctahoe.com](mailto:linda.hunt@hrhctahoe.com).

## TRANSPORTATION

The South Tahoe Airporter provides ground transportation service between Reno-Tahoe International Aiport and the Hard Rock Hotel. Reservations required:

<https://southtahoeairporter.com/>

Current cost for adults is \$59.50 round trip; plan for at least a 90-minute commute.

## DINING OPTIONS

### INSIDE HARD ROCK

- **Fuel** - Grab and go at the quick services eatery, with freshly prepped sandwiches, coffee, pastries, smoothies, juice, six-packs of beer and energy drinks to keep you fueled all day and night.

- **The Oyster Bar** - Lake Tahoe's first and only raw seafood bar keep it fresh and delicious daily. Enjoy mussels, oyster shooters, hearty gumbos, rich pan roasts and traditional jambalaya all prepared right before your eyes and served at the bar.

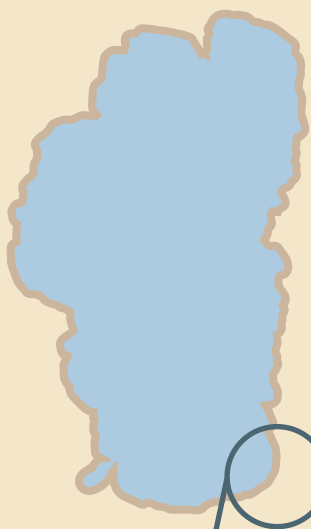
- **Park Prime Steakhouse** - Park Prime is a modern steakhouse inspired by local ranchers, offering a sophisticated bar, a stylish atmosphere and upscale cuisine. The menu features dry-aged Prime beef from Harris Farms, premium seafood, shareable appetizers, an approachable wine list and specialty cocktails.

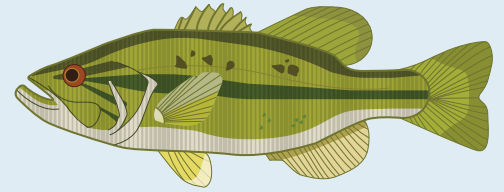
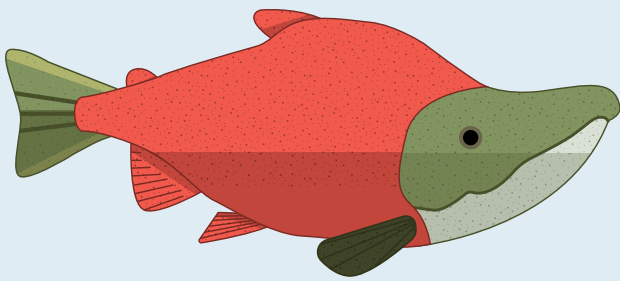
- **Alpine Union Bar** - The perfect destination to cozy up to an outdoor fire pit, listen to live music, sample a craft beer or dig into something savory. American Fare meets rustic charm with locally-sourced options for breakfast, brunch, lunch and dinner.

### OUTSIDE HARD ROCK

- **Gordon Ramsay Hell's Kitchen Lake Tahoe** - The upscale, restaurant shines the spotlight on many of Hell's Kitchen cast/chef recipes and dishes featured on the show, including many of Chef Ramsay's signature dishes like the Pan Seared Scallops, Lobster Risotto, and Sticky Toffee Pudding. Reserve your Hell's Kitchen Lake Tahoe experience now on [OpenTable.com](https://opentable.com)

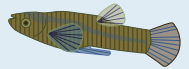
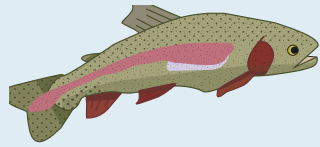






# 2022 CLEReg Annual Conference Agenda

## Sunday, July 31st, 2022 - Tuesday, August 2nd, 2022



### Sunday, July 31st, 2022

3:30 - 5:00 pm ..... Registration, Alpine Patio

5:00 - 6:30 pm ..... Reception - *Sponsored by the State Bar of Nevada, CLE Board*

6:30 pm ..... Dine Arounds

### Monday, August 1st, 2022- All events take place in "Revolution A"

7:00 - 8:30 am ..... Breakfast - *Sponsored by Kansas CLE*

8:30 - 8:50 am ..... **Conference Welcome**

*President Maria Molinelli-Gonzalez, Executive Director, Supreme Court of  
Puerto Rico CLE Program*

*Jenny Hubach, Program Co-Chair, former Chair of the Nevada CLE Board,  
Attorney at Law - Calvert & Hubach, Professor at University of Nevada, Reno*

8:50 - 9:00 am ..... **Welcome to Lake Tahoe**

*Ann Morgan, Immediate Past-President of the State Bar of Nevada*

9:00 - 10:00 am ..... **The Future of CLE in Nevada and the Court's View of its Importance**

*Justice James W. Hardesty of the Nevada Supreme Court and Judge Lynne K. Simons,  
Chair of the Nevada CLE Board and Chief Judge of the Second Judicial District*

10:00 - 10:15 am ..... Break

10:15 - Noon ..... **What's New in Your State**

*Shelley Sutton, Attorney Services Administrator, Kansas CLE*

12:00 - 12:30 pm ..... Lunch - *Sponsored by Illinois Supreme Court MCLE Board*

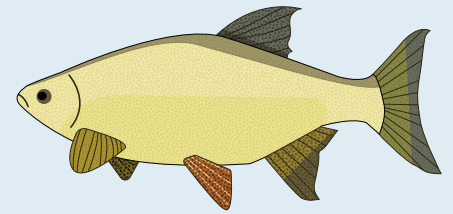
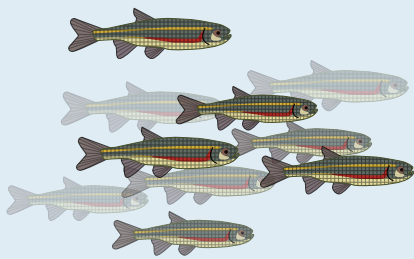
12:30 - 1:30 pm ..... **Working Lunch - "Huh? Is this really CLE? Candidates for the Nice Try Award"**

Regulators send in examples of programs they are wrestling with. Discuss your concerns with other regulators over lunch.

*Facilitated by Shontrai Irving, Purdue University Northwest, Clinical Associate Professor in the College  
of Business, Attorney at Law, former Chair of Indiana CLE*

*Dawn McKnight, Colorado, CLEReg Vice President and Meeting Co-Chair*





1:30 - 1:45 pm ..... Break

1:45 - 2:45 pm ..... **Opening Up About Opening Up: Coping With the Transition Back to Social Engagement**

*Kyra Hazilla, Director and Attorney Counselor with the Oregon Attorney Assistance Program*

2:45 - 3:15 pm ..... **CLereg Annual Business Meeting and Election of Officers**

*Maria Molinelli-Gonzalez, Puerto Rico, CLereg President*

3:15 pm ..... Adjourn

Tuesday, August 2nd, 2022 - All events take place in "Revolution A"

7:00 - 8:30 am ..... Breakfast

8:15 am ..... **Welcome Back!**

*Dawn McKnight, Colorado, CLereg Vice President and Meeting Co-Chair*

8:30 - 10:00 am ..... **Hot Topics Roundtable**

*Jenny Hubach, Nevada, CLereg Emeritus and Meeting Co-Chair*

10:00 - 11:00 am ..... **Regulation 101, Survey of CLE Regulation – Compliance and Accreditation**

Your peers discuss their unique approach to issues such as compliance and accreditation; dealing with a lack of candor; the pros and cons of transcripts vs. audits; distance learning and self-study; and other burning issues.

Moderators — Maria Molinelli Gonzalez, Puerto Rico and Shontrai Irving, Indiana

Panelists — Erica Rodriguez, MCLE Director for the State Bar of Texas

Lowry Kraft, State Bar of Texas CLE (remote faculty)

Liz Vanderbeek, Administrator for the Minnesota Board of CLE

and Lawyer Registration

Jennifer Rickman, MCLE Administrator, Montana Commission of CLE

Elise Geltzer, Counsel for the New York State CLE Board, Past President CLereg

11:00 - 11:15 am ..... Break

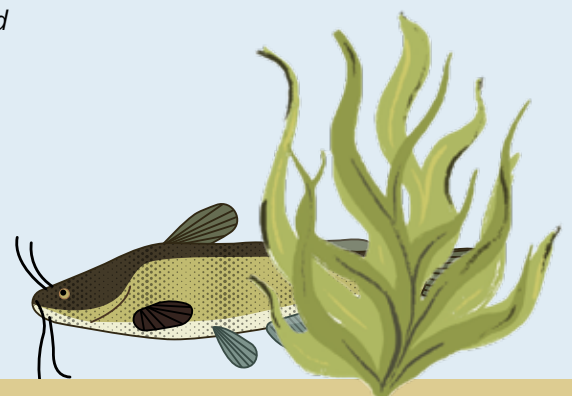
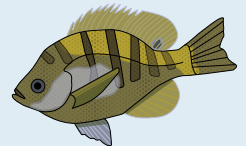
11:15 - 12:15 pm ..... **Regulation 101 Panel Discussion** — *continued*

12:15 pm ..... **Program Wrap-Up and Door Prizes**

*Maria Molinelli Gonzalez and Jenny Hubach*

*Door prizes sponsored by Jenny Hubach, Esq.*

12:30 pm ..... Adjourn



# FACULTY

Elise Geltzer, Counsel for the New York State CLE Board, Past President CLEReg

Jenny Hubach, Calvert & Hubach; former Chair of the Nevada CLE Board

Shontrai Irving, Purdue University Northwest, Clinical Associate Professor in the College of Business, Attorney at Law, former Chair of Indiana CLE

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## THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS!

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Jenny Hubach, Esq.



# WE'LL SEE YOU NEXT TIME.

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2023 Midyear Conference - Virtual  
February TBD

2023 Annual Conference - San Antonio, Hotel Contessa  
August 6 - 8, 2023

2024 Midyear Conference  
TBD

2024 Annual Conference - Chicago Illinois,  
hosted by Illinois Supreme Court MCLE Board  
Dates & Hotel TBD

