

10 & 11 Nov 2017

# THE CAPE LAW SOCIETY:

*Annual General Meeting & Conference*

**The Venue @ Hemingways, East London**



# PROGRAMME

10 NOVEMBER 2017

*Dress: Smart Casual/Business Attire*

**07:15 to 08:15:** **Arrival Tea & Registration**  
(to be seated by 08:25)

## *Opening Ceremony*

**08:30 to 08:45:** Singing of National Anthem & Welcome Address by Mr Pakade (ELAA)

**08:45 to 08:50:** Introduce Key Note Speaker

**08:50 to 09:25:** Key Note Address by Mr Mondli Makhanya, Role of the Legal Profession in Combatting Corruption

**09:25 to 09:55** Address by Prof. Pierre De Vos Highlighting Any Shortcomings In Our Legal/Regulator System, a Consequence Of Which Is The Perpetuation Of Corruption

**09:55 to 10:00** General Announcements

**10:00 to 10:30** **TEA BREAK**

## *Session Two*

**10:30 to 11:00** Tribute to the Late Nic Swart

**11:00 to 11:05** Lucky Prize Draw by Lexis Nexis

**11:05 to 13:00** **Legal Practice Act Session:** Interactive (Facilitator: Etienne Barnard | Panelists: Jan Stemmet, Lutendo Sigogo, Ncumisa Nongogo & Andre De Lange)

**13:00 to 14:00** **TEA BREAK**

## *Session Three*

**14:00 to 14:10** Presentation by LAWRA

**14:10 to 14:20** Presentation by SAFLII

**14:20 to 14:30** Presentation by the Chair of the ADF

**14:30 to 15:15** Panel Discussion: **#Fees Must Fall** (Facilitator: Ashraf Mahomed |

Panelists: Sinawo Makangela & Sinoxolo Boyi)

**15:15 to 15:30** **TEA BREAK**

## *Working Session (15:30 to 16:40)*

- 1) Settling Order of Agenda**
- 2) Call for Apologies**
- 3) Confirmation of Minutes of 2016 Annual General Meeting**
- 4) Matters Arising from the 2016 AGM Minute**
- 5) Deliverance of summarised version of President's Report**
- 6) Consideration of President's Report & Matters Arising**
- 7) Observe Members who have passed away since 2016 AGM**
- 8) Recognise Members who have been practising for 40/50/60yrs**
- 9) Acknowledge Members who have held Acting Appointments**
- 10) Consideration and Approval of:**
  - ✓ **AUDITED ACCOUNTS FOR THE SOCIETY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUN 2017**
  - ✓ **BUDGET FOR THE SOCIETY FOR THE PERIOD 1 JUL 2017 TO 30 JUN 2018**
- 11) Discussion Point: Court Management System, MOU with DOJ**
- 12) Appointment of the Society's Auditors**
- 13) Attorneys Fidelity Fund - Board of Control Report**
  - a. **LSSA – Mid-Term Report by Co-Chairpersons**
  - b. **Attorneys Indemnity Insurance Fund: Report**
- 14) Reflections by Judge/s**
- 15) 2018 AGM**
- 16) Announce Results of Nominations/Elections**
- 17) Announce President and Vice-Presidents**
- 18) General & Closure**

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### *Awards Evening & Gala Dinner*

*Theme: Night of the Stars*

<i>18:15 to 19:00</i>	Welcome drinks and Starters
<i>19:00 to 20:15:</i>	Formalities incl Awards Presentation
<i>20:15 to 21:00</i>	Main Course and Desert
<i>21:00 to 24:00</i>	Live Entertainment/Music/Dance

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## 11 NOVEMBER 2017

*Dress: Casual*

<b>08:15 to 08:50</b>	Arrival Tea
<b>09:00 to 10:30</b>	Workshop: <b>FUTURE PROOFING YOUR PRACTICE: <i>How to Remain Marketable, Profitable &amp; Secure</i></b> (Facilitator: Riaan Meintjes   Panelists: Shana Derman, Malcolm Pearson & Chris Pearson)
<b>10:30 to 11:00</b>	<b>TEA BREAK</b>
<b>09:00 to 10:30</b>	Workshop: (LUCKY PRIZE DRAW AT END) <b>FUTURE PROOFING YOUR PRACTICE: <i>How to Remain Marketable, Profitable &amp; Secure</i></b> (Facilitator: Riaan Meintjes   Panelists: Shana Derman, Malcolm Pearson & Chris Pearson)
<b>10:30 to 11:00</b>	<b>TEA BREAK</b>
<b>09:00 to 10:30</b>	Workshop: <b>CONSTITUTIONAL LAW WORKSHOP: <i>Can it be inferred that the actions of State Organs and Government officials, giving rise to post democratic injustices and/or the continuation of historical social injustices, are unconstitutional and contrary to the provisions of section 1(a) and other provisions of the Constitution of South Africa. If so, how do these manifest themselves and to what extent has the response of the legal system been adequate and/or appropriate?</i></b> (Facilitator: Daryl Burman   Panelists: Dr Makhosi Khoza & Egon Oswald)