Bar Leaders Summit on Climate Change

Agenda

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Organized & hosted by:
New York State Bar Association, Environmental Law Section and
Sabin Center for Climate Change Law at Columbia Law School

10:30 Doors open

11:00 - 11:15 Welcome and introductions

11:15 - 11:45 Overview of the current situation with climate change and its regulation
  Michael Gerrard, Sabin Center Faculty Director

11:45 - 12:45 First session: What’s being done – education
  • Michelle Slater & Diane Henkels (Oregon Bar’s Sustainable Futures Section)
  • Cathy Pagano & Roya Vasseghi (DC Women’s Bar Association)
  • Mike Mahoney (New York City Bar Association)

12:45 - 1:15 Lunch (provided in Jerome Greene Annex)

1:15 - 2:15 Second session: What’s being done – advocacy & direct action
  • Michelle Slater & Diane Henkels (Oregon Bar’s Sustainable Futures Section)
  • Stuart Kaplow (Maryland Bar Association)

2:15 - 3:15 Third session: What’s being done – other activities
  • Kim Diamond (ABA Section on Environment, Energy & Resources)
  • Carl Howard (New York State Bar Association)

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3:15 - 3:30   Break

3:30 - 4:30   Fourth session: Barriers and overcoming them
              • Randy Strobo, Kentucky Bar Association
              • Maura Blau, New Jersey Bar Association’s Renewable Energy, Cleantech and Climate Change Committee

4:30 - 5:00   Closing session: Coordinating our efforts
              Moderated discussion

6:00   Dinner (for those wishing to join) at the Flat Top Cafe