

2024 CCCBA Committees

GENERAL OPERATIONS

EXECUTIVE

General operation of the Bar Association, including direction and supervision of Bar Executive Director; general coordination with CCCBA Sections; general coordination with CCCBA committees; liaison with State Bar Association(s); coordination with other county bar associations; Media/Public Relations matters; liaison with government agencies and public officials; financial management, including investments, preparation of revenue and expense budget; recommendations on dues with consultation of membership committee.

Chair: David Pearson
Members: Sutter Selleck
Mike Pierson
Pa'tanisha Pierson
David Erb

GOVERNANCE

Updates Bylaws and Board policies to ensure compliance with IRS and other legal requirements.

Chair: Ericka McKenna
Members: Ariel Lee
Jonathan Lee
Mike Pierson
At-Large: Nick Casper
James Wu

AUDIT

Interviews and reviews qualifications and independence of Association's financial auditors. Selects Association's Independent Accountant and provides scope of work. Reviews adequacy of Association's internal control systems and provides oversight of integrity of financial statements and reports. Reports directly to Board of Directors at least annually.

Chair: Craig Nevin
Members: Ann Battin
Ericka McKenna
Mike Pierson
At-Large: Christina Weed

PERSONNEL

Oversees staff personnel issues and policies for CCCBA
Chair: Terry Leoni

FINANCE

Oversees all financial matters for Association, including operating and capital budgets, borrowings and capital planning, material contracts and leases, business plan development and implementation, and facilities and equipment. Manages investments of the Association's funds in accordance with Board approved investment policies.

Chair: Pa'tanisha Pierson
Members: David Pearson
David Erb
Sutter Selleck
Mike Pierson

NOMINATING

Nomination of slate of Board of Directors.

Chair: Sutter Selleck
Members: Ashar Ahmed
Dawn Ceizler
Audrey Gee
Shahrad Milanfar
Robin Pearson

DIVERSITY, EQUITY & INCLUSION

Chair: Benisa Berry
Vice-Chair: OPEN
Members: See attachment for Membership & Subcommittees

BENCH / BAR ISSUES

BENCH/BAR LIAISON

Coordinate overall relationship between CCCBA and Contra Costa Superior Court and court administrator's office; Committee comprised of current Executive officers.

Chair: David Pearson
Members: Sutter Selleck
Mike Pierson
Pa'tanisha Pierson
David Erb

JUDICIAL BIAS COMMITTEE

Addresses issues of professional courtesy, bias and diversity;

Bench Reps: Judge Joni Hiramoto
Judge Terri Mockler
Bar Reps: Robin Pearson
Mike Pierson
Punita Bhasin
Qiana Washington
Maria Schopp

Conf. California Bar Associations (CCBA)

Chair: Ariel Lee
Members: Pa'tanisha Pierson

JUDICIAL EVALUATION

Confidential evaluation of candidates for nomination to Superior Courts.

Chair: Patrick Hurley
Vice-Chair: OPEN

Committee members confidential

Ex-Officio: David Pearson, President
Sutter Selleck, President-Elect

PUBLICATIONS

Editorial Board

Bi-monthly publication of the *Contra Costa Lawyer* magazine

Co-Editor: Lorraine Walsh
Co-Editor: Corrine Bielejeski
Board Liaison: Ray Robinson
Members: Kate Bieker, Court Exec. Officer
Rachel Margolis Chapman
James Wu
Dorian Peters
Ariel Lee
Marta Vanegas
Alice Cheng

MEMBERSHIP/

RECRUITMENT, RETENTION & MEMBER SERVICES

Membership recruitment and retention; member benefit programs & member services, social events/activities:

Chair: Terry Leoni
Members: Ann Battin
Ray Robinson
Punita Bhasin
At Large: Patrick Elahmadie

WELLNESS

Members: Anina Dalsin
Heidi Coad-Hermelin
J. Jasmine Jenkins
Maria Schopp
Mariah Garcia

EDUCATION

Education series; member information series; online MCLE:

Co-Chairs: Dean Christopherson & Jonathan Lee

Members: Dorian Peters
Ericka McKenna

At Large: Adam Carlson
Diane Camacho
Indy Colbath

REFERRAL

LAWYER REFERRAL & INFORMATION SERVICE

Oversee operation of the LRIS program.

Chair: Joe Wolch
Vice-Chair: Steve Steinberg

Board Liaison:
Members: Mike Pierson
Terry Leoni

At Large: Carolyn Cain
Bill Hickey
Kathryn Korn
John Kortum
Dan Pocklington
Misha Dunford

CCCBA PRO

Oversee member referral program.

Chairs: Josh Fleisch, David Pearson, Cary McReynolds

At Large: Mika Domingo

ATTORNEY / CLIENT RELATIONS

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Address client grievances that don't involve fees.

Chair: Malcolm Sher

COMMUNITY SERVICE

FOOD-FROM-THE-BAR

Coordinate annual food drive with Food Bank of Contra Costa & Solano; plan kick-off event.

Chair: Dan Birkhaeuser
Members: Joshua Bevitz
Barbara Jewell
Geoffrey Steele
Lisa Roberts