

## Course Planner



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Mr. Bochetto is the managing partner in the law firm of Bochetto & Lentz, P.C., Philadelphia, and concentrates his practice on complex civil and white-collar fraud litigation. Mr. Bochetto is widely recognized as an authority on wrongful use and other litigation torts and has represented

and been retained as an expert witness by many law firms in such matters. He has also represented many national and international public and private figures in defamation actions against such media giants as Time-Warner Corporation, The New York Times, Fox Broadcasting, CBS, ESPN, Sony, Universal Studios, and numerous regional and local publications and media outlets. Mr. Bochetto is listed in The Best Lawyers in America, is a member of the Million Dollar Advocates Forum, was selected as a Super Lawyer, and is a frequent guest lecturer on various legal, sports, and political subjects.

## Faculty



David P. Heim, Esq.  
Bochetto & Lentz, P.C., Philadelphia

Mr. Heim is a managing attorney at the Philadelphia firm of Bochetto & Lentz, P.C. His practice focuses on complex civil litigation, representing both individual and corporate clients in various litigation matters such as defamation, First Amendment law, commercial litigation, and catastrophic

personal injury cases. He has been certified as a member of the Million Dollar Advocates Forum, and selected as Rising Star by Philadelphia Magazine from 2011-2014.



Robert S. Tintner, Esq.  
Fox Rothschild LLP, Philadelphia

Mr. Tintner's practice involves all aspects of condemnation litigation, commercial litigation, representation of attorneys and law firms, defamation and first amendment matters, intellectual property litigation, and real estate litigation, including title insurance matters. He regularly presents

seminars throughout the Commonwealth on professional responsibility, the avoidance of legal malpractice, and title insurance. Mr. Tintner previously served on the board of directors for Options and the Senior Law Center of Philadelphia.

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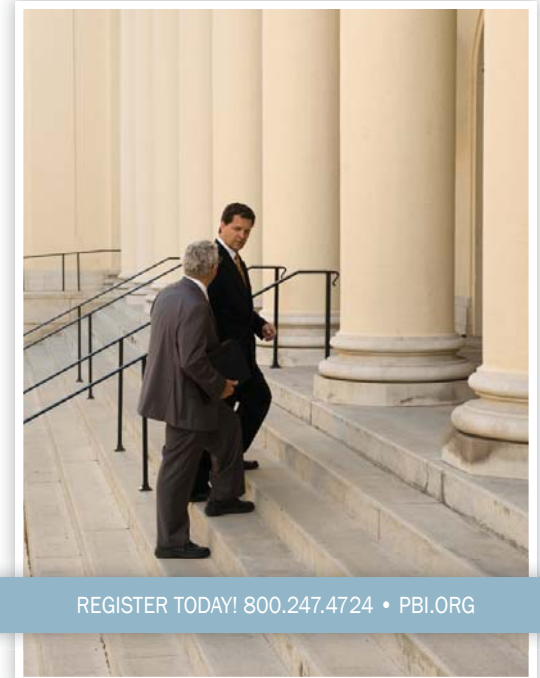
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## Review the full spectrum of causes of action

- Wrongful or malicious use of civil proceedings
- Abuse of process
- Malicious prosecution
- Common law-based claims

## Learn the law affecting the action

- Statutory elements
- State court decisions
- Federal court decisions
- Restatements and secondary sources

## Understand how each phase of trial affects you

- The scope and waiver of attorney-client privilege
- Burdens of proof against each party to the action
- Requirements and usage of expert testimony
- Erie issues
- Sanctions and damages
- Nuances of litigation
- The pervasive threat of litigation claims in other actions

## Dates & Locations

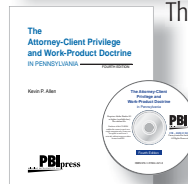
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12:30 – 12:45	Introduction
12:45 - 1:15	The Causes of Action
1:15 - 1:45	Other Litigation Torts & the Judicial Privilege
1:45 - 2:00	Attorney-Client Privilege and the Work Product Doctrine
2:00 - 2:15	Burden of Proof
2:15 - 2:25	Break
2:25 - 2:45	Expert Testimony
2:45 - 3:00	Sanctions and Erie Issues
3:00 - 3:15	Damages
3:15 - 3:30	Issues in the Underlying Litigation
3:30 - 3:45	The Pervasive Influence of Litigation Torts

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