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- February 23-24, 2012 **51st Annual Natural Resource Law Institute**  
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- March 1-2, 2012 **Northwest Arkansas Conference Featuring Practice Skill Necessities**  
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- March 8, 2012 **ADR Conference, Little Rock**
- March 16, 2012 **Immigration 411: Overview & Hot Topics, Little Rock**
- April 3-5, 2012 **Advanced Consumer Bankruptcy Practice Institute, Little Rock**
- April 5-6, 2012 **16th Annual Bankruptcy Debtor/Creditor Law Institute, Little Rock**
- April 12, 2012 **Criminal Law, Little Rock**
- April 13, 2012 **Trials: Avoid the Tribulations, Fort Smith**
- April 19-20, 2012 **Employment Law Conference, Little Rock**
- April 26-27, 2012 **16th Annual Environmental Law Conference**  
Inn of the Ozarks, Eureka Springs
- June 6-9, 2012 **114th Arkansas Bar Association Annual Meeting** Hot Springs
- June 18-22, 2012 **Best of CLE-Little Rock**
- June 28-29, 2012 **Best of CLE-Northwest**
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*Trials: Avoid the Tribulations*  
**April 13th**  
Fort Smith

**Early Registration deadline**  
**April 6, 2012**



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# Trials: Avoid the Tribulations



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6.0 CLE Hours, including 1 Ethics Hour

## General Information

**REGISTRATION** - The registration fees include the seminar, electronic course materials, lunch and refreshment breaks. On-line and Mailed/Faxed registrations will be accepted through April 6, 2012 at reduced rates. Registrations after April 6, 2012 must be made at the door at the Late Registration Rate.

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# Trials: Avoid the Tribulations Agenda April 13, 2012

8:00 - 8:25 a.m. **Registration/Coffee & Refreshments**

8:25 - 8:30 a.m. **Welcome, Announcements & Introductions**

• Kathryn Stocks,  
Jones, Jackson & Moll, PLC

8:30 - 9:30 a.m. **Handling Appeals in Arkansas**

• Brandon J. Harrison,  
Attorney at Law, Fort Smith

9:30 - 10:30 a.m. **Litigation and Alternative Dispute Resolution**

• David Vandergriff,  
Quattlebaum, Grooms, Tull & Burrow PLLC,  
Little Rock

10:30 - 10:45 a.m. **Break**

10:45 - 11:45 a.m. **What We Expect and What to Expect When Trying Your Case**

• Honorable James O. Cox,  
Circuit Judge, Twelfth Judicial District,  
Fort Smith  
• Honorable Stephen Tabor,  
Circuit Judge, Twelfth Judicial District,  
Fort Smith

11:45 - 12:45 p.m. **Lunch (Provided)**

12:45 - 1:45 p.m. **Alternative Discovery**

• Robert R. Cloar,  
Attorney at Law, Fort Smith

1:45 - 2:45 p.m. **A View from the Bench: Tips from Appellate Judges**

• Honorable Waymond M. Brown,  
Arkansas Court of Appeals  
• Honorable Raymond R. Abramson,  
Arkansas Court of Appeals

2:45 - 3:00 p.m. **Break**

3:00 - 4:00 p.m. **Ethical Minefield: Issues for Lawyers to Avoid**

• Stark Ligon,  
Executive Director, Supreme Court Committee  
on Professional Conduct, Little Rock



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