

PRACTICING FAMILY LAW IN THE 5TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT SEMINAR

**WHEN: THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 2018
3:00 P.M. TO 6:00 P.M.**

**LOCATION: IOWA STATE BAR ASSOCIATION, 2ND FLOOR CONFERENCE ROOM
625 E. COURT AVENUE, SUITE 100, DES MOINES, IA 50309
FREE TO ALL POLK COUNTY BAR MEMBERS
3 HOURS CLE CREDIT**

SEMINAR AGENDA:

1. **Family Law case procedures**
Stacey Warren, CashattWarren Family Law 3:00 p.m.
2. **Preparation for mediation**
Tim Pearson, Laden & Pearson, P.C. 3:20 p.m.
3. **Preparation for trial, Pretrial Requirements**
Ryan Weese, Shindler, Anderson, Goplerud & Weese, P.C. . . 3:40 p.m.
4. **Ethics, Professionalism/How to make things go smoother**
Tara VanBrederode, Office of Professional Regulations 4:00 p.m.
5. **Ethics, How to behave in mediation and trial**
Anjela Shutts, Whitfield & Eddy, P.L.C. 4:20 p.m.
6. **Tips for VLP cases**
Elizabeth Kellner-Nelson, Kellner-Nelson Law Firm, P.C. 4:40 p.m.
7. **Guardian Ad Litem, Family and Child Reporters, and Third Party Custody Investigations**

Diane Dornburg, Carney Appleby Law
Lora McCollom, McCollom Law Firm, P.L.L.C. 5:00 p.m.
8. **What is Relevant Evidence in Family Law Trials**
Judges Porter, McLellan, and Kelly 5:30 p.m.
9. **Questions**
10. **Refreshments following Seminar**