Civil Rights Law Section

WASHINGTON STATE BAR ASSOCIATION

Executive Committee Meeting Agenda

Date: 8/2/2020
Time: 12:00 p.m.
Location: [Zoom Meeting](#)
          Meeting ID: 874 2940 5913
          Passcode: 542272

1. **Motions to adopt/amend July minutes**
2. **CLE Update(s):**
   a. Update EC re mini-CLE series with Cannabis Law Section about equitable legalization of conscious altering substances, including cannabis.
3. **Past CRLS Happy Hour – Advocates for Immigrants in Detention Northwest**
   a. Update EC re recent HH with AIDNW, which occurred on July 22nd.
   b. Discuss ways we can help AIDNW connect with lawyers and other individuals willing to offer pro-bono services
4. **Future CRLS Happy Hour – Mothers for Police Accountability**
   a. Determine potential dates and structure for future HH with MPA.
5. **Community Connections Committee & Awards Committee: 2021 Awards Ceremony**
   a. Review nominees submitted for 2021 CRLS Awards and determine next steps for award process, including potentially setting new final date for submissions.
   b. Discuss logistics for CRLS Awards Ceremony, including date for ceremony (currently October 7th) and limitations for hosting event at Seattle Park (liability insurance required).
6. **2021 Newsletter – "A Movement Towards Justice"**
   a. Update EC with Newsletter progress.
   b. Theme for newsletter is *A Movement Towards Justice*. CRLS partnered with community members and activists to offer a Newsletter designed to recognize community-led movements that have taken major steps to ensure that we have legal system that is equitable and works to achieve actual justice. Editors include:
      i. Olivia Zachariah (college student – University of Victoria)
      ii. Ardie Ermac (law student – Seattle University School of Law)
      iii. Cory Walster (community activist/organizer – Civil Survival Project)
7. **Equity and Diversity Task Force Update(s)**
   a. Laura, Chalia, and/or Molly to discuss any potential updates.
8. **Open Table: Outstanding Topics or Update(s)**