

## <u>Labor & Employment Law section</u> June 2024 Monthly Executive Committee Meeting

- Approval of May 2024 meeting minutes
- 2024 Mini-CLEs / Informal Lunchtime Meetings
  - Small Businesses/ Employee Ownership
    - Date: June 20<sup>th</sup>
    - Coordinator: Matt
    - Registration numbers?
  - o Reasonable Accommodations:
    - Date: June 24th
    - Coordinator: Carson
    - Registration numbers?
  - One more mini-CLE before Conference in November?
    - Topics:
    - Date: August or September
- 24th Annual Labor & Employment Law Conference
  - o Date: Friday, Nov. 22
  - o Location: Rainier Club
  - o Panel Topics: 7 chosen at May Retreat
  - Mediation Panel
    - Topic: what is effective; practical skills; anonymous questions to mediators
    - Coordinator Sarah
    - Attempt to get three mediators from different areas
    - Potential panelists: Nancy Maisano; Kathleen Wareham; Daria Luna;
       Marg Keller; Stu Cogan; Jessie Harris; Judge Erlich; Cliff Freed
  - Wage and Hour Audits/Wage theft
    - Topic: conducting internal wage & hour audits to meet new wage standards; obligations for employers; how audit should be conducted; documentation
    - Coordinator Angie
    - Potential speakers Darren Feider; Jim Bizl; someone from Terrell Marshall; Danielle Franco-Malone; does Angie have someone in mind?
  - o DEI post-Harvard
    - Topic: affinity groups; hiring decisions; First Amendment issues with conditions of hiring;
    - Coordinator Jess

- Potential speakers Craig Leen; Vicki Slade; Lemonidis Consulting;
   Abenaa Hayes (Elysee Consulting)
- Off-duty work conduct/harassment and discipline
  - Topic: AI & Employees using A&I photos outside of work; free speech issues; when can an employer take action for off-duty conduct;
  - Coordinator Brad
  - Potential speakers?
- ABCs of Labor Law
  - Topic: new unionization; private causes of action and state law causes of action; hypotheticals – Q&A;
  - Coordinator Carson F.
  - Potential speakers Carson has some in mind
- o Workers' comp v. EEO
  - Topic: Workers' comp versus accommodations from employer mental health issues; Fit for Duty letters; intersection of workers comp and ADA;
  - Coordinator Matt
  - Potential speakers Amy Decelle
- Bossware presence of surveillance privacy laws
  - Topic: monitoring virtual employees; insurance implications; state laws re: audio recordings; NLRB memo re: Section VII violation for surveillance of employees – chills rights;
  - Coordinator Colin
  - Potential speakers ?
- September Dinner
  - o Restaurant: planning for Dim Sum
  - Coordinator: Jess
  - O Date: Aiming at 3<sup>rd</sup> week of September (after 9/11) to avoid school openings