

NCBL 2011 Annual Conference Silver Spring, Maryland

HUMAN RIGHTS: FIRING UP THE ENGINES OF LIBERATION

Friday, October 7, 2011

6:30 – 8:30 pm

Human Rights: Firing Up the Engines of Liberation Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow Town Hall Meeting

Marisa Benton, Atty, New York, NY, Co-host

Thomas Ruffin, Atty, Washington, DC, Co-host

Meron Wondwosen , Atty, Washington, DC,

Jefani Edison, Detroit, MI

Faye Rose Sanders, Atty, Selma, AL .

Wilhelm Joseph, Atty, Baltimore, MD.

(10 minutes each, 10 minutes between co-hosts and 30 minutes for discussion)

8:45 - 11:00

Screening of Mooz-lum. Attys. Talib Karim, & Raheemah Abdulaleem, discussion leaders after screening

Saturday, October 8, 2011

8:30 – 10:00 am (approved for 1.5 CLE credits)

Social Media for Lawyers: Excellence in Legal Advocacy and Ethical Pitfalls

Vicki Sali Casanova, MBA, Chicago, IL

Aisha M. Richard, Atty, New York, NY

Nkechi Taifa, Atty, Washington, DC, Moderator

10:15 am – 11:45 pm (approved for 2 CLE credits)

Grand Jury Abuse: An Instrument of Oppression

Thomas Ruffin, Atty, Washington, DC

Gilda Sherrod-Ali, Atty, Washington, DC

Stan Kwame Willis, Atty, Chicago, IL, Presenter/Moderator

12:15 – 2:00 pm (Luncheon) (approved for 2 CLE credits)

Human Rights Conventions in Domestic Litigation

Professor Lisa A. Crooms, Atty, Washington, DC

Professor Lennox A. Hinds, Atty, New York, NY

Charles Roach, Atty, Toronto, Canada

2:15 – 3:15 pm Business Meeting

Adjoa A. Aiyetoro

Lorray Brown

Florence Morgan

Facilitators

3:30 – 5:30 pm

Mass Incarceration: The Impact on our Community

Professor Adjoa A. Aiyetoro, Little Rock, AR

Lumumba Bandele, Senior Community Advocate, NAACP-LDF, New York, NY

Councilman Chokwe Lumumba, Atty, Jackson, MS.

Florence Morgan, Atty, New York, NY

Nkechi Taifa, Atty, Washington, DC

Brian K. Roberts, Atty, Washington, DC, Moderator

7:00 – 9:00 pm Dinner

Rukia Lumumba, JD, New York, NY, Keynote Speaker

Sunday, October 9, 2011

10:00 am - Noon

Political Unrest in Africa: Our Response

Judith L. Bourne, Atty, St. Thomas, VI

Mark A. Fancher, Atty, Detroit, MI

Councilwoman Deborah A. Jackson, Atty, Lithonia, GA

Aubrey McCutcheon, Atty, Washington, DC

Ronald G. Isaac, Atty, Washington, DC, Moderator