



Construction Law  
Foundation of Texas

# 2019 ANNUAL CLE FOR BOARD CERTIFIED CONSTRUCTION LAWYERS

## HOUSTON, TEXAS

IN COOPERATION WITH THE CONSTRUCTION LAW SECTION OF THE STATE BAR OF TEXAS  
AND THE TEXAS INSTITUTE OF CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION

**December 5, 2019**

The Hyatt Regency Houston  
1200 Louisiana Street, Houston, TX 77002

This program has been approved for 4.00 hours credit which will apply towards MCLE, The College of the State Bar of Texas, and the Texas Board of Legal Specialization in Construction Law, Real Estate Law and Civil Trial Law. You must attend all sessions to obtain full MCLE credit.

### PROGRAM AGENDA ➤ THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2019

9:15 a.m. **Late Registration** – Ballroom Foyer, The Hyatt Regency Houston

10:00 a.m. **Addressing Defaults on Mega-Projects**

Often on mega-projects, in the face of a default parties do not want to terminate a contract and need to develop recovery plans, with very complicated decisions, and lots of data, accompanying such matters. This presentation will address best practices and available options for dealing with defaults on mega-projects, including a discussion as to available contract clauses.

*William B. (Ben) Westcott – Andrews Myers, P.C., Houston, TX*

11:00 a.m. **Liquidated Damages – The Answer When the Truth is Unascertainable**

The principal challenges with liquidated damage clauses. The pitfalls, benefits and ramifications.

*John L. Grayson – Cokinios | Young, Houston, TX*

12:00 p.m. **Networking Lunch** – *Tickets for registrants may be purchased for \$16. Please purchase your lunch ticket in advance. Tickets will not be sold at the door.*

1:00 p.m. **Lonergan: The Demise and the Revival**

*Denis G. Ducran – Peckar & Abramson, P.C., Houston, TX*

2:00 p.m. **Federal Procurement Update: \*MAGA\* – Buy American Act, Tariffs & State Law Implications**

This topic will address construction material market instability in a hard bid world and the perils associated with Buy American Act compliance.

*Paul H. Sanderford – Sanderford & Carroll P.C., Temple, TX*

3:00 p.m. **Adjourn**



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## REGISTRATION FORM

**The Hyatt Regency Houston** — A limited number of rooms have been reserved at The Hyatt Regency Houston at the special rate of \$169.00 per night plus taxes for a single/double. The hotel is located at 1200 Louisiana Street, Houston, TX 77002. **The hotel deadline is November 17, 2019 or until the room block is exhausted, whichever comes first.** You must request the “Construction Law Foundation of Texas” group rate (code G-SCSC) in order to obtain a room in our room block. Please call the hotel directly at (713) 654-1234 or visit <https://www.hyatt.com/en-US/group-booking/HOURH/G-SCSC>. We recommend that you make your reservations immediately if you plan to attend this course.

**Pre-Registration** — To ensure sufficient materials are available for all attendees, pre-registration is strongly encouraged. Door registration is an additional \$50.00. *Only printed materials will be provided.*

**Cancellations & Refunds** — Refunds, less a \$25 processing fee, will be given to registrants who cancel by 5:00 p.m. Central Friday, November 29, 2019. *No refunds will be granted thereafter.* Course materials will automatically be mailed to prepaid registrants who were not able to attend.

**Special Accommodations** — If special arrangements are required for a person with a disability to attend this program, please contact us at (512) 451-6960.

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**Please register me for the seminar as follows: (All registrations include printed program materials.)**

- Registration Fee (*due by 5 p.m. November 29th*)..... \$150.00
- Late Registration Fee (*after 5:00 pm November 29th and at the door*)..... \$200.00
- Networking Lunch Ticket at \$16 each..... \$ 16.00
- Printed Materials Order (*For non-attendees only. Mailed 1-2 weeks after the event.*)..... \$ 64.95

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