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COLLEGE PROGRAM AT ABA LEL SECTION'S ANNUAL CLE CONFERENCE FEATURES SOME OF THE GIANTS AMONG US

Since 2010, the College has been offered a 90-minute time slot on Saturday afternoon during the ABA LEL Section's Annual CLE Conference. Programs over the years have featured distinguished speakers, such as Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg, an interactive audience play on civility in the practice of law and a fascinating panel discussion on the #MeToo movement. This year's program – Retrospectives on Labor and Employment Law – featured some of the true titans in the field. Their firsthand stories of critical and iconic events made for a riveting presentation that some even remarked was the 'best one yet.' Fellow Ted St. Antoine recalled personal interactions with Jimmy Hoffa and then-Senator John Kennedy. Chai Feldblum, a former EEOC Commissioner, was the lead attorney on the team drafting the American with Disabilities Act and has been at the forefront of advocating for legal rights for the LGBT community. She shared her philosophical thoughts on achieving lasting change in social justice and the "three variables [that] must operate in a synergistic fashion: law, policies in practice, and social norms." Finally, Fellow Peter Hurtgen focused on his experiences during the era when employment discrimination litigation was

on the rise, and his time as Chair of the National Labor Relations Board. The program was moderated by Fellow **Cynthia Nance** and chaired by Fellow **Armin Moeller**. A standing room only crowd of Fellows and LEL Section members was treated to a memorable encounter with some of the legal legends among us.

Click <u>here</u> to view materials from this program.



L to R: John Runyan, Cynthia Nance, Chai Feldblum, Armin Moeller, Peter Hurtgen and Ted St. Antoine