



March 22, 2018

Motor Vehicle Litigation SUMMIT 2018

Chairs: **Susan Gunter, *Dutton Brock LLP***
Adam Wagman, C.S., *Howie, Sacks & Henry LLP*

March 26, 2018 - 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

March 27, 2018 - 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Total CPD Hours = 9h Substantive + 3h Professionalism 

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Donald Lamont Learning Centre
130 Queen Street West
Toronto, ON**

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Agenda

DAY ONE:

8:30 a.m. – 8:35 a.m.

Welcome and Opening Remarks

Susan Gunter, Dutton Brock LLP

Adam Wagman, C.S., Howie, Sacks & Henry LLP

8:35 a.m. – 8:50 a.m.

**Should Privacy Matter to Car Crash Lawyers?
PIPEDA, the LAT and Torts**

R. Lee Akazaki, Gilbertson Davis LLP

8:50 a.m. – 9:10 a.m.

LAT Procedure

Laura Emmett, *Strigberger Brown Armstrong LLP*

Alexander Voudouris, *Pace Law Firm*

9:10 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

**Remarks from the Attorney General
& Question and Answer**

The Honourable Yasir Naqvi, Attorney General
Government of Ontario

9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Threshold Survey

Vanessa Tanner, Senior Litigation Counsel
Aviva Trial Lawyers

Sandra Train, *Howie, Sacks & Henry LLP*

10:00 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.

Coffee and Networking Break

10:10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

**Important New Decisions on
Motor Vehicle Liability and Damages**

Peter Cho, *Smitiuch Injury Law Professional Corporation*

Heather Kawaguchi, *Zarek Taylor Grossman Hanrahan LLP*

10:30 a.m. – 10:50 a.m.

**Motor Vehicle Litigation Math:
Accounting for Personal Injury Lawyers**

Carolyn Seaquist, CPA, CGA, CFF, BAccS, *RSM Canada*

10:50 a.m. – 11:20 a.m.

The Future of the Civil Jury in Ontario

Patrick Brown, C.S., *McLeish Orlando LLP*

Howard Lightle, *Weaver Simmons LLP*

11:20 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Question and Answer Session
11:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Distracted Driving – The Science behind Proving Distraction Russell Brownlee, P.Eng. <i>True North Safety Group</i>
11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Marijuana Regulation – The Science of Intoxication Dr. Michael Corbett, Ph.D., LL.M., F-ABFT, FCSFS, Forensic Toxicologist, <i>Chemical Review Services Inc.</i>
12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch Will Be Provided
1:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	How to Get Your Settlement Approved And Your Case Closed: Rule 7 The Honourable Darla Wilson, <i>Superior Court of Justice</i> Heidi Brown, <i>Bogoroch & Associates LLP</i>
1:30 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.	Clean Up Your Case and Go to Trial: Strategize, Streamline and Simplify The Honourable Stephen Firestone, <i>Superior Court of Justice</i> Joseph Obagi, C.S., <i>Connolly Obagi LLP</i>
1:50 p.m. – 2:35 p.m.	The Fees Question (45 minutes ) Roger Chown, <i>Carrol Heyd Chown LLP</i> Steven Rastin, <i>Rastin & Associates Personal Injury Law PC</i>
2:35 p.m. – 2:40 p.m.	Question and Answer Session

2:40 p.m. – 2:55 p.m.	Coffee and Networking Break
2:55 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Surveillance: A Step-By-Step Guide Alison Burrison, <i>McLeish Orlando LLP</i> Daniel Strigberger, <i>Strigberger Brown Armstrong LLP</i>
3:15 p.m. – 3:35 p.m.	After the Event Insurance: Ethical Considerations (20 minutes ) Ian Hu, Counsel, Claims Prevention & PracticePRO, <i>Lawyers' Professional Indemnity Company (LawPRO)</i>
3:35 p.m. – 3:55 p.m.	Auto Insurance Claim Fraud: How to Protect Yourself (15 minutes ) John Friendly, Legal Counsel, <i>Ministry of the Attorney General, Civil Law Division, FSCO Branch</i> Ian Kirby, C.S., <i>Gilbert Kirby Stringer LLP</i>
3:55 p.m. – 4:25 p.m.	Mediation Professionalism: How to Settle the Case with Your Reputation Intact (30 minutes ) Christine Fotopoulos, Mediator, <i>Global Resolutions</i> Cliff Hendler, <i>ADR Chambers</i> Richard Horak, <i>Global Resolutions</i>
4:25 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Question and Answer Session
4:30 p.m.	End of Day One