

December 4, 2024

The Eight-Minute Family Law Lawyer 2024



CO-CHAIRS: **Fareen Jamal**, *Jamal Family Law Professional Corporation*

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December 6, 2024

9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

**Total CPD Hours = 3 h 10 m Substantive + 35 m Professionalism ^P
+ 15 m EDI Professionalism ^E**

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Agenda




9:00 a.m. – 9:05 a.m.


Welcome

Fareen Jamal, Jamal Family Law Professional Corporation

Michael Kleinman, Kleinman Family Law

- 9:05 a.m. – 9:23 a.m.** **Challenging Personalities – The OPCA (Organized Pseudolegal Commercial Argument) Litigant** (6 m , 7 m )
The Honourable Justice John McDermot, *Superior Court of Justice*
- 9:23 a.m. – 9:32 a.m.** **Foreign Divorces and Spousal Support** (3 m )
Fareen Jamal, *Jamal Family Law Professional Corporation*
- 9:32 a.m. – 9:41 a.m.** **Purchase-Price Resulting Trusts**
Frankie Wood, *Wood Gold LLP*
- 9:41 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.** **Case Law Update – 8 Cases in 8 Minutes**
Aaron Franks, *Epstein Cole LLP*
- 9:50 a.m. – 9:59 a.m.** **Damages for Family Violence** (2 m )
Samantha Eisen, *Samantha Eisen & Company*
- 9:59 a.m. – 10:08 a.m.** **Notional Disposition Costs Update**
Melanie Larock, *Thomson Rogers*
- 10:08 a.m. – 10:17 a.m.** **Police Enforcement Clauses**
Erika Young, *Nelligan Law*
- 10:17 a.m. – 10:26 a.m.** **Enforcement of Exclusive Possession Orders** (2 m )
Susan Berry, *Berry Family Law*
- 10:26 a.m. – 10:35 a.m.** **Winners and Losers: The Art of Surrender** (8 m )
Darlene Madott, Author and Retired Lawyer

- 10:35 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.** **Question and Answer Session**
- 10:45 a.m. – 11:05 a.m.** **Break**
- 11:05 a.m. – 11:14 a.m.** **Religious Marriage Contracts: Litigating the Mahr**
Fadwa Yehia, Jamal Family Law Professional Corporation
- 11:14 a.m. – 11:23 a.m.** **Gender Marker Change (8 m **)
Eric Sadvari, Kenet Family Law Professional Corporation
- 11:23 a.m. – 11:32 a.m.** **Pension Division Refresher**
Geoff Carpenter, C.S. Carpenter Family Law Professional Corporation
- 11:32 a.m. – 11:41 a.m.** **Limitation Periods in Family Law (8 m **)
Susan Sack, Rosen Sack LLP
- 11:41 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.** **Eight Key Factors in Identifying Children and Youth at Risk in Separating Families (4 m **)
Sharlene Weitzman, M.S. W., RSW, CPT-S, LLM, Senior Therapist and Head of Legal Services, Gowthorpe Therapists
- 11:50 a.m. – 11:59 a.m.** ***De Longte v De Longte (The Rule in Browne v. Dunn)***
Lorna Yates, Laurel Family Law LLP
- 11:59 a.m. – 12:08 p.m.** **Criminal/Family Law Intersection**
Jody Berkes, C.S., Berkes Law

- 12:08 p.m. – 12:17 p.m.** **Representing Substitute Decision-Makers in Family Law Proceedings (2 m )**
Matthew Rendely, Loopstra Nixon LLP
- 12:17 p.m. – 12:26 p.m.** **Parenting Orders for Adult Disabled Children**
Melanie Battaglia, Battaglia Law PC
- 12:26 p.m. – 12:35 p.m.** **Child Support for Adult Disabled Children**
Carolyn Shelley, Cunningham Swan LLP
- 12:35 p.m. – 12:44 p.m.** **SCC Watch**
Martha McCarthy, LSM, McCarthy Hansen & Company LLP
Jonathan Robinson, McCarthy Hansen & Company LLP
- 12:44 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.** **Question and Answer Session**
- 1:00 p.m.** **Program Ends**