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When technology takes the wheel, do traditional rules of liability still apply? ***Car Crash Symposium 2025*** dives into the new realities of motor vehicle crash litigation—where algorithms, automation, and data challenge long-held assumptions about fault and responsibility. Join leading practitioners and industry professionals for a forward-looking discussion on the issues driving change in crash litigation and come away with strategies designed to keep your practice ready for the road ahead.

Register now!

HOW YOU'LL BENEFIT

- Improve your skills in claims involving rideshare drivers and self-driving vehicles
- Steer clear of coverage pitfalls and structure stronger claims or defenses
- Protect your reputation and practice by minimizing malpractice risks
- Use vehicle and trucking data effectively to strengthen investigations and expert testimony
- Effectively prepare clients and your case for mediation when punitive damages are involved
- Leverage AI to increase efficiency without crossing ethical boundaries

DATES & LOCATION

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State Bar Center
5302 Eastpark Blvd.
Madison, WI

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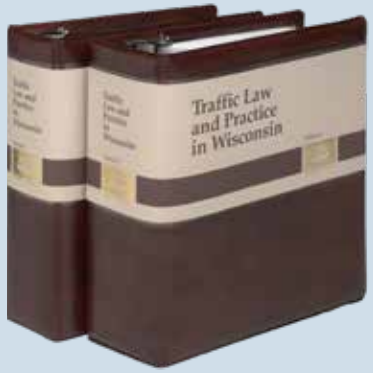
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SCHEDULE

8:00 AM **Registration**

8:30 AM **AI Panel with Ethics**

- How AI enhances legal research and document review, and how to critically assess its accuracy and reliability
- Ethical obligations around AI use, including the duty of technological competence and supervision, how to mitigate the risks of hallucinations, and evolving legal frameworks regarding AI
- Best practices for maintaining client confidentiality when using AI tools that handle sensitive data
- Recognize and address bias in AI systems, ensuring fair and transparent use in legal decision-making

Moderator: *Laura M. Lyons*
Panelists: *Ann S. Jacobs, Michael A. LoCoco*

9:45 AM **Uber Rides Gone Wrong: Handling Claims Involving Rideshare Drivers and Self-Driving Cars**

- What constitutes use of an automobile under Wisconsin law?
- Initial grants of coverage: who is the insured?
- Identify the liable party: does your claim involve the driver, the vehicle manufacturer, a passenger, or someone else?
- For rideshare claims: was the driver "on the clock?" and why does it matter?
- Determining theories of liability and defending those claims

Kristen S. Scheuerman, Monte E. Weiss

10:35 AM **Break**

10:50 AM **A Legal Malpractice Insurance Carrier's View of the Types and Causes of Claims Made Against Personal Injury Attorneys**

- The most common errors that result in claims like missed deadlines and the failure to timely develop the underlying personal injury claim
- How to deal with difficult clients
- How to avoid common errors
- Understand reporting obligations when an error is discovered

Brian C. Anderson

11:40 AM **Lunch (on your own)**

12:40 PM **Public Benefits**

Heather B. Poster

1:30 PM **The Use of Technology and Data for Vehicle Claim Investigations**

- Available data in modern passenger vehicles and heavy trucks
- How the various data is reviewed and analyzed
- How the data is applied to assist in an investigation
- The different technologies used to document vehicles and loss sites
- How these documentation tools can be used in a claim investigation
- The importance of using a third-party expert to assist in complex vehicle loss claims

Edwin N. Barron

2:20 PM **Punitive Damages Panel and Impaired Driving**

- How to prepare your case and your clients for mediation when punitive damages are involved
- How punitive damage claims impact mediation
- How to effectively handle punitive damages at mediation

Moderator: *Christopher R. Bandt*
Panelists: *Allan M. Foeckler, Ronald G. Pezze*

3:35 PM **Program Concludes**

Following start time, schedule may vary slightly from above. All times are Central Time Zone.

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