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**PROGRAM AGENDA – Day 1
Tuesday, September 26, 2017**

8:30 AM – 9:15 AM – Registration Opens



Networking Breakfast Buffet

9:15 AM – Welcome and Opening Remarks

9:20 AM – Keynote Presentation

EPL Market Place & Underwriting Trends

Laura Zaroski, J.D., RPLU
Executive V.P. -
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10:10 AM – Presentation Ends

10:10 AM

EPL Claims Trends

Moderator: Dove Burns
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Connie Leach,
Senior Claims Examiner
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Talene N. Megerian
Assistant Vice President, Claims Advocate
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Joni Mason
Vice President and National Practice Advisor
Professional Risk Practice – Risk Management Clients
Wells Fargo Insurance Services

11:00 AM – Presentation Ends**11:00 AM** – ExecuSummit Networking Break**11:15 AM**

Wage and Hour Update:
Impact of the change in administration, new policies and the recent litigation developments

Moderator: Mercedes Colwin
Managing Partner, New York Office
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Marina A. Llata, Esq.
Senior Claims Specialist
AXIS Insurance

Samantha J. Manfredini, Esq.
Assistant Vice President, EPLI
Aon Risk Solutions

12:05 PM – Presentation Ends**12:05 PM****GORDON & REES LLP****Networking Luncheon****1:00 PM**

The Supreme Court's Recent Decisions and the Impact on the Employment Law Landscape Going Forward

Kristina Barcia
Assistant Vice President - Claims
AXIS Insurance

Brian S. Cousin
Partner
Dentons

Matthew J. Connell
Partner
The MacMain Law Group LLC

1:50 PM – Presentation Ends**1:50 PM**

Religious Accommodations and Discrimination – From the Mark of the Beast to Appearance Policies and Scheduling/PTO

Dean Falavolito, Esq.
Principal
Jackson Lewis P.C.

Chris Lavelle
Second Vice President/EPL Product Leader
Underwriter, Professional Lines
USLI

Brian Wolosky
Claims Manager
Starr Adjustment Services, Inc. – A Member of Starr Companies

2:40 PM – Presentation Ends**2:40 PM:****jackson lewis.**

Networking Break

3:00 PM

Transitioning Workplace –
Sexual Orientation, Expression and Gender Identity:
The increased focus and application of
Title VII, ADA and state law.

Jessenia L. Vazcones-Yagual, Esq.
Claims Examiner – Management Liability Claims
OneBeacon Insurance Group

Alyssa Nobile Pianelli
Group Claims - Specialty Lines
Beazley Group

Edward J. Ryan
Claims Manager
Financial and Professional Lines
Starr Adjustment Services, Inc |
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3:50 PM – Presentation Ends.

3:50 PM

Social Media:
From Prospecting Candidates to Selecting Jurors –
Social Media Best Practices

Stacey L. Pitcher
Partner
Goldberg Segella

Laura R. Lapidus ,Esq.
Management Liability Risk Control Director
CNA

Dennis D. Strazulo
California Managing Partner
Freeman Mathis & Gary, LLP

4:40 PM – Presentation Ends**4:40 PM** – Day-1 Closing Comments.**4:45 PM**

Networking Cocktail Reception

5:45 PM – Day One Concludes.

PROGRAM AGENDA – Day 2 Wednesday, September 27, 2017

8:00 AM – 8:55 AM

Networking Breakfast Buffet

8:55 AM – Welcome and Opening Remarks**9:00 AM**

The Intersection of Technology Related Claims with
EPL/E&O/MPL and D&O Policies

Moderator: Dianna McCarthy
Partner
Winget, Spadafora & Schwartzberg, LLP

Jeanette L. Dixon
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Cheryl Chiovetta
Vice President | Financial Institutions
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Leona Lik
Managing Director
Aon Risk Solutions

9:50 AM – Presentation Ends**9:50 AM**

EEOC Strategic Enforcement Plan and Update

Joseph M. Gagliardo
Managing Partner
Laner, Muchin, Ltd.

Chris Williams
EPL Product Manager
Travelers

10:40 AM – Presentation Ends**10:40 AM** – ExecuSummit Morning Networking Break**11:00 AM**

National Origin and the Trump Travel Ban:
Impact on Businesses and Expectations for the Future

Carrie Kurzon
National EPLI Product Leader
Hartford Financial Products
The Hartford

Meredith Cavallaro
Partner
Paduano & Weintraub LLP

Justin J Blacklock
Executive Underwriter
EPLI Specialist -North America Financial Lines
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11:50 AM – Presentation Ends**11:50 AM** – Closing Remarks**12:00 PM** – ExecuSummit Concludes.

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