



UKRAINIAN AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION Асоціація Українських Правників Америки

THE UKRAINIAN AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION PROUDLY ANNOUNCES THE PROGRAM FOR OUR 39TH ANNUAL CONVENTION IN TORONTO

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2016

Cocktail Reception
(7:00 PM – 9:00 PM)

Join your colleagues and speakers for a cocktail reception with hors d'oeuvres at the elegant, private Albany Club, located at 91 King Street East in downtown Toronto, just steps away from Omni King Edward Hotel

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2016

39th Annual UABA Convention
(8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

Join us for our annual Convention program, highlighted by our keynote luncheon speaker, Dr. Andrii Veselovskyi, the Consul General of Ukraine in Toronto. We have an outstanding array of speakers from the United States, Canada, Ukraine and France, with a diverse series of presentations and discussions. Our Convention program will also take place at the Albany Club. Although the program is subject to change, each of the speakers listed below have confirmed their participation.

TIME	EVENT / TOPIC	SPEAKER
8:00 a.m.– 8:30 a.m.	Registration and Continental Breakfast	
8:30 a.m.– 8:45 a.m.	Welcome and Introduction	Taras Rudnitsky President, UABA and Consumer Attorney
8:45 a.m.– 9:30 a.m.	Legal Education in Ukraine	Dr. Ivan Horodyskyy Director, Rule of Law Centre Ukrainian Catholic University
9:30 a.m.– 10:00 a.m.	Educational Projects in Ukraine	Dr. Oleksandr Romanko IBM Canada, University of Toronto and Ukrainian Catholic University

10:00 a.m.– 10:15 a.m.	Break	
10:15 a.m.– 10:30 a.m.	Breaking the Myth that all Successful Businesses and Lawyers in Ukraine are Corrupt	Dr. George Foty Board Member, Ukrainian Canadian Professional and Business Association of Toronto
10:30 a.m.– 11:30 a.m.	Canadian Ukrainian Free Trade Agreement (Panel Discussion)	Alex Ilchenko (moderator) President, UCBA and Commercial Attorney Cyndee Todgham Cherniak International Trade Attorney Zenon Poticzny President, Canada Ukraine Chamber of Commerce
11:30 a.m.– 11:45 a.m.	Ukrainian Legal Aid Clinic	Andriy Semotiuk Immigration Attorney
12:00 noon– 1:00 p.m.	Keynote Luncheon	Dr. Andrii Veselovskyi The Consul General of Ukraine in Toronto
1:15 p.m.– 2:15 p.m.	Update on the Conflict in Eastern Ukraine; Downing of Malaysian Air Flight MH17 over Eastern Ukraine; Ukraine's Image Abroad	Michael Bociurkiw Journalist and Former Spokesperson for OSCE in Eastern Ukraine
2:15 p.m.– 3:00 p.m.	Lawfare – Ukrainian Legal Claims against Russia	Adrian Karatnycky Atlantic Council
3:00 p.m.– 3:15 p.m.	Break	
3:15 p.m.– 3:45 p.m.	Immigration for Ukrainians: U.S. and Canadian Options	Andriy Semotiuk Immigration Attorney
3:45 p.m.– 5:00 p.m.	Trial of Samuel Schwartzbard (Assassin of Simon Petlura)	Stephane Dunikowski Attorney and Author
5:00 p.m.	Closing Comments	Taras Rudnitsky President, UABA Oksana Pelekh Vice President & Treasurer, UABA

[Click here to go to the UABA website page where you can register for the Convention and reserve your room at the Omni King Edward Hotel](#)

If you have any questions about the program, you are welcome to contact Taras Rudnitsky, UABA President, at 407-333-0001 or by email at Taras@CarSafetyLawyer.com

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