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# PROGRAM SCHEDULE

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7:30am – 8:00am	<b>Registration and Continental Breakfast</b> Sponsored by <b>AEI</b>
8:00am – 8:10 am	<b>Welcome and Introduction</b> Emily Motto Bottorf, NDCA President Tara Tesmer Paulson, NDCA President-Elect and Seminar Chair
8:10am – 8:30am	<b>Legislative Update</b> Andy Pollock, Rembolt Ludtke, LLP
8:30am – 9:00am	<b>Nebraska Appellate Case Law Update – Top Decisions of the Past Year</b> <b>Speakers:</b> Mary Schott, Evans & Dixon Jennifer Heiser Pilka, Wolfe Snowden Karson S. Kampfe, Fraser Stryker, PC LLO J. Michael Hannon, Baylor Evnen, LLP
9:00am – 9:45am	<b>Surveilling Plaintiffs - Jurors' Perceptions and Maximizing Your Result</b> This presentation will focus on the use of surveillance in your cases and utilizing those results for a successful outcome. <b>Speaker:</b> Kyle Wallor, Lamson Dugan & Murray, LLP
9:45am – 10:00am	<b>Coffee &amp; Networking Break</b> Sponsored by <b>Delta Ivl Forensic Engineering</b>
10:00am – 10:45am	<b>Inside the Minds of Mediators: Expert Panel Prepared to Answer All of Your Mediation Questions</b> Every successful mediation requires attorneys to have a sound strategy. In an interactive question and answer format, our expert mediators will provide valuable insight and clarification on best tips and practices for your upcoming mediations. <b>Speakers:</b> Tim Engler, Rembolt Ludtke, LLP Amy L. Van Horne, Kutak Rock, LLP Stephen S. Gealy, Baylor Evnen, LLP





# PROGRAM SCHEDULE *continued*

10:45am – 11:45am	<b>Ethics and Malpractice Concerns While Practicing Law Remotely</b> <b>Speaker:</b> Todd C. Scott, VP of Risk Management, Minnesota Lawyers Mutual Insurance Company
11:45am – 12:45pm	<b>Lunch Provided by NDCA</b> Sponsored by <b>ESi</b>
12:45pm – 1:00pm	<b>Awards and Business Meeting</b> Emily Motto Bottorf, Baylor Evnen, NDCA President
1:00pm – 2:00pm	<b>The Resilient Lawyer</b> The legal profession and life events can present challenges to the well-being of our lawyers. To meet these challenges, we need personal resiliency – the process that allows us to adapt and bounce back from adversity, threats, loss and significant sources of stress. <b>Speaker:</b> Chris Aupperle, Director of the Nebraska Lawyers Assistance Program (NLAP)
2:00pm – 2:45pm	<b>Pain As an Indication for Surgery in Orthopedics</b> Pain as an indication for orthopedic surgery. A brief overview of musculoskeletal pain and surgical intervention. <b>Speaker:</b> Dr. Ian D. Crabb, MD
2:45pm – 3:35	<b>How Cyber and Crypto Currencies are Financing the Exploring Gig Economy. What it Means to Your Insurance Defense</b> <b>Speaker:</b> Curt DeVries CFE, AIC, SCLA, Fraud Sniff
3:35pm	<b>Cocktail Reception Networking</b> Sponsored by Thomas & Thomas

## LOCATION

The Nebraska Defense Counsel Association Annual Meeting and Seminar will be held on Friday, June 18, 2021 at

Embassy Suites Omaha La Vista  
Hotel & Conference Center  
12520 Westport Parkway  
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See following page for more hotel information.



# GENERAL INFORMATION

## Nebraska Defense Counsel Association Annual Meeting and Seminar (In-Person or Virtual Option)

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## Directions

Heading either East or West on Interstate 80—take the Giles Road Exit. (Exit 442) Turn south onto Giles Road and take the next right onto Southport Parkway. Make your first right onto Westport Parkway and the Embassy Suites is on your right. Complimentary uncovered, self-parking is available, only a short walk from the conference center. There is no valet parking available.

## Hotel Accommodations

A limited number of discounted hotel rooms have been made available at [Embassy Suites by Hilton Omaha La Vista Hotel & Conference Center](#), 12520 Westport Parkway, La Vista, Nebraska, 68128. To take advantage of the group rate of \$139 single/double, call 1-800-EMBASSY and request the Nebraska Defense Counsel Association guest room block or [click here \( Embassy Suites Omaha La Vista Hotel & Conference Center\)](#) to register online. The hotel block is limited and rooms and rates are available on a first-come, first-served basis. You must make reservations by May 27, 2021, to be eligible for the group rate. Requests for reservations made after May 27 are subject to room and rate availability.

A small portion of your room rate offsets the costs of the seminar.

## Cancellation/Refund Policy

The registration fee is fully refundable for cancellations received on or before May 17, 2021. Cancellations received after May 17, 2021 and on or before May 31, 2021, will receive a refund, less a \$100 processing fee. Cancellations made after May 31, 2021, will not receive a refund. All cancellations and requests for refunds must be made in writing. Fax 312.795.0747 or email [executivedirector@nebraskadefense.org](mailto:executivedirector@nebraskadefense.org). Processing of refunds will occur within four weeks after the date of the seminar. All refunds will be processed in the same manner that the payment was received. Substitutions may be made at any time without charge and must be submitted in writing.

## Questions

If you have any questions regarding the 2021 NDCA Annual Meeting please email [executivedirector@nebraskadefense.org](mailto:executivedirector@nebraskadefense.org) or call 312.795.1101.





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| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>NDCA Member</b>  | \$250 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>NDCA Discount Firm</b><br>(4th, 5th, 6th, etc., registration*)<br>* If more than 3 members of the same law firm register, then each additional member from that firm qualifies for the discounted rate.<br><i>Requires mail in registration.</i> | \$200 |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Silver</b><br>Includes one registration      | \$850   |

**Registration fee includes:** parking, wi-fi, electronic seminar materials, meals and refreshments provided throughout the day, followed by a complimentary social hour.

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Annual Meeting Exhibit Booth	\$750
Additional Exhibitor Representative	\$150 per person
Full-Page Annual Meeting Ad	\$750
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**Platinum: \$2,500** 6' table, 2 badges allowing event attendance with meals, sponsorship of a featured event (*example: reception, lunch, etc.*), recognition in convention materials, and company's name displayed as a Platinum Sponsor throughout the event. Platinum Sponsors are also supplied with an event registration list.

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NDCA Quarterly Webinar (logo on screen throughout event)	\$500
Full Page Ad in NDCA Newsletter (3 issues)	\$2,000
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Quarter-Page Ad in NDCA Newsletter (3 issues)	\$1,000

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