



PREMISES LIABILITY SEMINAR

October 5, 2018
State Bar of Georgia Center
Atlanta, GA

Presiding: *Michael J. Gorby*, Program Chair; Author, *Premises Liability in Georgia*; Gorby Peters & Associates, LLC, Atlanta.

Andrew T. Rogers, Co-Chair, Deitch & Rogers LLC.

7:30 **REGISTRATION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST** (All attendees must check in upon arrival. A jacket or sweater is recommended.)

8:05 **WELCOME AND PROGRAM OVERVIEW**
Mike Gorby

8:15 **VOIR DIRE, OPENING STATEMENT, CLOSING ARGUMENT: PLAINTIFF'S PERSPECTIVE IN THE TRIAL OF A NEGLIGENT SECURITY CASE**
Gilbert H. Deitch, Deitch & Rogers LLC, Atlanta
Andrew T. Rogers, Deitch & Rogers LLC, Atlanta

9:00 **UPDATE ON PREMISES LIABILITY CASES**
Michael J. Gorby, Gorby Peters & Associates, LLC, Atlanta.

9:40 **BREAK**

9:50 **MAXIMIZING DAMAGES IN A PREMISES LIABILITY CASE.**
Pete Law, Mike Moran, Law & Moran, Atlanta

10:30 **PRACTICE POINTERS IN DEFENDING A PREMISES LIABILITY CASE**
Jeff Wasick- Gray, Rust, St. Amand, Moffett & Brieske

11:00 **DAUBERT APPLIES TO PREMISES EXPERTS: DEALING WITH IT**
Mary Donne Peters, Author, *Expert Testimony in Georgia*; Gorby Peters & Associates, LLC, Atlanta

11:45 **LUNCH** (Included in registration fee) and Panel Discussion of common evidentiary problems in a premises liability case.

12:15 **SLIP AND FALL LAW: THE BASICS**
Tony C. Jones, Galloway, Johnson, Tompkins, Burr & Smith, PLC, Atlanta

12:45 **SOVEREIGN IMMUNITY ISSUES IN PROSECUTING A PREMISES LIABILITY CASE AGAINST A GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY.**
Matthew Cathey-Cathey and Strain, Cornelia.

1:15 **COMMON AND NOT SO COMMON CODE VIOLATIONS IN A PREMISES LIABILITY CASE-What To Look For At The Scene.**
Jeffrey H. Gross, Jeffrey Gross Premises Liability Consultant, Powder Springs

1:45 **BREAK**

1:55 **PROFESSIONALISM IN THE APPEAL OF A PREMISES CASE**
Hon. Carla Wong McMillian, Judge, Georgia Court of Appeals, Atlanta

2:55 **ADJOURN**