



Agenda

# Proceedings Involving Minors Before the Clerk

February 6-7, 2018

School of Government, Chapel Hill

## Tuesday, February 6

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9:15 a.m. Check-in

9:30 a.m. Welcome and Introductions  
*Sara DePasquale, UNC School of Government*  
*Meredith Smith, UNC School of Government*

9:45 a.m. **Minors in Court Proceedings: Establishing the Landscape and Where the Clerk Fits In**  
*Sara DePasquale*  
*Meredith Smith*

10:15 a.m. **Special Considerations Related to Minors in Proceedings**  
*Sara DePasquale*  
*Meredith Smith*

11:05 a.m. Break

11:15 a.m. **Legitimation**  
*Sara DePasquale*

12:15 p.m. Lunch (*Dining Hall*)

1:00 p.m. **Minor Guardianship**  
*Meredith Smith*  
*Lisa Smith, Procedural Helpdesk Specialist, NC Administrative Office of the Courts*

2:15 p.m. **Standby Guardianship of Minors**  
*Meredith Smith*

2:45 p.m. Break

- 3:00 p.m. **The Indian Child Welfare Act and its Application to Proceedings before the Clerk**  
*Sara DePasquale*
- 4:15 p.m. **Proceedings to Establish Facts of Birth**  
*Meredith Smith*
- 4:45 p.m. Adjourn

## **Wednesday, February 7**

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- 8:30 a.m. **Intestate Succession, A Brief Primer**  
*Meredith Smith*  
*Lisa Smith*
- 9:15 a.m. **Intestate Succession and Children Born Out of Wedlock**  
*Meredith Smith*  
*Sara DePasquale*
- 10:45 a.m. Break
- 11:00 a.m. **A Parent's Right to Inherit Intestate from a Child**  
*Meredith Smith*
- 12:15 p.m. Lunch (*Dining Hall*)
- 1:00 p.m. **Minor Settlement Agreements**  
*Ann Anderson, UNC School of Government*
- 1:45 p.m. Break
- 1:55 p.m. **Clerks Administration of Funds Owed to Minors**  
*Amy Funderburk, Assistant Legal Counsel, NC Administrative Office of the Courts*
- 3:00 p.m. Wrap-up and Evaluations
- 3:30 p.m. Adjourn