

GENERAL INFORMATION

JW MARRIOTT WASHINGTON, DC

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The JW Marriott Washington, DC is situated near our nation's most-recognizable landmarks with easy access to the National Mall, museums and other cultural venues such as the National Theatre and the Smithsonian American Art Museum and National Portrait Gallery. Located downtown, the hotel is around the corner from the White House, one block from the Metro and only 15 minutes from Reagan National Airport.

Reservations at the JW Marriott Washington, DC can be made either by phone at (800) 228-9290, or by accessing the American College of Trial Lawyers online hotel reservations page. A link to this website can be found on the College's website in the 2010 Annual Meeting section at www.actl.com. If making your hotel reservations by phone, you must mention you are with the American College of Trial Lawyers to receive our booking rate of \$329 per night. The government rate is \$226 per night.

AIRPORT ARRIVAL AND OTHER TRANSPORTATION

Ronald Reagan Washington National (DCA)

Distance: 4 miles | Estimated taxi fare: \$25 USD (one way)

Washington, DC/Dulles (IAD)

Distance: 27 miles | Estimated taxi fare: \$60 USD (one way)

Baltimore/Washington International

Thurgood Marshall Airport (BWI)

Distance: 40 miles | Estimated taxi fare: \$80 USD (one way)

Subway Station

Metro Center (red, blue, orange) | Distance: 2 miles

Train Station

Union Station | Distance: 2 miles

CLE PROGRAM

International Commercial Arbitration: What You Need to Know

Thursday, September 23, 2010 | 2:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.
Grand Ballroom - JW Marriott Washington, DC

To attend the CLE program, please make plans to arrive early in Washington. This Continuing Legal Education program is open to Fellows and registered spouses and guests at no additional cost, and we are pleased to offer the 3-hour program to non-fellows of the College for a \$125 registration fee. Non-Fellows wishing to attend *International Commercial Arbitration: What You Need to Know*, should download the 2010 Annual Meeting CLE Registration Form at www.actl.com for completion and return to the National Office by fax or mail.

To earn CLE credit, participants MUST sign attendance sheets prior to entering the Ballroom. Please arrive no later than 1:45 p.m. on Thursday. We regret we are unable to issue CLE credit after commencement of the program.

The seminar is designed for those with minimal knowledge of international commercial arbitration and for those with international arbitration practices. With globalization of business, all trial lawyers should anticipate issues governed by international arbitration dispute resolution clauses. The program will provide a nuts and bolts overview as well as an in-depth discussion including recent court decisions and practical problems frequently confronted in international arbitration.

WEATHER

Fall in Washington is generally warm with low humidity. The average high in September is 77°F (25°C), with an average low of 58°F (14°C).

RECOMMENDED READING BEFORE THE ANNUAL MEETING

The Lost Symbol by Dan Brown

The Challenge: Hamdan v. Rumsfeld and the Fight over Presidential Power by Jonathan Mahler

Sonia Sotomayor: First Hispanic U.S. Supreme Court Justice by Lisa Tucker McElroy

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