

# 2017-2018

## STATE BAR OF TEXAS and TEXAS YOUNG LAWYERS

### ASSOCIATION MASTER CALENDAR

2017

#### JUNE 2017

- 1 SBOT fiscal year begins
- 1 Due date for 2017 SBOT bar dues and legal services fee
- 1 Pro Bono Sections Challenge begins
- 1-2 Being An American—Amarillo
- 5-9 Hatton W. Sumners Institute on the Founding Documents 101—Mission ISD
- 6 Hatton W. Sumners Kids Are Citizens, Too!—Plano ISD
- 7-8 Hatton W. Sumners Celebrating Freedom—Plano ISD
- 7-8 Hatton W. Sumners The American History Challenge 8th & 11th Grades—Plano ISD
- 12-13 Hatton W. Sumners The American History Challenge 8th & 11th Grades—Leander ISD
- 12-14 Hatton W. Sumners Academy—Carrollton ISD
- 13 Posting deadline for agenda of June 21-22 SBOT Board of Directors Meeting
- 14-15 Hatton W. Sumners The American History Challenge 8th & 11th Grades—Rockwall ISD
- 19 Hatton W. Sumners Kids Are Citizens, Too!—Fort Worth-ESC 11
- 19-23 Hatton W. Sumners Celebrating Freedom—Fort Worth-ESC 11
- 20-22 TYLA State Moot Court Competition—Hilton Anatole, Dallas
- 21 New Directors Orientation—Hilton Anatole, Dallas
- 21-22 SBOT Board of Directors Meeting—Hilton Anatole, Dallas
- 22 Texas Commission for Lawyer Discipline Meeting—Hilton Anatole, Dallas
- 22-23 State Bar of Texas Annual Meeting—Hilton Anatole, Dallas
- 23 Texas Bar Foundation Board Meeting and Annual Dinner—Hilton Anatole, Dallas
- 23 TYLA Annual Meeting — Hilton Anatole, Dallas
- 24 TYLA New Directors Orientation— Hilton Anatole, Dallas
- 26-27 Hatton W. Sumners Student Teacher Institute—Austin
- 26-28 Hatton W. Sumners Institute on the Founding Documents 101-Wichita Falls-ESC 9
- 28-29 Hatton W. Sumners The American History Challenge 8th Grade—Wichita Falls-ESC 9
- 28-29 Hatton W. Sumners The American History Challenge 11th Grade— El Paso ISD
- 30 Deadline to receive nominations for 2017-2018 Leadership SBOT class

#### JULY 2017

- 4 Holiday—Independence Day (Texas Law Center closed)
- 7 TYLA grant applications mailed to all TYLA local affiliate presidents for the 2017-2018 Local Affiliate Grant Program
- 10 TYLA deadline to receive committee plan of action and budget request
- 10-11 Hatton W. Sumners The American History Challenge 8th & 11th Grades—Abilene-ESC 14
- 10-12 Hatton W. Sumners Academy—Mt. Pleasant-ESC-8
- 12 Texas Bar College Board of Directors Annual Meeting—Moody Gardens, Galveston
- 13-14 Hatton W. Sumners The American History Challenge 8th & 11th Grades—Kilgore-ESC 7
- 13-15 Texas Bar College Summer School—Moody Gardens, Galveston
- 14-16 TYLA Executive Committee Retreat
- 15 Texas Bar Foundation fall grant submission deadline
- 19-20 Hatton W. Sumners The American History Challenge 8th & 11th Grade—Houston ISD
- 24 New Section Chairs and Treasurers Orientation—Austin
- 24-25 Hatton W. Sumners The American History Challenge 8th & 11th Grade—Lubbock-ESC 17
- 28-29 SBOT Local Bar Leaders and TYLA Local Affiliates Conference—Westin Galleria, Houston
- 30 Hatton W. Sumners The American History Challenge 8th Grade—Houston-ESC 4
- \* Deadline for SBOT Board members to hold organizational meetings of grievance committees

## AUGUST 2017

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- 1 Hatton W. Sumners The American History Challenge 8th Grade—Houston-ESC 4
- 2-3 Being an American – Richardson
- 2-3 Hatton W. Sumners The American History Challenge 11th Grade—Houston-ESC 4
- 10-15 ABA/NABE/NCBP/NCBF and ABA/YLD annual meetings; House of Delegates—New York, NY
- 11 TYLA diversity scholarship applications and brochures mailed to all participating Texas ABA-accredited law schools
- 17 Texas Commission for Lawyer Discipline Meeting—Austin
- 18 TYLA deadline to receive grant applications for the 2017—2018 Local Affiliate Grant Program
- 28 TYLA deadline to receive first committee report
- 30 Posting deadline for September 7 Executive Committee Meeting

## SEPTEMBER 2017

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- 1 Suspension date for SBOT bar dues, and legal services fee delinquents
- 4 Holiday—Labor Day (Texas Law Center closed)
- 5-8 Annual Judicial Conference—Marriott Marquis, Houston
- 7 SBOT Executive Committee Meeting—Austin
- 8 Deadline for receipt of data to be included in packets for Sept. 21-22 SBOT Board of Directors Meeting
- 8 22nd Annual John Hemphill Dinner—Four Seasons Hotel, Austin
- 8-10 TYLA Board of Directors Meeting—Overton Hotel, Lubbock
- 13 Posting deadline for agenda of Sept. 21-22 SBOT Board of Directors Meeting
- 14 Texas Gavel Awards Luncheon—Hilton Austin Hotel, Austin
- 14 Texas Commission for Lawyer Discipline Meeting—Austin
- 21-22 SBOT Board of Directors Meeting—Overton Hotel, Lubbock (Note: Candidates for SBOT 2018-2019 Chair of the Board election need to inform the current Chair, in writing and prior to the Jan. BOD meeting, of their intent to run)
- 27-29 Pro Bono Coordinators Retreat—Austin
- 28-30 LeadershipSBOT

\*\* Solicitation of nominations for Texas Access to Justice Commission Law Student and Law School Commitment to Service Awards

## OCTOBER 2017

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- 2 Deadline for standing committees to submit projects and objectives for 2017-2018
- 2 TYLA grant checks mailed to TYLA local affiliate grant recipients
- 2 Texas Lawyers Auxiliary Meeting
- 5-8 ABA/YLD Fall Conference—Denver, CO
- 6 TYLA deadline to receive TYLA minority scholarship applications
- 19 Texas Commission for Lawyer Discipline Meeting—Austin
- 19-22 ABA Southern Conference of Bar Presidents—Memphis, TN
- 22-28 National Pro Bono Week Celebration
- 26-27 Texas Bar Foundation Trustees Meeting—Austin
- 27 Council of Chairs—Austin
- \*\* ATJ Justice for All Reception

## NOVEMBER 2017

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- 3 Bar exam results released (tentative)
- 6 TYLA deadline to receive second committee report
- 8-10 Texas Minority Counsel Program—Sheraton, Austin
- 10 Holiday—Veterans Day (Texas Law Center closed)
- 16 Texas Commission for Lawyer Discipline Meeting—Austin
- 17-19 TYLA Board of Directors Meeting—Four Seasons Hotel, Houston
- 20 New Lawyers Induction Ceremony—Frank Erwin Center, Austin
- 23-24 Holiday—Thanksgiving (Texas Law Center closed)

## DECEMBER 2017

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- 8 SBOT Holiday Party—Texas Law Center, Austin
- 8 President-elect nominee interviews—Austin
- 15 Deadline for receipt of SBOT minority director applications
- 25-26 Holiday—Christmas (Texas Law Center closed)
- 31 Pro Bono College 2017 enrollment period ends
- \*\* FY 2018-2019 Budget Committee Hearing—Texas Law Center, Austin

**JANUARY 2018**

- 1 Pro Bono College 2018 enrollment period begins
- 1 Solicitation begins for State Bar Pro Bono Excellence Awards and Indigent Defense Awards
- 1 Holiday—New Year’s Day (Texas Law Center closed)
- 2 TYLA deadline to receive third committee report
- 3 Posting deadline for January 11 Executive Committee meeting
- 5-7 TYLA Board of Directors Meeting—The George Hotel – College Station
- 8 Texas Gavel Awards call for entries
- 9 TYLA officer ballots mailed to TYLA Board of Directors
- 10-11 Texas Bar Foundation Trustees Meeting—Fort Worth
- 11 SBOT Executive Committee Meeting—Austin
- 12 Deadline for receipt of data to be included in packets for Jan. 25-26 SBOT Board of Directors Meeting
- 15 Texas Bar Foundation deadline for nominations for achievement awards
- 15 Texas Bar Foundation spring grant submission deadline
- 15 Holiday—Martin Luther King Jr. Day (Texas Law Center closed)
- 17 Posting deadline for agenda of Jan. 25-26 SBOT Board of Directors Meeting
- 24 TYLA officer election results announced
- 25 Texas Commission for Lawyer Discipline —Hyatt Hill Country, San Antonio
- 25-26 SBOT Board of Directors Meeting—Hyatt Hill Country, San Antonio
- 26-27 Law-Related Education Conference 2018
- 31- 6 ABA/NABE/NCBP/NCBF and ABA/YLD midyear meetings; House of Delegates—Vancouver, British Columbia

**FEBRUARY 2018**

- 1 TYLA director nomination petitions appear in the *Texas Bar Journal* and are mailed to outgoing TYLA directors and local affiliate presidents
- 1 TYLA notice of Minority At-Large Director Place 2 election mailed to all TYLA Board of Directors, local affiliates, minority bar associations, and *Texas Bar Journal*
- 1 TYLA Outstanding Young Lawyer of Texas Award, Liberty Bell Award, and Outstanding Mentor Award rules and criteria mailed to TYLA local affiliate presidents, local bars, and minority bars
- 15 Texas Commission for Lawyer Discipline Meeting—Austin
- 19 Holiday—Presidents Day (Texas Law Center closed)
- 23 Council of Chairs—Austin
- 28 Posting deadline for March 8 Executive Committee meeting

- \*\* Solicitation of nominations for Texas Access to Justice Commission’s James B. Sales Boots on the Ground Award
- \*\* Deadline for State Bar Pro Bono Excellence Awards and Indigent Defense Awards

**MARCH 2018**

- 1 SBOT and TYLA President-elect nominees’ campaigns begin outside of their offices
- 1 Filing deadline for nominating petitions for SBOT and TYLA President-elect and director positions
- 1-3 LeadershipSBOT
- 2 Drawing for positions on the ballot—President’s Conference Room, Texas Law Center, Austin
- 5 TYLA notice of ABA/YLD District 25 Representative election mailed to all ABA/YLD District 25 affiliate presidents
- 5 TYLA notice to all TYLA local affiliate presidents announcing deadlines for the TYLA and the ABA/YLD Award of Achievement competition
- 5 TYLA Joseph M. Pritchard Inn membership application mailed to all past and present officers and directors of TYLA
- 5 Texas Lawyers Auxiliary Meeting
- 8 SBOT Executive Committee Meeting—Austin
- 14-16 ABA Bar Leadership Institute—Chicago, IL
- 16 TYLA deadline to receive completed nomination forms for the Minority At-Large Director Place 2 election
- 19 TYLA deadline to receive completed nomination forms for the ABA/YLD District 25 Representative election
- 21 TYLA ballots for the ABA/YLD District 25 Representative election mailed to all ABA/YLD District 25 affiliate presidents
- 21-24 ABA Western State Bar Conference—TBD
- 24 Texas Commission for Lawyer Discipline Meeting—Austin
- 29 Deadline for receipt of Law Day contest entries from local bar associations
- \*\* TYLA National Trial Competition—TBD
- \*\* Public hearing on FY 2018-2019 Budget—Texas Law Center, Austin

**APRIL 2018**

- 2 Deadline for receipt of SBOT Annual Meeting Resolutions
- 2 Deadline for receipt of nominations for ABA delegates
- 2 Texas Gavel Awards submissions deadline
- 2 TYLA deadline to receive Liberty Bell Award, Outstanding Young Lawyer, and Outstanding Mentor Award of Texas applications

## APRIL 2018 (cont.)

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- 2 Distribution of SBOT and TYLA paper and electronic election ballots
- 4 TYLA deadline to receive completed ballots for the ABA/YLD District 25 Representative election (5 p.m.)
- 12-13 Texas Bar Foundation Trustees Meeting—Austin
- 13 Deadline for receipt of data to be included in packets for April 26-27 SBOT Board of Directors Meeting
- 17-19 ABA Days—Washington, D.C.
- 18 Posting deadline for agenda of April 26-27 SBOT Board of Directors Meeting
- 23 TYLA deadline to receive entries for the TYLA State Award of Achievement competition
- 26 Texas Commission for Lawyer Discipline Meeting—Omni Hotel, Fort Worth
- 26-27 SBOT Board of Directors Meeting—Omni Hotel, Fort Worth (Note: Announcement of Chair of the Board election results and minority director appointment)
- 28 Deadline for receipt of Stars of Texas Bars Awards entry form from local bar associations
- 30 Annual SBOT bar dues, and legal services fee statements mailed
- 30 TYLA deadline to receive fourth committee report
- \*\* Champions of Justice Firm Competition
- \*\* Poverty Law Conference—moved to Fall 2018. Visit [www.texabar.com/plc](http://www.texabar.com/plc)
- \*\* Solicitation of nominations for Texas Access to Justice Commission Corporate Counsel Pro Bono, Deborah G. Hankinson, and Pro Bono Service Awards

## MAY 2018

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- 1 Law Day
- 1 Deadline for standing committee and section year-end reports
- 1 Deadline for receipt of nominations for Presidents' Award (due from committees and sections/local bar associations)
- 1 Deadline for receipt of SBOT and TYLA President-elect and director ballots (5 p.m.)—Texas Law Center, Austin
- 2 Election results announced for SBOT and TYLA President-elect and director races
- 4 Bar Exam Results released (tentative)
- 4-6 TYLA Board Meeting—Horseshoe Bay Resort, Horseshoe Bay
- 7 TYLA local affiliate grant reports due
- 10-13 ABA/YLD Spring Conference—Louisville, KY
- 14 New Lawyers Induction Ceremony—Frank Erwin Center, Austin (tentative)
- 14 ABA/YLD deadline to receive entries for the ABA/YLD National Award of Achievement competition
- 17 Texas Commission for Lawyer Discipline Meeting—Austin

- 28 Holiday—Memorial Day (Texas Law Center closed)
- 31 Pro Bono Sections Challenge ends

- \*\* SBOT 2018-2019 Budget Presentation—Texas Supreme Court, Austin

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- 1 SBOT fiscal year begins
- 1 Due date for 2018 SBOT bar dues, and legal services fee
- 1 Pro Bono Sections Challenge begins
- 4 Deadline for receipt of data to be included in packets for June 20-21 SBOT Board of Directors Meeting
- 12 Posting deadline for agenda of June 20-21 SBOT Board of Directors Meeting
- 19-21 TYLA State Moot Court Competition—Houston
- 20 SBOT New Directors Orientation—Marriott Marquis, Houston
- 20-21 SBOT Board of Directors Meeting—Marriott Marquis, Houston
- 21-22 State Bar of Texas Annual Meeting—Marriott Marquis, Houston
- 21 Texas Commission for Lawyer Discipline Meeting—Marriott Marquis, Houston
- 21 ATJ Champions of Justice Society Reception — Houston
- 22 Texas Bar Foundation Board Meeting and Annual Dinner—Marriott Marquis, Houston
- 22 TYLA Annual Meeting – Marriott Marquis, Houston
- 23 TYLA New Directors Orientation—Marriott Marquis, Houston
- \*\* SBOT Executive Committee Meeting

## FUTURE DATES — Tentative: 2018

- July 15 Texas Bar Foundation fall grant submission deadline
- July 20-21 SBOT Local Bar Leaders and TYLA Local Affiliates Conference—Westin Galleria, Houston
- Aug. 2-7 ABA/NABE/NCBP/NCBF and ABA/YLD annual meetings; House of Delegates—Chicago, IL
- Aug. 16 Texas Commission for Lawyer Discipline Meeting—Austin
- Sept. 7 23rd Annual John Hemphill Dinner—Four Seasons Hotel, Austin
- Oct. 1 Texas Lawyers Auxiliary Meeting
- Oct. 18-19 Texas Minority Counsel Program – Westin Memorial City, Houston
- Nov. 19 New Lawyers Induction Ceremony—Frank Erwin Center, Austin
- \*\* Poverty Law Conference — Austin
- \*\* Indicates dates to be announced