



DISTRICT COURT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS
FIFTH ANNUAL DISTRICT CONFERENCE
Frenchman's Reef & Morning Star Marriott Beach Resort * St. Thomas, Virgin Islands
Tuesday, January 21, 2014

Chief Judge Wilma A. Lewis is pleased to announce the Fifth Annual District Conference of the District Court of the Virgin Islands. **7.5 CLE credits** will be awarded, including **1.0 ethics** credit.

Highlights of the program will include presentations from some of the most well-respected and sought after legal scholars in the country. Among the distinguished presenters are the following:

Presenters: **Prof. Erwin Chemerinsky**, Dean, University of California, Irving School of Law, renowned constitutional law and civil rights scholar, will present the Keynote Speech: *"The Future of Civil Rights: Reflections on the 50th Anniversary of the 1964 Civil Rights Act and the 60th Anniversary of Brown v. Board of Education,"* as well as his popular *"Supreme Court Round-Up."*

Prof. Bryan A. Garner, Editor of *Black's Law Dictionary* and preeminent authority on legal writing, will address conferees on *"Writing to Win."* He will use his book, *Legal Writing in Plain English*, Second Edition, as a teaching aid in his presentation. The book will be available to conferees at a discounted price of \$14.00, payable with the submission of the Registration Form.

Prof. Geoffrey C. Hazard, Jr., Emeritus Professor of Law, University of California Hastings College of the Law, a leading scholar on legal ethics, will speak on *"Diligence or Zeal? The Model Rules' Constraints on Advocacy."*

To Register: Please visit www.vid.uscourts.gov

Registration Deadline: **Friday, January 3, 2014 at 5:00 p.m.** Registration and payment must be hand delivered or postmarked by January 3rd. Registrations received or postmarked after January 3rd will be deemed late and accepted on a space available basis.

		<u>Standard</u>	<u>Late Reg.</u>
Registration Fees: (includes breakfast, lunch & reception)	District Court Bar Members	\$ 90	\$100
	Other Bar Members	\$100	\$110
	Judges & Non-Attorneys	\$ 80	

Purchase Prof. Bryan Garner's *Legal Writing in Plain English*, 2d ed., to be used in his presentation, at discounted price of \$14.00. Books may be purchased only in advance.

Hotel Reservations: Deadline: Tuesday, December 31, 2013. Go to Frenchman's Reef and Morning Star Marriott Beach Resort website for online reservations at: [Hotel Reservations](#) or call 1-800-524-2000 and ask for the District Court Conference Group Rate.