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THE FLORIDA BAR Terms are for one year

President Hawkins appoints committee chairs

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The Florida Bar president Scott Hawkins has appointed the 2011-12 committee chairs for a one-year term.

The committees consider issues on their specific area of law. They also look at legislation and will often make recommendations on the law to the board of governors. The following South Florida lawyers were appointed:

Admiralty Law Committee: Matthew John Valcourt, shareholder of Fowler White Burnett in Miami.

Annual Convention Committee: Juliet Murphy Roulhac, senior attorney of Florida Power & Light in Miami.

Aviation Law Certification Committee: David M. McDonald of McDonald & McDonald in Miami.

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Board of Legal Specialization & Education: Terry L. Fogel, partner of Fogel Rubin & Fogel in Miami.

Civil Trial Law Certification Committee: Jeffrey Michael Cohen, shareholder of Carlton Fields in Miami.

Code & Rules of Evidence Committee: Alicia M. Menendez, of counsel with Shook Hardy & Bacon in Miami.

Florida Bar Journal/News Editorial Board: Serraya Magdalena Salages, associate of Berk Merchant & Sims in Coral Gables.

Florida Probate Rules Committee: John Christopher Moran, shareholder of Gunster in West Palm Beach, and Tasha K. Dickinson, officer of Jones Foster Johnston & Stubbs in West Palm Beach.

Committee on Judicial Independence: Merrick Lawrence Gross, shareholder of Carlton Fields in Miami.

Judicial Nominating Procedures Committee: Kara Berard Roekenbach, partner of Meise & Roekenbach in West Palm Beach.

Juvenile Court Rules Committee: Joel Michael Silverstein, Assistant State Attorney of the Broward County State Attorney's Office in Fort Lauderdale.

Law Related Education Committee: Peter DiPace Jr., managing member of Florida Legal Online in Miami.

Pro Bono Legal Service Committee: Corali Lopez-Castro, shareholder of Kozyak Tropin & Throckmorton in Miami.

Professional Ethics Committee: Gary Steve Betensky, shareholder of Richman Greer in West Palm Beach.

Rules of Judicial Administration Committee: Keith H. Park, a solo practitioner in West Palm Beach.

Small Claims Rules Committee: Judson Lee Cohen, a solo practitioner in Miami.

Wills Trusts & Estates Certification Committee: Paul Byron McCawley, a shareholder of Greenberg Traurig in Fort Lauderdale.

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