# Hon. William C. Conner Inn of Court

11th Annual Reception and Dinner

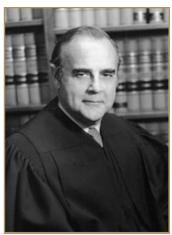


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# The Honorable William C. Conner

Mission of the Hon. William C. Conner Inn of Court, to promote excellence in professionalism, ethics, civility, and legal skills for judges, lawyers, academicians, and students of law and to advance the education of the members of the Conner Inn, the members of the bench

and bar, and the public in the fields of intellectual property.





At the Inaugural Dinner in 2009, members of the Conner Inn presented Mrs. Janice Files Conner with a bouquet of her favorite flowers - yellow roses. Honorable William C. Conner passed away on July 9, 2009 and Mrs. Janice Files Conner passed away on September 12, 2011. The Conner Inn continues to commemorate Mrs. Conner every year with yellow roses on each table at the Annual Dinner.

## Program

6:00 PM Reception 7:00 PM Dinner

# Congratulations to

The 2019 Conner Inn Excellence Award Honorees

Hon. Raymond J. Chen
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Dinner Committee Jeffrey M. Butler, Melvin C. Garner, and Ksenia Takhistova

# Message from the Conner Inn Executive Committee Chair

Welcome to the 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Reception and Dinner of the Hon. William C. Conner Inn of Court. It is incredible to think that 10 years have passed since Judge Conner and Mrs. Conner were with us here at The Union League Club for our Inaugural Dinner. Fortunately for us, we in the Intellectual Property community benefited from judge Conner's generosity in sharing his time and talents with all of us over the years as a jurist, patent attorney, and as a role model.

This year, we are very proud to present the 2019 Conner Inn Excellence Awards to three outstanding jurists -- Hon. Raymond T. Chen, Circuit Judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit; Hon. Richard J. Sullivan, Circuit Judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit; and Hon. Kiyo A. Matsumoto, District Judge of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York -- for their dedication to the promotion of excellence in our profession.

Please enjoy this commemorative journal, including biographies of our award recipients and an article written by Melvin C. Garner which highlights the many excellent programs that were presented by judges, senior lawyers, junior lawyers, and law student members of the Conner Inn during its tenth year of substantive IP programs. 2018 was a great year and we are looking forward to a phenomenal 2019 as we continue to build on Judge Conner's legacy of excellence and professionalism through the enthusiasm of our membership.

As chair of the Executive Committee, I would like to thank our Conner Inn President and Counselor, Hon. J. Paul Oetken and Hon. Roslynn R. Mauskopf, respectively, for their continued leadership; the other members of the Executive Committee: Jeffrey M. Butler, Melvin C. Garner, and Patrice P. Jean for their commitment; Jeffrey M. Butler, Melvin C. Garner, and Ksenia Takhistova for coordinating this event and putting together this commemorative journal; Hon. Richard Linn for his vision and initiative; and each of you for your enthusiastic support of the Conner Inn and its mission to promote professionalism, legal skills, ethics and civility in the practice of intellectual property law which Judge Conner exemplified. I am confident that Judge Conner would have been proud of the past accomplishments and future direction of the Conner Inn.

Anthony Giaccio

Executive Committee Chair

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- Hon. Timothy B. Dyk, U.S. Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit
- Hon. Richard Linn, U.S. Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit
- Hon. Pauline Newman, U.S. Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit
- Hon. Jimmie V. Reyna, US. Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit
- Hon. Paul R. Michel, U.S. Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit (Ret.)

# Hon. William C. Conner Inn of Court

# Activities for the Year 2017-2018



he Haven Rooftop bar at the Sanctuary Hotel in mid-town was the scene of the Conner Inn's kick off reception for the year. It was held on October 5, **2017**. Space was set aside for this annual event. which is free for Inn members, law judges,

clerks and government employees. It was a pleasant fall evening and members of the Conner Inn could meet each other, Federal Circuit judges and judges from the local District Court over cocktails from an open bar, and great conversation.

The first substantive meeting was held on October 25, 2017, at the Thurgood Marshall U.S. Courthouse, involved an old favorite activity, playing the IP Dating Game. The game is modeled on the old TV show but demonstrates the process of outside counsel pitching for business and in-house counsel choosing representation. This program explored the ethical and tactical issues when fictional outside counsel compete as contestants for the affection of in-house counsel, but in a game show format. Judge J. Paul Oetken and Conner Inn member Candice Hebden-Osanto played the parts of the client or in-house counsel. Conner Inn members Thomas J. Meloro and Patrice P. Jean acted as one



team of outside counsel and Robert Curcio and Michael Sander played the other team

On November 14, 2017, the Conner Inn held a New Member Orientation at the Thurgood Marshall U.S. Courthouse.

The orientation was carried out by Anthony Giaccio, Chair of the Inn's Executive Committee. He discussed the goals of the Conner Inn, as well as programming and professional development activities.

Following the New Member Orientation, the Conner Inn presented a mock argument to the U.S. Supreme Court in the *Oil States* case, which asked the Court to decide the constitutionality of the Patent Office's Inter-Partes Review Procedure. Judge Oetken acted as the Court. Inn members Jacob Baldinger, Melvin C. Garner, Anthony F. Lo Cicero, and Stuart E. Pollock shared the argument. At the end of the program, the participants acted as a panel and took questions form the audience.

On December 7, 2017, the Conner Inn held a holiday party at the India House at which the Patent Pilot Program Judges of the Eastern and Southern Districts of New York were honored. Chief Judge Dora L. Irizarry of the Eastern District of New York and Chief Judge Colleen McMahon of the Southern District of New York presented the Conner Inn Patent Pilot Program Awards to the judges and magistrate judges of the two districts.



The Conner Inn held the 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Conner Reception and Dinner on January 17, 2018, at The Union League Club. Thirty federal judges attended. At the dinner, the Conner Inn presented the Justice Awards to the Senior Judges of the Second Circuit, and the Eastern and Southern Districts of New York. In attendance to receive the awards were Hon. Gerard E. Lynch, Hon. Richard C. Wesley, Hon. Carol Bagley Amon, Hon. Eric N. Vitaliano, Hon. P. Kevin Castel, and the Hon. Loretta A. Preska. A Conner Inn Excellence Award was presented to Judge Pierre N.

Leval of the Second Circuit by Conner Inn President, Judge J. Paul Oetken. An Excellence Award was also presented to Judge Jimmie V. Reyna of the Federal Circuit by Judge Richard Linn of the Federal Circuit.

An Associate and Student Mentoring Program was presented by the Conner Inn on February 7, 2018, at the Thurgood Marshall U.S. Courthouse. At the meeting, Judge J. Paul Oetken and Judge Roslynn R. Mauskopf provided advice and answered questions from young associates and law school students in the form of a Fireside Chat and Reception. This program was a wonderful opportunity for students and associates to meet two U.S. District Court Judges in a casual and informative open Q&A format.



The Conner Inn put on a substantive program on February 15, 2018, was entitled "PTAB Ins and Outs with USPTO APJs." The speakers were Hon. Thomas Giannetti, Lead Administrative Patent Judge (APJ) of the Patent Trial and Appeal Board of the U.S. Patent and

Trademark Office. Also, on the panel were the Hon. Donna Praiss, APJ, and Hon. Kimberly McGraw, APJ. The panel gave insights into the Inter-partes Review (IPR) process and answered questions from the audience.

The Conner Inn scheduled a program entitled "Policy Focus on Damages, Eligibility and IPRs" featuring Hon. Paul Michel, former Chief Judge of the Federal Circuit Court of Appeals. The program was to take place on March 21, 2018. However, because of a major snow storm, it was postponed until the fall.

Prior to the New York Intellectual Property Association's Annual Dinner in Honor of the Federal Judiciary on March 23, 2018, the Inn hosted a Linn Inn Alliance Reception. At the reception, the Alliance presented its Linn Inn Alliance 2018 Distinguished Service Medals to four members of the Linn Inn Alliance. Amy Gallup Klann, who is a member of the Conner Inn and the Tokyo Inn was one of the recipients.

The Conner Inn's annual "Jury Deliberation with Inner-City Scholar Fund High School Student Jurors was held on April 11, 2018. As in the past, the presentation featured mock closing arguments before a jury of high school students. This year the case was *Waymo v. Uber*, a trade secret case involving the technology for self-driving cars. The actual case was pending in the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of California and it settled before a jury verdict with Uber giving Waymo a stake in Uber valued at \$245 million.

On April 25, 2018, the Conner Inn held a Solo/Small Firm Practice Mentoring Program at the Courthouse. The program was presented by Inn Executive Committee Chairman Anthony Giaccio. It focused mainly on engagement letters and the New York Professional Conduct rules.



The Conner Inn hosted a cocktail reception May 2, 2018, following the Joint Patent Practice CLE (JPPCLE) program.

A meeting on May 22, 2018, featured another old favorite, the "IP Jeopardy" program. This educational program challenged participants' knowledge of Federal Circuit patent cases, New York judges, old school judges, post-grant proceedings, and legendary trademarks in the



form of a game. This fun and informative program was organized by Conner Inn members Bruce Abramson, Jeffery M. Butler, Melvin C. Garner, Andrew Gilbert, and Margaret Mortimer.

Melvin C. Garner

Executive Committee Member

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Hon. Richard J. Sullivan

Circuit Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals, Second Circuit

Hon. Kiyo A. Matsumoto

District Judge, U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York

United States Court of Appeal

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Hon. Gary R. Brown, Magistrate Judge
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Hon. Jesse M. Furman, District Judge
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Hon. Katherine H. Parker, Magistrate Judge
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# Hon. Raymond T. Chen

U.S. Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit



Raymond T. Chen is a Circuit Judge on the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit. Judge Chen was appointed by President Barack Obama in 2013, unanimously confirmed by the Senate on August 1, 2013, and assumed his office on August 5, 2013.

Judge Chen previously served as Deputy General Counsel for Intellectual Property Law and Solicitor at the United States Patent and Trademark Office from 2008 to 2013.

He was an Associate Solicitor in that office from 1998 to 2008. From 1996 to 1998, Judge Chen served a Technical Assistant at the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit. Before joining the court staff, from 1994 to 1996 Judge Chen was an associate with the firm of Knobbe, Martens, Olson & Bear in Orange County, California. Before law school, Judge Chen worked as a scientist at the law firm of Hecker & Harriman from 1989 to 1991. Judge Chen received his J.D. from the New York University School of Law in 1994 and his B.S. in Electrical Engineering from University of California, Los Angeles in 1990.

# Honoree Hon. Richard J. Sullivan

U.S. Court of Appeals, Second Circuit



Richard J. Sullivan was sworn in as a Circuit Court Judge for the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit in October 2018. Before that, Judge Sullivan served for eleven years as a United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York. Prior to becoming a judge, he served as the General Counsel and Managing Director of Marsh Inc., the world's risk management leading insurance brokerage firm. From 1994 to 2005, he served as an Assistant United States Attornev

Southern District of New York, where he was Chief of the International Narcotics Trafficking Unit and Director of the New York/New Jersey Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Task Force. In 2003, he was awarded the Henry L. Stimson Medal from the Association of the Bar of the City of New York. In 1998, he was named the Federal Law Enforcement Association's Prosecutor of the Year.

Prior to joining the United States Attorney's Office, he was a litigation associate at Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz in New York and a law clerk to the Honorable David M. Ebel of the United States Court of Appeals for the 10<sup>th</sup> Circuit. He is a graduate of Yale Law School, the College of William & Mary, and the Chaminade High School of Long Island. From 1986 to 1987, he served as a New York City Urban Fellow under New York City Police Commissioner Benjamin Ward. Judge Sullivan is on the executive board of the New York American Inn of Court and the Center for Law and Religion at St. John's University School of Law. He is an adjunct professor at Columbia Law School, where he teaches courses on sentencing and jurisprudence, and he previously served as an adjunct professor at Fordham Law School, where he taught courses on white collar crime and trial advocacy and was named Adjunct Professor of the Year.

# Hon. Kiyo A. Matsumoto

U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York



Kiyo A. Matsumoto was appointed as a United States District Judge for the Eastern District of New York in July 2008, after serving as a United States Magistrate Judge for the Eastern District of New York since July 2004. She earned her bachelor's degree with high honors from the University of California at Berkeley. Following her graduation from Georgetown University Law Center. Judge Matsumoto was a litigation associate in Seattle, Washington. Thereafter, she joined the United States Attorney's

Office for the Eastern District of New York as an Assistant United States Attorney, where she served as a Deputy Chief, First Deputy Chief and Chief of the Civil Division. Judge Matsumoto has taught at the Attorney General's Advocacy Institute, and was an adjunct professor at Brooklyn Law School and New York University School of Law. She also has served as a trustee and vice chair of the board of the Federal Bar Council, a member of the Judiciary Committee, the Federal Courts Committee, chair of the Nominating Committee and Honors Committee of the New York City Bar Association, Vice Chair of the Mayor's Committee on City Marshals, and a member of the Asian American Bar Association of New York, National Asian Pacific American Bar Association, the United States-Japan Council, Japanese American Association, the American Inn of Court, the American Bar Association Standards Review Committee and the National Conference of Bar Examiners.

# Previous Recipients of the

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#### 2016

Hon. Timothy B. Dyk, U.S. Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit

#### 2015

Hon. Denny Chin, U.S. Court of Appeals, Second Circuit Hon. Sharon Prost, U.S. Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit

#### 2014

Hon. Robert A. Katzmann, U.S. Court of Appeals, Second Circuit Hon. Richard Linn, U.S. Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit

#### 2013

Hon. Barbara Jones, U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York Hon. Colleen McMahon, U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York

#### 2012

Hon. Carol Bagley Amon, U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York Hon. Pauline Newman, U.S. Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit Hon. Kimba M. Woods, U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York

#### 2011

Hon. Dennis Jacobs, U.S. Court of Appeals, Second Circuit

#### 2010

Hon. Raymond J. Dearie, U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York Hon. Loretta A. Preska, U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York Hon. Paul R. Michel, U.S. Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit

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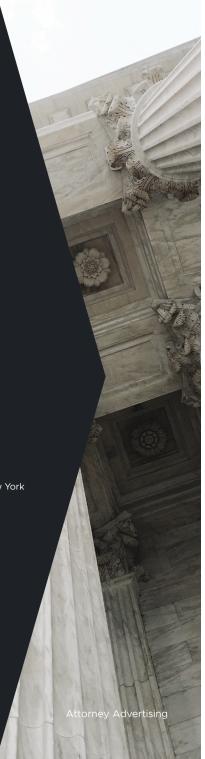
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