

2024 MSPB Summit Agenda

October 29, 2024

(Revised October 17, 2024)

10:00 AM – 10:05 AM	Welcome
10:05 AM – 10:45 AM	State of the Board <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cathy A. Harris, Chair, U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board
10:45 AM – 11:45 AM	Case Law Update <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chris Burton, General Attorney, U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board• Liridona Sinani, Trial Attorney, Commercial Litigation Branch, U.S. Department of Justice, Civil Division
11:45 AM – 12:00 PM	Networking Break
12:00 PM – 12:45 PM	A Conversation with The Honorable Todd M. Hughes, Circuit Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit Moderator: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Galina Fomenkova, Trial Attorney, Commercial Litigation Branch, U.S. Department of Justice, Civil Division
12:45 PM – 2:00 PM	Lunch
2:00 PM – 2:15 PM	Insights from MSPB Vice-Chair Raymond A. Limon
2:15 PM – 3:15 PM	Practitioners Forum: Back to the Future—The Reality of Litigating Cases that Return After Several Years Moderator: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Victoria Harrison, Attorney-Advisor, U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board Panelists: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Monique Binswanger, Administrative Judge, U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board• John Koerner, Attorney, U.S. Department of Homeland Security• Kevin Owen, Partner, Gilbert Employment Law, P.C.

3:15 PM – 3:45 PM

Views from OPM on Settlement Agreements

- Roxann Johnson, Attorney-Advisor,
U.S. Office of Personnel Management

3:45 PM – 4:00 PM

Networking Break

4:00 PM – 4:55 PM

Point-Counterpoint

- Dana DeLorenzo, Attorney-Advisor, Office of Appeals Counsel,
U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board
- Steve Kostkowski, Attorney-Advisor, U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board

4:55 PM – 5:00 PM

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