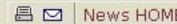
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News and Notes

Victoria Mendez, assistant city attorney, City of Miami, spoke at the FAWL-CABA Luncheon Careers in Public Service hosted by Akerman Senterfitt.

Stuart A. Goldstein of Stuart A. Goldstein, P.A., in Miami, presented a seminar "What To Do When The FAA Calls" to a group of pilots sponsored by The 99s and Cloud Dancers at Broward Community College.

Kevin Darken of Cohen & Foster in Tampa received the "Distinguished District Chairman Award" at the Boy Scouts of America's Gulf Ridge Council annual recognition banquet.

Lori Killinger of Lewis, Longman & Walker in Tallahassee presented a legislative update at the St. Johns County Chamber of Commerce Economic Development Council Quarterly Breakfast in St. Augustine.

Brian E. Smith of GrayRobinson in Orlando enrolled as a member of Leadership Orlando.

Gregory C. Yadley of Shumaker, Loop & Kendrick in Tampa participated in two panel presentations at the ABA's Business Law Section Spring Meeting in Las Vegas: "Current Securities Law Issues for Small Business" and "Perspectives on Regulatory Reform for Small and Mid-sized Companies: Change Is in the Air."

Stephen W. Buckley of Goldstein, Buckley, Cechman, Rice & Purtz in Ft. Myers presented "From Here to Eternity: Life Planning" at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church.

John Little, of Legal Services of Greater Miami Inc.'s community economic development advocacy director, received the 2012 Leadership Award from the South Florida Community Development Corporation.

Alan Carroll (A.C.) Nash of Marshall, Dennehey, Warner, Coleman & Goggin in Ft. Lauderdale has been elected vice president of the Ft. Lauderdale Community Development Corporation.

Jane Kreusler-Walsh of Kreusler-Walsh, Compiani & Vargas in West Palm Beach moderated a panel titled "What Appellate Judges Want Trial Lawyers to Know" at "A View from the Bench," a South Florida Trial Lawyers Conference presented by the *Daily Business Review* in Ft. Lauderdale.

Manny Diaz of Lydecker Diaz in Miami served as a panelist at the Women's Impact Conference & Luncheon hosted by the City of Miami Gardens in honor of Women's History Month and in conjunction with the 7th Annual Jazz in the Gardens music festival. The luncheon seeks to empower women to take essential time for self-discovery, while pursuing a joyful life full of endless possibilities.