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- Gaming Commission Members
- Casino Owners and Operators
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Gaming law intersects many areas of legal and political practice, from administrative law and litigation, to complex commercial transactions and financings, to Capital Hill and state capital lobbying.

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Thursday, Jan. 7, 2010

8:30 Welcome and Opening Remarks
Gabriel S. Galanda, Program Co-Chair
Williams Kastner PLLC
David A. Malone, Program Co-Chair
Miller Malone & Tellefson PS
Robert M. Tull, Program Co-Chair
Langabeer & Tull PS

8:45 National & Northwest Gaming Litigation Update

- Indian Country

Scott Crowell
Crowell Law Offices

- Washington

David A. Malone
Miller Malone & Tellefson PS

- Oregon

Stephanie L. Striffler, Senior Asst. AG
*Oregon Department of Justice,
Office of the Attorney General, Salem, OR*

- Idaho

Brian McClatchey
Coeur d'Alene Casino Resort Hotel, Worley, ID

10:30 Break

10:45 National & Northwest Gaming Legislation Update

Dolores A. Chiechi, Exec. Dir.
Recreational Gaming Association

Christine M. Masse
Miller Nash LLP

Quanah M. Spencer
Williams Kastner PLLC

12:00 Lunch (on your own)

1:00 Conversation between NIGA and the New NIGC

George T. Skibine
Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary
of Indian Affairs & the Acting Chairman,
National Indian Gaming Commission

Mark Van Norman, Exec. Dir.
National Indian Gaming Association

1:45 Northwest Tribal Leaders Roundtable

Ernest J. Stebbins, Exec. Dir., Moderator
Washington Indian Gaming Association

Leonard Forsman, Chairman
The Suquamish Tribal Council

Samuel N. Penney, Chairman
Nez Perce Tribe, Idaho

Allen J. Tovey, Casino General Manager
Wildhorse Resort & Casino

2:30 Break

2:45 Carcieri: What Now?

Carcieri Fix Update, How the Decision Impacts
Indian Gaming

W. Ron Allen, Chairman/CEO
Washington Indian Gaming Association

Paula Hart, Acting Dir.
Office of Indian Gaming, Bureau of Indian Affairs

Scott Wheat
Crowell Law Offices

4:00 Cowlitz Update

Philip Harju, Vice Chairman
Cowlitz Tribe

4:45 Questions and Answers

Members of the Faculty

Friday, Jan. 8, 2010

8:30 Welcome and Opening Remarks

Program Co-Chairs

8:45 Problem Gambling Update

Pending Federal Legislation; State Legislation in 2010

Hon. Mark G. Farrell
Amherst Town Court

Maureen Greeley, Executive Director
Evergreen Council on Problem Gambling

Hon. Theresa M. Pouley
Tulalip Tribal Court

9:45 Break

10:00 Federal & State Internet Gaming Update

Review of Federal Legislative and State Judicial
Issues Impacting Indian Gaming

Anthony N. Cabot
Lewis & Roca LLP, Las Vegas, NV

10:30 Indian Gaming Review & Outlook

How has the Worst Economic Recession in
Modern History Impacted Indian Gaming?

Alan P. Meister, PhD, Principal Economist
Nathan Associates, Inc.

11:00 Federal Indian Gaming Enforcement

Strategies for Handling NIGC, FinCen or Other
Federal Investigations

Anthony S. Broadman
Williams Kastner PLLC

Carlos de los Santos
Puyallup Tribe's Legal Office

Kevin R. Lyon
Law Offices of Kevin R. Lyon PS

Friday, Jan. 8, 2010

12:30 Lunch (*on your own*)

1:30 Criminal Update

Overview of Recent Federal Indian Gaming-Related Prosecutions

J. Tate London

U.S. Attorney's Office, Western District of Washington

2:00 Bankruptcy Issues in the Gaming Industry

Michael J. Gearin

K&L Gates LLP

Kevin C. Quigley

Hamilton Quigley & Tait PLC

2:45 Northwest Gaming Regulators Panel

Frank L. Miller, Moderator

Miller Malone & Tellefson PS

Rick Day, Director

Washington State Gambling Commission

Jeffrey R. Anderson, Exec. Dir.

Idaho State Lottery

Earl McWhorter, Exec. TGA Dir.

The Confederated Tribes of the Chehalis Reservation

Stephanie L. Striffler, Senior Asst. AG

Oregon Department of Justice,

Office of the Attorney General, Salem, OR

3:30 Break

3:45 The Future of the WSGC

Robert M. Tull, Moderator

Langabeer & Tull PS

Sen. Jerome Delvin

Washington State Senate,

8th Legislative District

W. Ron Allen, Chairman/CEO

Washington Indian Gaming Association

John Ellis, Vice Chair

WA State Gambling Commission

4:45 Questions and Answers

Members of the Faculty

FACULTY BIOS

Gabriel S. Galanda, Program Co-Chair, a partner with Williams Kastner PLLC, focuses on Indian Law and gaming litigation representing tribes. He has been named as a "Rising Star" in *Washington Law & Politics* and is listed in *The Best Lawyers in America*.

David A. Malone, Program Co-Chair, Miller Malone & Tellefson PS, is well versed in government relations and administrative law. He was previously with the State of Washington Attorney General's Office.

Robert M. Tull, Program Co-Chair, Langabeer & Tull PS, focuses on land use, environmental and gaming regulation. He was previously chairman of the WA State Gambling Commission.

W. Ron Allen is Chairman and CEO of the Washington Indian Gaming Association..

Jeffrey R. Anderson was named Executive Director of the Idaho State Lottery by Gov. "Butch" Otter in January 2007.

Anthony S. Broadman, Williams Kastner PLLC, focuses his practice on general litigation, commercial litigation, Indian law and gaming.

Anthony N. Cabot is a partner and Practice Group Leader of the Gaming Law practice group with Lewis and Roca LLP.

Dolores A. Chiechi is the Executive Director/Lobbyist for the Recreational Gaming Association (RGA).

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Scott Crowell, Crowell Law Offices, has practiced extensively in the area of Indian law since the mid 1980s.

Rick Day is the Director of the Washington State Gambling Commission.

Carlos de los Santos is an attorney at the Puyallup Tribe's Legal Office. His primary responsibilities are in Indian Gaming.

Senator Jerome Delvin has served on the Washington State Senate, 8th Legislative District, since 2004.

John R. Ellis is the Vice Chair of the Washington State Gambling Commission.

Hon. Mark G. Farrell is Senior Justice of the Amherst (N.Y.) Court, the largest local criminal/civil court outside New York City.

Leonard Forsman has served as chairman for the 930-member Suquamish Tribal Council since 2005.

Michael J. Gearin, a partner with K&L Gates LLP, concentrates on insolvency, workouts and bankruptcy law.

Maureen Greeley has served as Executive Director of the Evergreen Council on Problem Gambling since 2006.

Philip Harju is a vice chairman and tribal attorney for the Cowlitz Tribe.

Paula L. Hart is the Acting Director at the Office of Indian Gaming, Bureau of Indian Affairs, in Washington, D.C.

J. Tate London is a federal criminal prosecutor and tribal liaison with the U.S. Atty's Office, Western District. of Washington.

Kevin R. Lyon is a partner at the Law Office of Kevin R. Lyon PS.

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Brian McClatchey is the In-House Attorney at the Coeur d'Alene Casino Resort Hotel..

Earl McWhorter is Exec. TGA Director for the Confederated Tribes of the Chehalis. Reservation at Lucky Eagle Casino.

Alan P. Meister, PhD, is a Principal Economist at Nathan Associates, Inc.

Frank Miller, founding member of Miller Malone & Tellefson PS, focuses on gaming law, Indian gaming, and beverage law.

Samuel N. Penney is the Chairman of the Nez Perce Tribe in Idaho.

Hon. Theresa M. Pouley is Associate Judge of the Tulalip Tribal Court and Assoc. Justice of the Colville Court of Appeals.

Kevin C. Quigley is an attorney with Hamilton Quigley & Twait PLLC in St. Paul, Minnesota.

George T. Skibine is the Acting Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary – Indian Affairs and the Acting Chairman, National Indian Gaming Commission.

Quanah M. Spencer, Of Counsel with Williams Kastner PLLC, focuses on public policy in the local and national arenas.

Ernest J. Stebbins is Executive Director of the Washington Indian Gaming Association.

Stephanie L. Striffler, Senior Assistant Attorney General, State of Oregon, serves as the Native American Affairs Coordinator for the Oregon Department of Justice.

Allen J. Tovey, Casino General Manager of Wildhorse Resort & Casino, oversees daily operations of the casino.

Mark Van Norman is Executive Director of the National Indian Gaming Association, Washington, DC.

Scott Wheat is an attorney with Crowell Law Offices, a firm that exclusively represents tribes throughout the U.S.