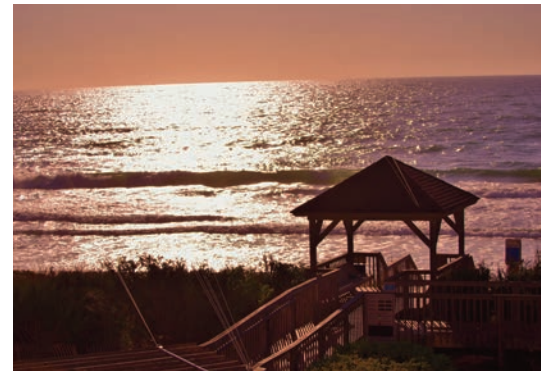


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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday, March 29

- 12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. **Registration**
- 12:45 p.m. – 12:50 p.m. **Welcome & Opening Remarks**
Stephanie Gay, president
NC Association of Self-Insurers
- 12:50 p.m. – 1:40 p.m. **Marijuana & Chronic Pain in Workers' Comp**
Mark Pew, author, jurisdictional advisor,
founding partner, *WorkCompCollege.Com*
- 1:40 p.m. – 2:55 p.m. **Perspectives from the Commission:
Mediation, Second Opinion Exams, Second Opinion
for Rating, Expert Witness Fees**
Wanda Taylor, commissioner, *NCIC*
Tammy Nance, chief deputy commissioner, *NCIC*
Erin Taylor, deputy commissioner, *NCIC*
Meredith Henderson, executive secretary, *NCIC*
Moderator: Larry Baker, partner, *Willson Jones
Carter & Baxley*
- 2:55 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. **Refreshment Break**
- 3:15 p.m. – 4:05 p.m. **Social Determinants & their Impact in Workers'
Comp**
Mollie Kallen, MS, CRC, CCM CEO/president, *MKCM, Inc.*
- 4:05 p.m. – 5:05 p.m. **Case Law Update**
Paul Stevens, *Rudisill, White & Kaplan*
J. Jared Simms, *Gallivan White Boyd*
Laura Carter, *Holder Padgett Littlejohn + Prickett*
- 5:15 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. **Welcoming Reception**

Thursday, March 30

- 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. **Group Breakfast**
- 8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. **Knee Injuries: Current Concepts, Controversial Treatment, and
Causation**
Brian T. Szura, MD, *Cary Orthopaedics UNC Health*
- 9:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. **Using Virtual Reality to Treat Injury Related Trauma**
Gerry Stanley, MD, senior VP, chief medical officer,
Harvard MedTech
- 10:45 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. **Refreshment Break**
- 11:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. **Overview of Upper Limb Protheses**
Brian Monroe, CPO, *Hanger Clinic*

Friday, March 31

- 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. **Group Breakfast**
- 8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. **Transforming Workplace Safety: What it Takes, How to Achieve It**
Michael Behm, PhD, CSP, Professor and Graduate Program
Coordinator, Occupational Safety, *East Carolina University*
- 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. **Not Perfect: A Near Disaster in the Workplace**
Mitch Harris, Jr., Employee Safety, Health & Risk Manager,
City of Washington
- 10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. **Refreshment Break**
- 11:00 a.m. – 12:20 p.m. **Employers' Panel Discussion: Initial Investigation,
Case Management, Return to Work Issues**
Bobbie Jo Vaughn, senior administrator, *ECU Health*
Sara Larson, HR director, *Wayne County*
Keith Richards, risk manager, *Union County*
Moderator: Tracey Jones, *Teague Campbell*

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About the Speakers

Larry Baker, a partner at Willson Jones and a former president of the NC Association of Defense Attorneys, earned his law degree from Wake Forest University School of Law.

Michael Behm, PhD, CSP holds a Ph. D in public health from Oregon State University and has been a Certified Safety Professional since 1995.

Laura Carter is a graduate of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and of the University of Kentucky College of Law.

Stephanie Gay, president, Aegis Administrative Services in Raleigh, graduated from Meredith College. Early in her career, she was a financial analyst at Dun & Bradstreet.

Mitch Harris, Jr., has worked with state and federal enforcements agencies, OSHA, MSHA, and the NRC on accident investigations, compliance audits and regulatory policies and procedures.

Meredith Henderson, executive secretary at the Commission since 2011, is a graduate of NC State University and the University of North Carolina School of Law.

Tracey Jones is co-chair of Teague Campbell's Workers' Compensation practice group and serves on the firm's Executive Committee. She is a graduate of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and Wake Forest University School of Law.

Mollie Kallen, MS, CRC, CCM is CEO/President of MKCM National Case Management, Inc. Earlier in her career, she worked at Intracorp and Corvel and provided group and individual counseling to injured workers and their families.

Sara Larson, M.S., IPMA-SCP, is human resources director at Wayne County.

Brian Monroe is an American Board Certified Prosthetist / Orthotist with over 25 years of experience specializing in upper limb prosthetics. He was recently named Hanger's 2022 Upper Limb Specialist of the Year.

Tammy Nance received her B.A. and J.D. degrees from Ohio State. A fellow of the College of Workers' Compensation Lawyers, she served on the Full Commission from 2011 to 2018.

Mark Pew is an award-winning international speaker, blogger, author, and jurisdictional advisor in Workers' Compensation and – among several achievements and affiliations – is a founding partner and provost of WorkCompCollege.com.

Keith Richards, CPCU, ARM-E, ARM-P, AIC, is risk manager at Union County.

J. Jared Simms is a graduate of Queens University of Charlotte and the University of North Carolina School of Law.

Paul Stevens is a graduate of Ohio University and Charlotte School of Law.

Dr. Gerry Stanley received his undergraduate and medical degrees from Creighton University and completed his residency at the Northern Colorado Family Medicine Program.

Dr. Brian Szura attended Haverford College in Pennsylvania, Case Western Reserve Medical School in Ohio and did his residency at Union Memorial Hospital and Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine.

Wanda Blanche Taylor is a graduate of Duke University and University of North Carolina School of Law. Before her appointment to the Commission, she was director of Litigation/Counsel at Key Risk Insurance.

Erin Taylor is a graduate of the University of North Carolina at Greensboro and Campbell University School of Law.

Bobbie Jo Vaughn is a senior administrator for ECU Health (formerly Vidant Health). She oversees corporate health services including occupational health, workers' compensation, and team member safety for the ECU Health system as well as contracted business and industry sites.

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