

*First Meeting of the Commonwealth Lawyers Association (CLA)
Regional Hub for the Americas and Joint Meeting between the
Organization of Commonwealth Caribbean and the CLA
Regional Hub for the Americas*

PROGRAM

Hosted at The Bahamas
Bar Association

Mackey Street

Thursday, 24th January
2019

12 noon – 2:30 p.m.

Brown Bag Lunch

1. Welcome:
Kahlil Parker, BBA President
2. The Vision for Commonwealth Lawyers:
Santhaaan Krishnan, CLA President
3. A Close Working Relationship between Lawyers of Canada and The Caribbean:
Laurie H. Pawlitzer, Chair, CLA Regional Hub for the Americas
4. Follow the Money: What do Lawyers have to do with Economic Development and Investment?
Shelia M. MacPherson, President Federation of Law Societies of Canada
Brian Speers, Seniors Partner at CMG Solicitors
5. Commissions of Inquiry and Government Accountability
Delano Bart, QC
6. How can the Commonwealth Continue to Thrive as a Brand:
Trudi Pye
Frank Walwyn, Weirfoulds LLP
7. The Future of Law Practice in the Commonwealth:
Ruggles Ferguson, OCCBA President
Thaddeus M. Antoine, OECS Bar President