

2021-2022 CBA Officers

The 2021-2022 CBA Officers were installed at the CBA Annual Meeting, which was held virtually on June 15. These officers will lead the CBA for the next bar year and took office on July 1.



President

Cecil J. Thomas will serve as the CBA's 98th president. Attorney Thomas is an attorney at Greater Hartford Legal Aid, where he has represented thousands of low-income clients, predominantly in housing matters, since 2006, and has obtained significant appellate and class action victories on

behalf of low-income Connecticut residents.



President-elect

Daniel J. Horgan will serve as president-elect. Attorney Horgan is an experienced litigator with Horgan Law Office in New London, representing clients in various civil matters in both state and federal courts as well as the Mashantucket and Mohegan Tribal Courts.



Vice President

Margaret I. Castinado will serve as vice president. Attorney Castinado is a senior assistant public defender at the Office of the Public Defender in New Haven. She has defended thousands of clients with criminal matters since 1999.



Secretary

Sharad A. Samy will serve as secretary. Attorney Samy is general counsel of the Commonfund for Nonprofit Organizations and is a solo practitioner at The Law Offices of Sharad A. Samy LLC in Darien. He has over 20 years of transactional and litigation experience, has served as general counsel of two

prominent operating companies, as a partner of an international law firm, and as a military attorney in the U.S. Army Reserve.



Treasurer

David M. Moore will serve as treasurer. Attorney Moore is a solo practitioner at The Law Offices of David M. Moore, where he practices in the areas of personal injury, family and general litigation, dissolution and general mediation, and residential real estate closings.



Assistant Secretary-Treasurer

Cindy M. Cieslak will serve as assistant secretary-treasurer. Attorney Cieslak is a partner at in Hartford, where she focuses her practice on labor & employment litigation as well as independent workplace investigations.



Immediate Past President

Amy Lin Meyerson will serve as immediate past president. Attorney Meyerson is a solo practitioner at The Law Office of Amy Lin Meyerson in Weston, where she practices in the area of domestic corporate law. She is a past president of the National Asian Pacific American Bar Association

(NAPABA) and the NAPABA Law Foundation and a past chair of the American Bar Association's Solo, Small Firm and General Practice Division. Attorney Meyerson is the founder of the Connecticut Asian Pacific American Bar Association.

