



Third Judicial Circuit of Michigan



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MEDIA ADVISORY

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Detroit Metropolitan Bar's New Attorney Mass Admission Ceremony

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Who: The Third Judicial Circuit Court of Michigan joins with the Detroit Metropolitan Bar Association (DMBA) to host the new attorney mass swearing in ceremony. Chief Judge Colombo will preside over the Admission Ceremony, Hon. Adel Harb will deliver the welcoming address, and Hon. Patricia Fresard will administer the Oath. DMBA President Donn Fresard will extend an invitation to the newly admitted attorneys to join the DMBA, one of the three oldest bar associations in the nation. Guests and media are invited to join in the celebration.

What: Lawyers contribute in various ways, helping clients directly and holding public offices of trust. Admission to the bar is the culmination of years of study and the successful passing of a rigorous exam. New Lawyers will take the oath of the profession. The admission ceremony marks the beginning of individuals beginning the practice of law and is celebrated with friends and family as the venerated lawyers and judges welcome the new lawyers into the profession.

Where: Coleman A. Young Municipal Center, 13th Floor Auditorium, Two Woodward Ave., Detroit, MI 48226.

When: **Wednesday November 9, 2016 at 11:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** The Chief Judge will begin the actual swearing in at 12:30 p.m. and all attendees should be seated.

Why: The practice of law is held in high esteem. New attorneys are admitted twice per year. Inspirational and aspirational stories will be shared by the newly admitted attorneys, the DMBA leadership, and the Chief Judge.



The Third Judicial Circuit is the largest circuit court in Michigan with three operating divisions. The Third Circuit Court has jurisdiction over Civil, Criminal, and Family matters arising in the County of Wayne. The National Center for State Courts has cited the Third Circuit Court as one of the model urban courts in the United States for caseflow management and the timely disposition of the Court's docket. For more information, visit www.3rdcc.org.