

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO



**NOTICE FROM THE CLERK NO. 26-02**

**Continuing Legal Education Program on March 27, 2026**

The United States District Court for the District of Puerto Rico (“District of Puerto Rico”) will hold a Continuing Legal Education (“CLE”) Program on **Friday, March 27, 2026**, at the Sheraton Convention Center Hotel in San Juan, Puerto Rico. This will be a one-day, six-hour program, to be offered free of charge to members of the Bar in good standing. Every effort will be made to obtain accreditation from the Puerto Rico Supreme Court’s Continuing Legal Education Program.

The program will feature the following distinguished presenters, who will be addressing legal ethics and employment law:

**1. Ethics in Legal Practice**

Speaker: Stuart I. Teicher, Esq.

Mr. Teicher is a professional legal educator and practicing attorney who focuses on helping lawyers understand and fulfill their ethical responsibilities. A former adjunct professor of legal ethics at Rutgers Law School, he has lectured extensively in the United States and abroad on professionalism, technology, and attorney well-being. He has served on the New Jersey State Bar Association’s Professionalism Committee and is recognized for his engaging and practical CLE presentations.

**2. Employment Law in a Multicultural Workplace**

Speakers: Amy Oppenheimer, Esq.; Danielle Drossel, Esq.; and Madeline Buitelaar, Esq.

Ms. Oppenheimer is a nationally recognized employment attorney, workplace investigator, and mediator who previously chaired the California Fair Employment and Housing Commission. Ms. Drossel and Ms. Buitelaar, both partners at Oppenheimer Investigations Group LLP, specialize in employment law, discrimination, and workplace investigations. Together, they bring extensive experience addressing legal and interpersonal issues in diverse professional environments.

**CLE Registration Procedures and Information:**

The CLE Program runs from 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m., and registration starts at 7:30 a.m. A detailed agenda, speaker curriculum vitae, and lecture materials will be posted in the Continuing Legal Education section of the Court's internet website at: [www.prd.uscourts.gov](http://www.prd.uscourts.gov). Requests for reservation will **only** be received through the Court's Program Registration Application.

Attendance to both sessions of the program will provide participants with 6.0 hours of CLE credit, including 3.0 hours on ethics. Prior to submitting your CLE Registration Application, please note the following:

- Attorneys must be in good standing to register. Attorneys in good standing must have received an email confirmation receipt for their 2025 electronic payment of fees. If you did not receive a confirmation receipt, please verify your good standing status by sending an e-mail to [prd-cle-registration@prd.uscourts.gov](mailto:prd-cle-registration@prd.uscourts.gov).
- Each attorney must make his/her own reservation.
- The deadline to register is **Friday, February 13, 2026**.
- For accreditation from the Puerto Rico Supreme Court Continuing Legal Education Program, participants will be required to provide their registered "Registro Unico de Abogados (RUA)" number as part of the application.
- Attendance for the entire program is mandatory for confirmed participants.
- Only attorneys with confirmed reservation may attend the Court's Program.

**Additional Information:**

- Telephone calls for registration to the CLE Program will not be accepted.
- After the reservation period closes, the Clerk's Office will send a confirmation notice to registered attorneys at the email address listed in the CM/ECF System.
- Attorneys with confirmed reservations who wish to cancel must do so by sending an email to [prd-cle-registration@prd.uscourts.gov](mailto:prd-cle-registration@prd.uscourts.gov), no later than **Monday, March 23, 2026**.

For updated information on the March 27, 2026 CLE Program, bar members are encouraged to regularly visit the District of Puerto Rico Court's website at ([www.prd.uscourts.gov](http://www.prd.uscourts.gov)) and official X account ([@USCourtsPRD](https://@USCourtsPRD)).

In San Juan, Puerto Rico, this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February, 2026.



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