# Federal Court Civil Practice 2024

Demystifying litigation in federal court

Learn the basics of taking a case from its inception to trial in federal court. Understand the considerations at play in deciding to bring an action in federal court, the challenges faced at the outset of litigation—including those related to preliminary injunctions and temporary restraining orders, the handling of discovery, dispositive motions, alternative dispute resolution, and trial.

This program gives you the opportunity to learn from thoughtful seasoned litigators with a broad range of experience in federal court, as well as from judges who oversee these cases.

# **Agenda**

- How (and Why) Did I End Up Here? Court Selection and Forum Shopping
- Handling Preliminary Injunctions and Temporary Restraining Orders
- Discovery Practice: Know the Rules and Processes
- Dispositive Motions: Embracing Successful Techniques and Avoiding Landmines
- · How Cases Resolve: ADR and Trials
- Practice Developments: New Trends in Federal Practice
- "Ask the Experts" Q&A Session

# **Faculty**

Doreen M. Rachal, Esq., Sidley Austin LLP, Boston, Chair Check back for additional faculty as they become available

## **Dates & Location**

Register at www.mcle.org

#### **LIVE WEBCAST**

Thursday, November 14, 2024 2:00 pm-5:00 pm Program # 2250114WBC

#### REBROADCAST @

Monday, December 2, 2024 2:00 pm-5:00 pm *Program # 2250114RB1* 

#### **REBROADCAST ©**

Tuesday, December 10, 2024 9:30 am-12:30 pm Program # 2250114RB2

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- Transcript & videorecording emailed 2 weeks post-program

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