

## 2010 EDITORIAL THEMES

<b>Feb/Mar</b>	<b>TECHNOLOGY:</b> Software/hardware reviews; technology in different areas of the law; technology advances and expectations; technology survey; in-depth information regarding a particular software program; what to consider in deciding upon a particular litigation support vendor; other
<b>April/May</b>	<b>FAMILY LAW AND PRO BONO:</b> Basics-Areas of Family Law. In Depth- Filing an Adoption, Divorce, Guardianship, or Trust; pro bono; workplace and domestic violence issues; other.
<b>June/July</b>	<b>CRIMINAL:</b> Basics- Types of Criminal Law. In Depth- how to conduct background checks, differences between federal and state prosecution and defense
<b>Aug/Sept</b>	<b>NON-TRADITIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS/FREELANCE PARALEGALS:</b> Defining your skills. What to look for when choosing placement agencies. Nontraditional Roles of Paralegals: example paralegal lobbyist, paralegals not employed in law firms. What defines a Contract Paralegal according to IRS. In Depth- How to Start your own paralegal Firm, Other-Unauthorized Practice of Law, Different regulations for UPL. <b>AND TECHNOLOGY:</b> Results of Technology Survey(?);in-depth information regarding a particular software program; what to consider in deciding upon a particular litigation support vendor; other
<b>Oct/Nov</b>	<b>PERSONAL INJURY – Plaintiff and Defendant:</b> Basics – How to determine a good case/client or Paralegal responsibilities – what to do with a personal injury case; In-depth – how to draft discovery designed to get all the facts; interviewing witnesses; etc.
<b>Dec 10/Jan 11</b>	<b>INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY:</b> Basics- What is a copyright and how does it protect the creator? Explain patent and trademarks. In Depth- Franchise Circulars Other- How internet has affected musicians and authors?

## ARTICLE DEADLINES

November 20, 2009

January 20, 2010

March 20, 2010

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