

CLE



# THE CHICAGO BAR ASSOCIATION Leap Before You Look: Taking Time Off to Reinvigorate Your Career



**Thursday, March 27, 2008**

12:00-2:00 p.m. (2 IL ethics/professionalism credits-subject to approval)

Presented by: YLS Executive Council

Special thanks to: CBA/YLS Career Assistance Committee, CBA Alliance for Women, Women's Bar Association of Illinois, and the National Association of Women Lawyers

Program will be held at the CBA Building, 321 S. Plymouth Ct., Chicago, IL 60604

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Hear from lawyers who had the strength to change their jobs when they knew their career paths weren't taking them in the direction they wanted. Attorneys will speak about how they transitioned from their jobs in a dynamic fashion by choice. Hear how much they planned ahead...and how much they planned as they went along. Your peers will discuss how they used their law degrees and licenses to open up new doors on opportunities often overlooked. Join us and be inspired by the extreme stories about accepting and seeking out professional challenges to make the move that makes the most sense for you, even when it's off the beaten path. Participate in this insightful event and empower your own career—whether it means affirming your path or taking on a career switch yourself.

**SPEAKERS:**

**Leopoldo Lastre:** *From Chief Deputy Clerk of the Criminal Division in the Office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County to solo practitioner*

**Roderic Montreze:** *From associate at Sonnenschein Nath & Rosenthal LLP to contract attorney*

**Marco S. Nasca:** *From attorney at Morici, Figlioli & Associates to Midwest Regional Director of Iris Data Services*

**Allison Ryan:** *From an associate to Assistant Director, DePaul University College of Law Career Services*

**MODERATOR:**

**Jill McCall**  
*Director, American Bar Association Young Lawyers Division; Young Lawyers Section Vice Chair*

This program is being held as part of the YLS Life in the Balance series. Learn more at [www.chicagobar.org/lifeinthebalance](http://www.chicagobar.org/lifeinthebalance).

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\$20 CBA/WBAI/NAWL Member  
\$25 Nonmember • \$20 Government Member Code (Y27)  
Add \$10 for Onsite Registration

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- Fax to 312-554-2054
- Online at [www.chicagobar.org/cle.html](http://www.chicagobar.org/cle.html)
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