

Summit Program

Tuesday, October 13, 2009*

1:00 pm – 2:30 pm	Retail Management Development <i>Annalee Rothenberg / Lisa Edwards</i> - Tacoma Community College <i>Cheryl Bidleman</i> , Goodwill Northwest
2:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Networking Break
3:00 pm – 4:30 pm	COBRA Administration – Practical Considerations <i>Jim Kelly</i> - Secova
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Welcome Reception Hosted by: Sheppard, Mullin



Wednesday, October 14, 2009*

8:00 am – 8:30 am	Summit Networking Breakfast
8:30 am – 9:30 am	Arbitration Agreements: Are they worth the cost? <i>Teresa Rider Bult</i> - Constangy
9:30 am – 10:45 am	Health Care Reform and the Real World of Benefit Administration <i>David Lansky</i> - Pacific Business Group on Health
10:45 am – 11:00 am	Break
11:00 am – 12:00 pm	Do's and Don't in Layoffs <i>Carrie Hoffman</i> - Gardere
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	HR Luncheon Presentation: Health Care Reform – Pro / Con & Conclusions <i>A.J. Wojciak</i> – Capitol Hill Strategies <i>Neil Trautwein</i> – National Retail Federation
1:15 pm – 1:35 pm	Washington Update <i>Rob Green</i> – National Retail Federation
1:35 pm – 2:25 pm	Web 2.0 and the Ever Expanding Digital Workplace: New and Evolving Technologies, Increased Human Resource Headaches and Greater Legal Exposure <i>Steve Dellinger</i> – Littler Mendelson
2:25 pm – 2:45 pm	Break
2:45 pm – 3:35 pm	California Labor Law: Trends and Hot Topics <i>Richard Simmons</i> – Sheppard Mullin

Wednesday, October 14, 2009 (continued)*

3:35 pm – 4:25 pm	Liability for Correcting Unlawful Employment Practices: The Impact of U.S. Supreme Court's <i>Ricci</i> Decision on Retail Hiring, Promotions, RIFs, and Other Employment Practices <i>Douglas Farmer, Ogletree Deakins</i>
4:25 pm – 5:30 pm	Round Table Discussions
6:00 pm – 7:30 pm	Networking Reception

Thursday, October 15, 2009*

8:00 am – 8:30 am	Continental Breakfast
8:30 am – 9:20 am	Positive Employee Relations: A Restaurant / Retail Perspective <i>Julie Wigley, Domino's Inc.</i>
9:20 am – 10:10 am	OSHA Considerations for the HR Executive in the Retail Workplace <i>Laura Brandt, H&M</i>
10:10 am – 10:30 am	Break
10:30 am – 11:20 am	Background Checks in the Digital Age: Using Technology Legally and Effectively <i>William J. Carroll, Schiff Hardin</i>
11:20 am – 12:10 pm	Subcommittee Reports Panel Developments at the EEOC <i>James Spears, Ogletree Deakins</i> Updates in International Employment Law <i>Gilles Touchette, Ogilvy Renault</i> <i>Luis Antonetti, Goldman, Antonetti & Cordova</i> Report on Recent Litigation <i>Bob Joy, Morgan Brown & Joy</i> Recent National Labor Relations Board Activity <i>Wayne Hansen, Jackson Lewis</i> Wage and Hour Update <i>Julie Dunne, Littler Mendelson</i>
12:10 pm – 12:30 pm	Summit Wrap-up Discussion

*** Agenda times subject to change**