

**Palm Beach County Bar Association's  
Civil Practice Committee**

**presents**

**Best Practices for Using Artificial Intelligence (AI)  
in Your Cases and Law Practices**

February 25, 2026, noon to 1:30 p.m.  
Palm Beach County Courthouse, North End of Cafeteria  
205 N. Dixie Highway, West Palm Beach, Florida 33401

**Panelists:** U.S. Magistrate Judge Ryon M. McCabe; 15th Circuit Judge Carolyn Bell; Palm Beach County Judge Santo DiGangi; Robert R. Kane, III, Co-Chair, Civil Practice Committee, Tal J. Lifshitz, Mark R. Osherow, and Cathleen Scott

**Moderator:** Ronald P. "Ron" Ponzoli, Jr.

***Agenda***

12:00 p.m. – 12:10 p.m. – **Welcome, Introduction, and Acknowledgement of Sponsors.** Adam Rabin, Co-Chair, Civil Practice Committee.

12:10 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. – **Panel Discussion of Best Practices for Using Artificial Intelligence (AI)**

1. Defining AI
2. What programs are available to law firms and what is the cost?
  - A. Over-the-counter programs
  - B. Proprietary programs
  - C. Open vs. closed AI systems
  - D. Costs associated with adopting AI
3. Law firm uses of AI
  - A. Automating routine tasks:
  - B. Motion practice
  - C. Trial preparation

4. Advantages for personal injury attorneys, solo attorneys and small firms
5. Cautionary tales
  - A. Recent cases
  - B. Ethical and professional considerations when using AI Tools
6. The Future of AI
  - A. ABA Task Force on Law and Artificial Intelligence, *Addressing the Legal Challenges of AI, Year 2 Report on the Impact of AI on the Practice of Law* (Dec. 2025)
  - B. Potential rule changes to address AI
  - C. Sanctions for improper use of AI