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Coalition for Court Access Conference



Congresswoman Susan Brooks speaking at the opening plenary

On October 4, the Coalition for Court Access hosted its annual Civil Legal Aid Conference. Over 200 legal aid providers, pro bono lawyers, law school clinics, members of the judiciary and Court staff came together to network and earn CLE.

We the People Volunteer Opportunities



"If you are ever in doubt about the future of our country, just have a conversation with a student involved in We the People." - Volunteer Judge

The first of six We the People regional competitions is this Friday. We are seeking 200 volunteer judges from around the state to make this year's program a success. Prior experience is not necessary as training will be provided onsite. To find dates, locations, and registration information, please visit inbf.org/volunteer.

2020 Mock Trial Nationals Site Visit



The Foundation hosted the National High School Mock Trial Championship board of directors in Evansville for a site tour and meetings in preparation for the national competition May 7-9, 2020.

Over 150 volunteers will be needed for a successful championship. If you are interested in being a part of the event, please fill out this [interest form](#).

Legendary Lawyer Event



John W. Whiteleather, Jr. and his wife Judy

Columbia City attorney John W. Whiteleather, Jr. was honored as the Foundation's 2019 Legendary Lawyer in Fort Wayne on September 26. Over 100 colleagues, friends, and family members attended to celebrate Mr.

Whiteleather's public service, community involvement, and contributions to the legal profession for over 50 years.

Keystone Society

Civic education depends on each of us contributing not just time but private donations to ensure teachers and students have the resources they need. You can ensure that students learn about the U.S. Constitution and the American judicial process. You can also help Hoosiers who cannot afford a private attorney find fairness and representation through a local legal aid nonprofit.

Consider how you can help both civic education and civil legal aid programs in Indiana through the [Keystone Society](#). Members receive [statewide recognition](#), and those who give by **December 2** will receive additional acknowledgement at the Foundation's annual dinner.

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