

# **LET THE RHYTHM GET YOU!**



Planning Team Convention Chairs Tom and Sandy Wunderlich; Mitch and Michele Smith;

*Bienvenidos!* We are excited to meet you in the vibrant and diverse city of Miami for the IADC's 2024 Midyear Meeting in February 2024.

Miami is one of the world's most popular vacation spots – and for good reason as it is truly a global destination. Its people, neighborhoods, and culture intersect to create an approachable, thriving community that will be a pleasure for our meeting attendees to experience.

The JW Marriott Miami Turnberry will serve as our host hotel. Surrounded by tropical, lush grounds, the resort is a luxurious combination of old and new that will provide a tranquil haven for connection and growth. Paradise is waiting!

The planning team, IADC staff, and our various CLE Committees have been working hard behind the scenes to create a meeting space

where you will feel not only welcome but also experience IADC's Wildly Important Goals firsthand -- with abundant opportunities to engage and focus on business development.

## WHAT YOU CAN EXPECT

#### **Learn With Purpose**

Our continuing education programs offered throughout the week have been crafted to help further your skills, knowledge, and insights. Midyear Meeting CLE Steering Committee Chair Marty Healy and his Committee have put together exceptional panels. Some topics we will dive into include Rule 702; using visual aids at trials and arbitrations; alternative origination credit; artificial intelligence; and what makes juries tick. With more than 20 programs on the schedule, you will not want to miss these educational connections.

### **Business Development and Connection Opportunities**

Our popular Speed-Networking Event returns, along with morning networking coffee breaks and events for our first- and second-time attendees, international members, and more. Additionally, plenty of other activities and tours are available, along with various receptions and gatherings planned, so make sure to check out the full meeting schedule.

#### **Social Moments**

We have great evening social events planned, so be ready for some fun...and practice your conga moves in advance! We are embracing a traditional Texas Fiesta infused with the influences of South Florida at our *Fiesta Caliente en Vivo* Theme Party. On our last evening together, we will host the fabulous *White Linen Nights* Closing Party where we will channel the fun and eclectic Wynwood neighborhood. Street art vibes, awesome food, and incredible tunes await. It will be a fantastic way to close out our unforgettable meeting.

We look forward to our time together in Miami! Hasta que nos encontremos de nuevo! Michele and Mitchell Smith

**MEET US IN MIAMI**