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2026 REGIONAL MEETING – BALTIMORE, MD USA
Thursday, May 21, 2026

Location:

[The Center Club](#)
100 Light Street
Baltimore, MD USA

PROGRAM AGENDA

6:00 p.m. EDT	Registration	
6:55 p.m. EDT	President's Welcome	<u>J. Dominic Campodonico</u> , IADC President, Gordon Rees Scully Mansukhani, LLP, San Francisco, CA USA
7:00 p.m. EDT	Panel Discussion: AI and the Law This interactive discussion will explore how educators and practitioners are addressing the opportunities and challenges presented by AI at a moment of rapid change. Panelists bring perspectives from appellate litigation, legal technology operations, and higher education, focusing on governance, ethics, implementation, and institutional readiness. Audience questions and dialogue are encouraged.	<u>Kristina Alayan</u> , Associate Dean for Library and Technology, University of Maryland Francis King Carey School of Law, Baltimore MD USA <u>Ursula Gorham</u> , Executive Director of Data and Educational Technologies, University of Maryland Francis King Carey School of Law, Baltimore, MD USA <u>Benjamin Alexander Harris</u> , Deputy Solicitor General, Criminal Appeals Division of the Maryland Office of the Attorney General, Baltimore, MD USA <u>Phyllis Strader</u> , Manager of Legal Technology and eDiscovery Operations, Constellation Energy Corp. Baltimore, MD USA