

# The Orange County Bar Association Military and Veterans Issues Task Force Presents

**Credits** 

# WANT TO HELP A VET? VETERAN'S CONSUMER LAW ISSUES MILITARY CULTURAL COMPETENCY

## Thursday, December 3, 2015

Registration: 5:30 pm Program: 6:00 – 8:00 pm (Light refreshments will be provided.)

**Orange County Bar Association** 

4101 Westerly Place, Newport Beach, CA 92660

Free Parking

### Speaker:

Michael Jones, Attorney at Law, M.Jones & Associates Leigh Ferrin, Esq., Staff Attorney, Public Law Center

#### **Program Chair:**

Major Dwight Stirling, Esq., M.Ed., Chief Executive Officer and Co-Founder, Veterans Legal Institute

#### Topic:

This MCLE program will teach attendees about the most common consumer law issues facing veterans today, outlining the tools needed for attorneys to give critical, life-changing legal assistance to the nation's former service members.

The program will provide a useful and practical overview of consumer law issues impacting veterans of the Armed Forces. Veterans are disproportionate targets of predatory loans, scams and unethical business practices. The speakers will address the problems that arise when veterans are victims of predatory payday loans or debt collectors, and will also cover the problems many veterans face with student loans and for-profit colleges. Payday lenders and for-profit colleges often target veterans, less interested in providing the veterans with quality services and more interested in the fixed income or guaranteed, government-paid tuition. The attendees will learn how to assist veterans fight payday loans and debt collectors, manage student loans and pursue for-profit schools for their bad acts.

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OCBA Members	\$45*
OCBA Law Student Members/Sitting Judges	\$20*
OCBA Young Lawyers Division Member/Government Employee Rate	\$30*
Non-OCBA Members	\$95*
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