

## Symposium On Corporate Oppression Actions

December 4, 2019 | Grand Rapids | Fortz Legal, 25 Division Ave S, Unit 325 | Grand Rapids  
 January 15, 2020 | Detroit | Spencer M. Partrich Auditorium | 471 West Palmer | Detroit  
 Registration, food, and beverages at 5:30 p.m. • Program from 6-8 p.m.

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### Grand Rapids Speakers

- o Mark C. Rossman (Rossman Saxe, P.C.)
- o Paul A. McCarthy (Rhoades McKee)
- o Ian M. Williamson (Mantese Honigman)
- o David F. Hansma (Seyburn Kahn)
- o Hon. Christopher Yates (Kent County Business Court)
- o Elyse Palombit (Rossman Saxe, P.C.)

*The event will be catered by Carolina Lowcountry Kitchen.*

### Detroit Speakers

*Co-Sponsored by the Wayne State Journal of Business Law*

- o Mark C. Rossman (Rossman Saxe, P.C.)
- o Professor Douglas K. Moll (University of Houston Law Center)
- o E. Powell Miller (The Miller Firm)
- o Daniel Quick (Dickinson Wright)
- o Bernard Fuhs (Butzel)
- o Hon. Lita M. Popke (Third Circuit Court)



Bernard Fuhs



David F. Hansma



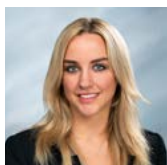
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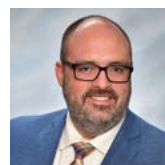
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**Dec. 4, 2019 —Grand Rapids REG. DEADLINE: DEC. 1, 2019**

**Jan. 15, 2020—Detroit REG. DEADLINE: JAN. 12, 2020**

- All Registrants—Grand Rapids..... \$25
- Law Students—Grand Rapids\*.....FREE

- All Registrants—Detroit ..... \$25
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**Questions**

For questions about this event, contact the Business Law Section Administrator at (248) 953-9022 or [businesslawsection@gmail.com](mailto:businesslawsection@gmail.com).

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