



FEDERATION OF DEFENSE & CORPORATE COUNSEL LEADERSHIP SUMMARY

NAME: VALERIE KELLNER

DATE: 3/1/25

***Activity Codes:**

CMT – Committee Chair/Vice-Chair

SEC – Section Chair/Vice-Chair

AH – Ad Hoc or Special Committee/Project Chair or Vice-Chair

CONY – Convention Chair or Convention Program

M – Meeting Chair/Vice-Chair or Program Chair (Other Than Conv.)

EO – FDCC Executive Officer (Board of Directors)

AWD – Recipient of Appleman, Hecker, CMD or Special FDCC Award O - Other

S – Speaker or FDCC Program

WP – Written Paper Submitted for FDCC Program

Q – Quarterly Article Published

VP – Vice President (FDCC Board of Directors)

DIR – Director (FDCC Board of Directors)

LMC – Litigation Management College

DATE or YEAR	ACTIVITY	NAME OF ACTIVITY – POSITION HELD AND/OR WORK DONE
2024	O	Attend Winter Meeting in Charleston, SC
2024	S	CCS Speaker-The Mindful Legal Department -9/15/24
2024	M	Corporate Counsel Symposium, Co-Chair, for CCS in New Orleans (9/14-9/16/24)
2024	CMT	Co-Chair Communications Committee
2024-2025	AH	Steering Committee for FDCC 2024 Park City Annual Meeting
2024	CMT	Vice-Chair Membership Recruitment Committee
2024	AWD	Recipient of Joseph R. Olshan Award as Co-Chair for Communication Committee
2024-2025	DIR	FDCC Board of Directors
2024	O	Attended Summer Meeting in Toronto, Canada

2024	O	Attend Winter Meeting in St. Petersburg, FL
2023-2024	CMT	Sites Committee
2023-2024	AH	Steering Committee for FDCC 2024 Park City Annual Meeting
2023-2024	AH	Host of FDCC Podcast, “How FDCC Members Get It Done”
2023-2024	CMT	Co-Chair Communication Committee
2023	S	Corporate Counsel Symposium (CCS)-Speaker, Strength Based Leadership for High Performance In Legal Departments and Law Firms to Overcome Disengaged Employees
2023-2024	DIR	FDCC Board of Directors
2023	O	Attended Summer Meeting in Colorado Springs, CO
2023	AH	Steering Committee for FDCC 2023 Broadmoor Annual Meeting
2022-2023	AH	Host of FDCC Podcast, “How FDCC Members Get It Done”
2023	O	Attended Winter Meeting in Nashville, TN
2023	CMT	Steering Committee for Corporate Counsel Symposium
2023	CMT	Vice-Chair for Fed Life Committee

2023	DIR	FDCC Board of Directors
2022	AH	Host for the FedMeets-Philadelphia, PA
2022	AH	Podcast for FedLife: Mindfulness with Courtney Schulnick
2022	S	CCS-Speaker at CCS, Resiliency and Crisis Management: War Pandemic, Reputation Risk: Beyond Crisis Management and Becoming Resilient –October 2022
2022	O	Co-Chair of Deposition Boot Camp and Faculty
2022	DIR	FDCC Board of Directors
2022	CMT	Vice-Chair for Membership Communication Committee
2022	S	Speaker, Summer Meeting in Seattle 2022, “From the Courtroom to the Boardroom-How to Attract and Develop Talent and Why It Matters”
2022	O	Attended Summer Meeting in Seattle, WA
2022	O	Attended Winter Meeting in Palm Desert, CA
2022	AH	<p>Host of FDCC Podcast, “How FDCC Members Get It Done” by Valerie Kellner</p> <p>Recorded to Date: Marisa Trasatti; Alycen Moss, Frank Ramos, Tiffany Alexander, April Berman, Caroline Berdzik, Chelsey Golightly, Caitlin Gifford, Sean Griffin, Lynne Ingram, Jacqueline Genesio; Lee Hall, Jody Briandi, Jennifer Johnsen, Kelly Brilleaux, Kile Turner, Amanda Cialkowski, Natasha Khachatourians, Paul Finamore, Melissa Roeder, Michele Wojcik, Bill Vita</p>

2022	CMT	Steering Committee for Corporate Counsel Symposium
2022	AH	Steering Committee for FDCC 2023 Broadmoor Annual Meeting Incubator
2022	Q	“Top 5 Tips From How FDCC Members Get It Done” published in FDCC Friday 5’s
2022	Q	“How to Try A Case” for the FDCC-E Book, Trial Skills, wrote a chapter
2022	O	Attended I-3 Virtual Meeting
2021-present	CMT	Vice-Chair for New Member Membership Program (Mentor for 2 New Members)
2021	O	Nominated Michael Rettig, GC for Giorgio Mushroom as a Membership to FDCC and was accepted
2021-present	CMT	Vice-Chair for Membership Communication Committee
2021-present	CMT	Vice-Chair for Member Communication Committee
2021	CMT	Co-Chair of Corporate Counsel Symposium Committee (CCS)(November 2021)
2021	O	Attend Summer Meeting, Greenbrier, West Virginia
2021	O	3/26/21-Attended, Winter Meeting, Human Trafficking
2021	O	3/19/21-Attended, Virtual Business & Meeting
2021	O	1/22/21-Attended, Developing & Implementing a Resilience Plan for the New Year
2020	S	11/18/20-Speaker, Fed Life, Fireside Chat with author Lisa Smith, “A Girl Walks Out of a Bar”
2020	O	11/5-6/20-Attended, Insurance Industry Institute
2020	O	10/16/20-Attended, Mindfulness, Empathy and Compassion
2020	CMT	Served as Co-Chair of Corporate Counsel Symposium Committee
2020	S	10/6/20-Speaker, “At the Corner of Technology and Humanity: AI and Insurance, Corporate Counsel Symposium
2020	S	9/17/20-Speaker, Fed Life, Fireside Chat with author Eileen Zimmerman, “Smacked”
2020	O	8/18/20-Attended, JJ DiGeronimo Webinar
2020	O	7/6/20-Attended, Annual Business Meeting
2020	O	Member of Admission Committee
2020	O	Member of Professional Women’s Forum

2020	O	Member of Fed Life Committee
2020	O	Member of Construction Litigation Committee
2019	CMT	Marketing Co-Chair, Corporate Counsel Symposium
2019	O	Attended Corporate Counsel Symposium, Philadelphia, PA
2019	O	Attended Winter Meeting, Austin, TX
2019	O	Member of Admission Committee
2019	O	Member of Construction Litigation Committee
2018	S	9/15/18-Speaker, "Cybersecurity Risks and Legal Exposure for Company, Corporate Counsel Symposium, Philadelphia, PA
2018	O	Member of Admission Committee
2018	O	Member of Product Liability Committee
2017	S	6/12-13/17-Speaker, Deposition Boot Camp, Chicago, IL
2017	O	Attended Corporate Counsel Symposium, Philadelphia, PA
2016	O	Attended Winter Meeting, San Diego, CA (year of admission into FDCC)