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Meeting Location	Date	Time	Topic
King County Bar Association 1200 Fifth Avenue - Suite 700 Seattle, WA	Friday, September 7, 2018	12:10 PM to 1:30 PM	When Immigration and Family Law Intersect - Special Immigrant Juvenile Status in Family Law Actions

AGENDA

- 12:10 PM** Introduction
- 12:20 PM** Presentation: ‘When Immigration and Family Law Intersect - Special Immigrant Juvenile Status in Family Law Actions’, by Lucia Levias, DuBois Cary Law Group and Melody Young, Kids In Need of Defense
- 1:30 PM** Adjourn

SPEAKER BIOGRAPHY

Lucia Ramirez Levias, DuBois Cary Law Group - Lucia Levias is an attorney at DuBois Cary Law Group in Seattle where she devotes 100% of her practice to family law. Prior to practicing family law, she gained experience as a litigator in both criminal and immigration court. She has extensive experience with complex custody cases including interstate and international custody, parental kidnapping, domestic violence, and non-parental custody actions, among many other issues related to family law. Her analysis has been included in amicus briefings to the Washington Supreme Court and in briefs to the United States Court of Appeals for the 9th District. She has been recognized in Super Lawyer Magazine and Seattle Met Magazine as a “Rising Star” and “Outstanding Young Lawyer.” She is a graduate of Seattle University School of Law and a member of the Latina/o Bar Association. She regularly volunteers at legal clinics and as a pro bono attorney for Kids in Need of Defense (KIND).

Melody Young, Kids in Need of Defense - Melody Young is the Pro Bono Coordinating Attorney of KIND’s Seattle office. She works to connect released and detained unaccompanied minors with pro bono attorneys for legal representation. She mentors pro bono attorneys in their cases with KIND, reviewing applications and offering guidance and support as needed. Melody is experienced in working with low-income and vulnerable populations in Washington, having worked with *pro se* detainees at the Northwest Detention Center, presenting “Know Your Rights” Presentations and offering legal assistance in their applications for immigration relief. Melody graduated from the University of Washington School of Law with a J.D. and LL.M. in Sustainable International Development. She has been with KIND since January 2016.