



46th Gertrude E. Rush Conference and Awards Gala

March 26-29, 2026
San Diego, California

**Don't miss Judicial Council and
African American California Judicial
Officers, Inc. (AAACJO) joint seminar:**

**“The Ethics and Mechanics of Effective
Settlement Techniques”**

This session will dive deep into the technical skills and ethical considerations required to facilitate resolutions that serve the interests of justice and efficiency.

Registration Open Now
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AAACJO AND NBA JUDICIAL COUNCIL TO CO-SPONSOR PANEL AT THE NBA GERTRUDE RUSH MIDYEAR CONFERENCE

AAACJO and the NBA Judicial Council will join forces to sponsor a panel at the NBA Gertrude Rush Midyear Conference. (See flyer above.) The panel will discuss the ethics and mechanics of effective settlement techniques and will highlight strategies for mediating both complex and common cases for state and federal cases. The panel will examine how to better monetize, for settlement purposes, cultural differences and traumatic injuries. The panelists will use hypotheticals to identify and develop individualized or authentic settlement styles. **NBA Judicial Council Chair Justice Freddrenna Lyle** and **AAACJO President Judge Roderick Shelton** encourage all to attend.



Justice Freddrenna Lyle



Judge Roderick Shelton