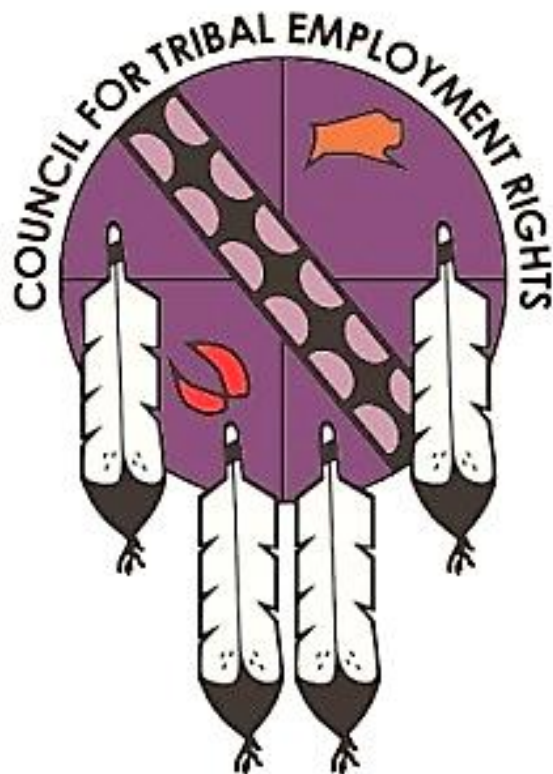


# 2023 Legal Update Conference



The Orleans Hotel & Casino  
Las Vegas, Nevada

December 13<sup>th</sup> - December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023

*“Preparing and Overcoming Adversity”*

# **CURRENT CTR MEMBERS**

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Northern Cheyenne Tribe  
Ute Indian Tribe, Utah

## SOUTHERN PLAINS REGION

Cherokee Nation  
Comanche Tribe of Oklahoma  
Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma

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8:30 am – 5:00 pm CTER Board of Directors Board Meeting

4:30 pm – 6:30 pm Early Conference Registration and Check In

*Special raffle for those who check in early*

***Wednesday, December 13, 2023***

***Moderators: Melvin Wheeler and Kelcey Packineau***

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7:00 am Conference Registration and Check In

***7:30 am Breakfast – Sponsored by***

8:00 am Posting of Colors: CTER Veterans

8:30 am Opening Prayer: Del Ray German, Sisseton-Wahpeton Oyate Tribe

8:45 am Welcome Address: Melvin Wheeler Sr., CTER Chairman

9:00 am Bernice Delorme, CTER Legal Counsel Advisor:

10:00 am Cane Smith

11:00 am Arlando Teller, Assistant Secretary (FHWA)

***12:00 pm Break - Lunch on your own***

1:30 pm EEOC – Invited

3:00 pm Kostan R Lathoris, Federal / Indian & Tribal Law Attorney: sovereign immunity

3:30 pm Dezbah Hatathli, Native Nation Ambassador for Infrastructure Development

4:00 pm Shana Peschek -Machinist Institute: Apprenticeship

4:30 pm Andi Clifford, Wind River tribal Counsel Human resource Director:

***5:00 pm Adjourn***





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