



June 27, 2024
Report from District One
Honorable Amy Lyn Blake

Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Puerto Rico, and Rhode Island

Welcome New Members

Please join me in welcoming **Boston Municipal Court Chief Justice Tracy-Lee Lyons, District Court Judge Kimberly Foster** and **Land Court Mediation Attorney Barbara Macy** to District One!

Justice Jackson's Nuremberg Trials

Several members of District One gathered at the historic Lawrence Superior Court to hear from John Q. Barrett, the Benjamin N. Cardozo Professor of Law at St. John's University, and a world-renowned expert on the Nuremberg Trials. His lecture was entitled: Exploring the Legal Legacy of the Trials of Nazis and The Holocaust.

Thank you to Temple Emanuel of Andover and **Justice Kathe Tuttman (ret.)** for sponsoring this important event. District One members in attendance included **Judges Jennifer Ulwick, Christine Anthony, Lee Peterson, Kathe Tuttman and Amy Blake.**



(Judge Tuttman, Professor Barrett, Judges Lee Peterson, Kathe Tuttman & Amy Blake)

Juneteenth

Chief Justice Stacey Fortes was the keynote speaker for a Juneteenth Reception: Celebrating Empowerment, sponsored by the Massachusetts Bar Association's Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee, the Massachusetts Black Lawyer's Association, and the Massachusetts Black Women Attorneys.



International Association of Family & Conciliation Courts

Justice Amy Lyn Blake presented at the International Association of Family and Conciliation Courts Annual Conference. Her topic was: Should Children Participate in the Family Law Process? Participants included lawyers, judges, and mental health professionals from the United States, Canada, England, Italy, Kenya, Hong Kong, Australia, Singapore, & Wales.



Continuing Education

Judge Helen Brown Bryant was a panelist on MCLE's Trial Advocacy Workshop for "rising and determined trial lawyers."

Judge Audrey Murillo chaired the Mass Bar 7th Annual Juvenile and Child Welfare Conference. **Judge Gloria Tan** was also a panelist.

Judge Michelle Fentress was a panelist on MCLE's District Court Judicial Forum 2024.

Respectfully submitted:

Hon. Amy Lyn Blake
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