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April Luncheon Meeting

Guest Speaker

Shawn Henry

Assistant Director of the FBI Cyber Division

Wednesday, April 14, 2009 @12:00 PM

New York County Lawyers' Association

14 Vesey Street, New York, NY 10017

**Luncheon Cost: \$35 for members (\$40 for non-members)
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President's Message:

April 2009

We were pleased to have Deputy Criminal Justice Coordinator/ Director, Mayor's Office Special Enforcement Shari C. Hyman, as our March luncheon speaker.*

Ms. Hyman discussed how through a coordinated multi-agency response, OSE identifies and quickly addresses quality of life issues in New York City. Her main topic of discussion was the enforcement measures OSE uses to confront the counterfeiting of designer handbags and other items particularly in Lower Manhattan. She noted that using innovative and cutting-edge enforcement strategies the Mayor's Office of Special Enforcement, in conjunction with the NYPD, FDNY, the Department of Finance, the Department of Health and elected officials, has been using Nuisance Abatement laws to close in on the illegal trademark community along Canal Street. Ms. Hyman also discussed how private corporations are used to underwrite these sometime long and costly trademark investigations. She cited a recent case in Chinatown, where the Mayor and Police Commissioner announced the closing of 32 illegal storefronts and the seizure of \$1,000,000 worth of knock-off goods by her office, the 5th Precinct and Patrol Borough Manhattan South. There was a lively question and answer session after the Director's very information lecture.

Ms Hyman previously served as an Assistant District Attorney in Manhattan working in both the Trial Division and the Labor Racketeering Unit. She received a Bachelor of Arts degree from Columbia University and her Juris Doctor from Northwestern University.

Our April luncheon guest speaker will be Shawn Henry, Director of the FBI's Cyber Division. Mr. Henry will discuss how his office looks into serious computer intrusions and the spread of malicious code; identifies and stops online sexual predators; counteracts operations that target the United States; and the dismantling of nationally and internationally organized Internet fraud.

**As noted in an earlier email, our original guest speaker, John Curry, President of the NY Trademark Task Force, was called to testify at a federal sentencing/restitution hearing in another state and was unable to attend.*

To ensure you are accommodated at the April luncheon, please pre-register by calling 888-893-4332, or emailing breilly@aapple.org

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FUTURE EVENTS:

Luncheons:

To be held at the New York County Lawyers' Association, 14 Vesey Street, New York at 12:00 pm on:

- Tuesday, May 19, 2009
- Tuesday, October 27, 2009

Annual Scholarship Cruise:

- June 11, 2009.

Golf Outing:

- October 5, 2009, at the Richmond County Country Club, 135 Flagg Place, Staten Island, NY

I look forward to seeing you all at our upcoming events.

***Sincerely,
Rafael Pineiro***