

ATLA Annual Convention

The Association of Trial Lawyers of America (ATLA) Annual Convention will be held 19-23 July in San Diego. Brochures are available from APLA's office on (02) 9415 4233.

Would all APLA members attending please contact John Peacock, Executive Office, APLA, to discuss ways APLA and our National Conference can be promoted at the ATLA Convention.

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APLA Victoria function

As part of its Protect Victims' Rights Campaign, the Victoria branch of APLA held an informal function for barristers on 5 June 1997.

The function was well received with approximately sixty barristers and APLA committee members in attendance. Presentations were made by Jack Rush QC, Peter Semmler QC and Mr Michael Green



Mr Jack Rush QC



Peter Gordon, Peter Semmler QC, Paul Mulvany



Victorian Committee of APLA. From left: Sean Millard, Paul Henderson, Don O'Halloran, Tony Kenyon, Angela Sdrinis (Pres.) Andrea Wallace, Audrey Jamieson, Geoff Coates

Members of Victorian Bar

