



## 2022 Misdemeanor Defender Training

November 1-4, 2022

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### **Tuesday, November 1**

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| 1:00-1:30 pm | Welcome and Introductory Remarks  |
| 1:30-2:45 pm | <b>Basics of Driving While Impaired (Part 1)</b> (75 min.)<br>Shea Denning, Professor of Public Law and Government<br>UNC School of Government, Chapel Hill, NC |
| 2:45-3:00 pm | <i>Break</i>  |
| 3:00-3:45 pm | <b>Basics of Driving While Impaired (Part 2)</b> (45 min.)<br>Shea Denning, Professor of Public Law and Government<br>UNC School of Government, Chapel Hill, NC |
| 3:45-4:30 pm | <b>Problems with Pleadings</b> (45 min.)<br>Jim Grant, Assistant Appellate Defender<br>Office of the Appellate Defender, Durham, NC                             |
| 4:30 pm      | <i>Adjourn</i>  |



**Wednesday, November 2**

- 9:00-10:30 am      **Client Interviewing and Rapport** (90 min.)  
Tucker Charns, Regional Defender  
North Carolina Office of Indigent Defense Services, Durham, NC
- 10:30-10:45 am      *Break*
- 10:45-11:45 am      **Ethical Issues in District Court (ETHICS)** (60 min.)  
Kelley DeAngelus, Deputy Counsel  
North Carolina State Bar, Raleigh, NC
- 11:45-12:45 pm      *Lunch* (60 min.)
- 12:45-1:45 pm      **Introducing Evidence** (60 min.)  
John Donovan, Magistrate Judge  
Judicial District 14, Durham, NC
- 1:45-3:15 pm      **Introduction to Structured Sentencing** (90 min.)  
Jamie Markham, Thomas Willis Lambeth Distinguished Chair in Public Policy  
UNC School of Government, Chapel Hill, NC
- 3:15-3:30 pm      *Break*
- 3:30-4:30 pm      **Probation Violations** (60 min.)  
Jamie Markham, Thomas Willis Lambeth Distinguished Chair in Public Policy  
UNC School of Government, Chapel Hill, NC
- 4:30 pm      *Adjourn*



**Thursday, November 3**

- 9:00-9:45 am      **Negotiating Effectively** (45 min.)  
Derek Brown, Attorney  
The Derek K. Brown Law Firm, PC, Greenville, NC
- 9:45-11:00 am      **Negotiating Workshops** (75 min.)
- 11:00-11:15 am      *Break*
- 11:15-12:30 pm      **Suppressing Evidence in District Court** (75 min.)  
Phil Dixon, Jr., Defender Educator  
UNC School of Government, Chapel Hill, NC
- 12:30-1:30 pm      *Lunch*
- 1:30-2:30 pm      **Driving Records and Getting Your Client Back on the Road** (60 min.)  
Michael Paduchowski, Attorney  
Law Office of Matthew Charles Suczynski, Chapel Hill, NC
- 2:30-3:15 pm      **Pre-trial Release** (45 min.)  
Emily Mistr, Interim Clinical Director  
Blanchard Community Law Clinic, Raleigh, NC
- 3:15-3:30 pm      *Break*
- 3:30-4:30 pm      **Crimmigration** (60 min.)  
Barbara Lagemann, Assistant Public Defender  
Durham County Office of the Public Defender, Durham, NC
- 4:30 pm      *Adjourn*



**Friday, November 4** (Mini Bench Trial School Using Hypotheticals)

- 9:00-10:00 am      **Theory of Defense/Emotional Themes** (60 min.)  
Tucker Charns, Regional Defender  
North Carolina Office of Indigent Defense Services, Durham, NC
- 10:00-10:30 am      **Cross Examination** (30 min.)  
Phil Dixon, Jr., Defender Educator  
UNC School of Government, Chapel Hill, NC
- 10:30-10:45 am      *Break*
- 10:45-12:15 pm      **Cross Examination Workshops** (90 min.)
- 12:15-1:15 pm      *Lunch*
- 1:15-1:45 pm      **Direct Examination** (30 min.)  
Timothy Heinle, Civil Defender Educator  
UNC School of Government, Chapel Hill, NC
- 1:45-3:00 pm      **Direct Examination Workshops** (75 min.)
- 3:00-3:15 pm      *Break*
- 3:15-4:00 pm      **Rules of Evidence Refresher** (45 min.)  
Jonathan Broun, Senior Staff Attorney  
NC Prisoner Legal Services, Raleigh, NC
- 4:00-4:15pm      *Final Wrap-up and Closing Remarks*
- 4:15 pm      *Adjourn*

**CLE HOURS: 20.25**

*Includes 1 hour of ethics/professional responsibility*

*\*Pending approval by the NC State Bar\**