

## 2022 Decision-Making for Magistrates

December 1 – December 2, 2022

### Thursday, December 1

- 9:00 a.m.      **Welcome and Introductions**  
Emily Turner, UNC School of Government  
Melanie Crenshaw, UNC School of Government
- 9:20 a.m.      **What is Justice?**  
Emily Turner, UNC School of Government  
Melanie Crenshaw, UNC School of Government
- 10:20 a.m.      *Break*
- 10:35 a.m.      **Judicial Philosophy: Your Role in the System**  
Jim Drennan, UNC School of Government
- 11:35 a.m.      **How Do We Do It? The Judicial Decision-Making Process**  
Emily Turner, UNC School of Government
- 12:30 p.m.      *Lunch*
- 1:30 p.m.      **What is the Law and How Do We Find It?**  
Melanie Crenshaw, UNC School of Government
- 2:45 p.m.      *Break*
- 3:00 p.m.      **How Do You Apply the Law to the Facts?**  
Emily Turner, UNC School of Government
- 5:00 p.m.      *Adjourn for the day*

## **Friday, December 2**

- 9:00 a.m.      **Is That It? Discretion, Perception, & Unwanted Influences**  
Emily Turner, UNC School of Government
- 9:45 a.m.      **Common Cognitive Errors and Tools to Avoid Some of Them**  
Emily Turner, UNC School of Government
- 10:45 a.m.      *Break*
- 11:00 a.m.      **Building Our Toolbox: Making a Plan for Optimized Decision-Making**  
Emily Turner, UNC School of Government  
Melanie Crenshaw, UNC School of Government
- 12:30 p.m.      *Adjourn for the day*

**Total Credit Hours: 9.75**