



2016 Spring Public Defender Attorney and Investigator Conference

May 11-13, 2016 — Great Wolf Lodge, Concord NC

Sponsored by the UNC-Chapel Hill School of Government,
North Carolina Office of Indigent Defense Services,
North Carolina Association of Public Defenders, &
North Carolina Association of Public Defender Investigators

ATTORNEY AGENDA

(This conference offers 12 hours of CLE credit. All hours are general credit hours unless otherwise noted.)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 11

- 11:30 Check-in (*Conference Center Foyer*)
- 1:20 Welcome & Announcements (*White Pine Ballroom*)
Alyson Grine, Defender Educator, UNC School of Government, Chapel Hill, NC
- 1:30 **Bar Complaints: How to Avoid or Handle Them** [Ethics, 60 min.]
Brad Bannon, Attorney, Cheshire, Parker, Schneider, & Bryan, Raleigh, NC;
Richard Rosen, Professor of Law Emeritus, UNC Chapel Hill School of Law
- 2:30 **Framing Your Case to Get to Reasonable Doubt (What's Driving the Fact Finder)** [45 min.]
Artemis Malekpour, Attorney and Trial Consultant, Malekpour & Ball, Chapel Hill, NC
- 3:15 Break (*Conference Center Foyer*)
- 3:45 NC Public Defender Association Business Meeting [20 min.]
- 4:05 **Indigent Defense Update** [60 min.]
Susan Brooks, Public Defender Administrator and Tom Maher, Executive Director,
NC Office of Indigent Defense Services, Durham, NC
- 5:05 Reception (*Terrace and Conference Center Foyer*)



THURSDAY, MAY 12 (A.M.)

7:45 Breakfast (*Conference Center Foyer*)
(IDS employees may not claim reimbursement for breakfast)

| | <i>White Pine 1 & 2</i> | <i>Fallen Timbers</i> |
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| 8:45 | <u>FELONY TRACK</u> Mixed DNA Profiles and Problems of Interpretation [45 min.] Michael Coble, Forensic Biologist, National Institute of Standards and Technology, US Dept. of Commerce, Washington, DC | <u>MISDEMEANOR TRACK</u> Discovery Strategies for District Court [45 min.] Toussaint Romain, Assistant Public Defender, Charlotte, NC |
| 9:30 | <i>Break (Conference Center Foyer)</i> | |
| 9:45 | <u>FELONY TRACK</u> DNA: Update on NC Developments (panel) [45 min.] Michael Coble; Maher "Max" Nouredine, President, ForensiGen, Hillsborough, NC; Sarah Olson, Forensic Resource Counsel, Durham, NC | <u>MISDEMEANOR TRACK</u> Admissibility of Social Media Evidence [45 min.] Gilda Rodriguez, Attorney, Durham, NC |
| 10:30 | <i>Break (Conference Center Foyer)</i> | |
| 10:45 | <u>FELONY TRACK</u> Eyewitness Identification Law and Procedures [45 min.] Michele Goldman and Kathleen Joyce, Assistant Appellate Defenders, Durham, NC | <u>MISDEMEANOR TRACK</u> Legal Issues Surrounding Gangs [45 min.] Lisa Williams, Attorney, Williams & Williams, Durham, NC |

11:30 Lunch on your own, except:

- Chief Public Defenders and IDS staff meet for lunch (*Wood Fired Grill*)
- NC Forensic Consultant Network meet for lunch (*White Pine 1 & 2*)
- Juvenile Defenders meet for lunch (*Fallen Timbers*)



THURSDAY, MAY 12 (P.M.)

| | <i>White Pine 1 & 2</i> | <i>Fallen Timbers</i> |
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| 1:00 | <u>FELONY TRACK</u> Physical Evidence in Sexual Offense Cases [60 min.] Cynthia Brown, Physician, Mission Children's Clinic, Asheville, NC | <u>MISDEMEANOR TRACK</u> Misdemeanor Case Law Update [60 min.] Alyson Grine |
| 2:00 | <i>Break (Conference Center Foyer)</i> | |
| 2:15 | <u>FELONY TRACK</u> Motions and Legal Issues in Sexual Offense Cases [45 min.] Michael Howell, Assistant Public Defender, Raleigh, NC; Mark Montgomery, Attorney, Durham, NC | <u>MISDEMEANOR TRACK</u> Rules of Evidence Refresher [45 min.] Jonathan Broun, Attorney, Prisoners Legal Services, Inc., Raleigh, NC |
| 3:00 | <i>Break (Conference Center Foyer)</i> | |
| 3:15 | <u>FELONY TRACK</u> Felony Case Law Update [60 min.] John Rubin, Professor of Public Law & Govt. UNC School of Government, Chapel Hill, NC | <u>MISDEMEANOR TRACK</u> DWI Hot Topics: Blood Cases, Motions, and More [60 min.] Walter "Butch" Jenkins III, Attorney, Thigpen and Jenkins, LLP, Biscoe, NC |
| 4:15 | <i>Break (Conference Center Foyer)</i> | |
| | <i>White Pine 1 & 2</i> | |
| 4:30 | <u>COMBINED FELONY AND MISDEMEANOR TRACK</u> Preparing Your Client for Prison [60 min.] Shane Tharrington, Programs Director III Department of Public Safety, Division of Adult Correction and Juvenile Justice, Rehabilitative Programs and Services Inmate Case Management and Facility Recreation Director, Raleigh, NC | |

5:30 Adjourn (dinner on your own)



FRIDAY, MAY 13

- 8:00 Breakfast (*Conference Center Foyer*)
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- 9:00 **The Duty to Provide Competent, Zealous, and Informed Representation** [Ethics, 60 min.] (*White Pine Ballroom*)
Glenn Gerding, Appellate Defender, Durham, NC
- 10:00 **Probation Law Update** [45 min.]
Jamie Markham, Albert and Gladys Hall Coates Distinguished Term Associate Professor, UNC School of Government, Chapel Hill, NC
- 10:45 Break (*Conference Center Foyer*)
- 11:00 **Open Data Policing Initiative: How to Access and Use Traffic Stop Data** [30 min.]
Dave Hall, Senior Staff Attorney, and Ian Mance, Staff Attorney, Southern Coalition for Social Justice, Durham, NC
- 11:30 **Distress Tolerance and Treatment for Mood and Substance Use Disorders** [Substance Abuse/Mental Health, 60 min.]
Stacey Daughters, Clinical Psychologist and Associate Professor, UNC Chapel Hill Department of Psychology and Neuroscience
- 12:30 Adjourn
- Chief Public Defenders Lunch Meeting (*Wood Fired Grill*)

CLE HOURS

General Hour(s): 9.0

Ethics Hour(s): 2.0

Substance Abuse/Mental Health Hour(s): 1.0

Total CLE Hours: 12.00