



OSPD & MPDA
FALL PUBLIC DEFENDERS SEMINAR
BANCORPSOUTH CENTER ♦ TUPELO, MS
October 24-26, 2018

AGENDA

Wednesday, October 24, 2018

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| 10:00am - 12:00pm | Registration |
| 10:00am - 12:00pm | MPDA Board Meeting |
| 12:00pm - 12:55pm | Lunch (On your own) |
| 12:55pm - 1:00pm | Welcome
<i>André de Gruy, State Public Defender</i>
<i>Office of State Public Defender</i>
<i>Jackson, Mississippi</i> |
| 1:00pm - 2:00pm
(Ethics) | A Follow-Up Presentation: Are Mississippi Kids Satisfied With Their Public Defenders?

<i>Beau Rudder, Director of Training</i>
<i>Office of State Public Defender, Training Division</i>
<i>Jackson, Mississippi</i>

<i>Stacy Ferraro, JLWOP Resource Counsel</i>
<i>Office of State Public Defender, Training Division</i>
<i>Jackson, Mississippi</i>

<i>Brenda Locke, Juvenile Resource Counsel</i>
<i>Office of State Public Defender, Training Division</i>
<i>Jackson, MS</i> |

- 2:00pm - 3:00pm **Radical Kinship: Homeboy Industries and My Story of Reentry**
Joseph Lucero, Actor
Los Angeles, CA
- 3:00pm - 3:15pm **Break**
- 3:15pm - 4:00pm **We Need You: An Opportunity to Participate in Research about Us**
- 4:00pm - 4:45pm **Living With Incarceration**
Asya Branch, Miss Mississippi
Booneville, Mississippi
- 4:45pm - 5:00pm **Break**
- 5:00pm - 6:00pm **Case Law Update**
Justin Taylor Cook, Assistant Appellate Defender
Office of State Public Defender, Indigent Appeals Division
Jackson, MS
- 6:00pm - 6:15pm **MPDA Business Meeting**
- 6:15pm - 7:45pm **MPDA Reception**

Thursday, October 25, 2018

- 7:00am - 9:00am **Breakfast**
- 9:00am - 10:00am **The Crime Scene: What the Cops Do and Why That’s Important to Us**
Jeremy Necaie, Former CSI and Current Parent Defender
Hancock County Court
Bay St. Louis, Mississippi
- 9:00am - 12:15pm **Appellate Writing Track**
- “Eunice Parchman killed the Coverdale family because she could not read or write”**: Using Stories to Engage and Persuade
- Estelle McKee, Clinical Professor of Law (Lawyering)*
Cornell Law School
Ithaca, New York
- Marie Donnelly, Attorney*
Law Office of Marie Donnelly
Evanston, Illinois

- 10:00am - 11:00am **Stepping Out of the Office: How Visiting the Scene and Other Investigation Essentials Can Make Your Case**
- Richard Carter, Public Defender
Law Offices of Richard Carter
Kosciusko, Mississippi*
- Max Mayes, Defense Investigator
Investigative Consulting, LLC
Raymond, Mississippi*
- 11:00am - 11:15am **Break**
- 11:15am - 12:15pm **Body Cameras**
- Lindsay Watts, Assistant Public Defender
Pearl River County Public Defender's Office
Picayune, Mississippi*
- 12:15pm - 1:15pm **Lunch**
- 1:15pm - 2:15pm **How Gideon's Promise Changed Us and Our Work**
- Greg Spore, Assistant Public Defender
Hinds County Public Defender's Office
Jackson, Mississippi*
- Jason Payne, Assistant Public Defender
Jackson County Public Defender's Office
Pascagoula, Mississippi*
- Chris Routh, Assistant Public Defender
Hinds County Public Defender's Office
Jackson, Mississippi*
- 2:15pm - 2:30pm **Break**
- 2:30pm - 4:00pm **Building Alliances With Our Clients**
- Watani Tyehimba, Defense Investigator
Tyehimba Services, Inc.
Decatur, Georgia*
- 2:30pm - 4:00pm **Alternative Discussion Group**
- Public Defender Task Force: Final Report and Next Steps**
- André de Gruy, State Public Defender
Office of State Public Defender
Jackson, Mississippi*

4:00pm - 4:15pm

Break

4:15pm - 5:15pm

Civil Rights Corps: Our Work and Our Honest Use of Language

Alec Karakatsanis, Founder and Executive Director

Civil Rights Corps

Washington, D.C.

Friday, October 26, 2018

7:00am - 9:00am

Breakfast

9:00am - 10:00am

Building a Database of Police Misconduct

Cynthia Conti-Cook, Staff Attorney in Special Litigation Unit

The Legal Aid Society of New York, Criminal Defense Division

New York, New York

10:00am - 10:15am

Break

10:15am - 11:15am

Women in the Law: The Goldilocks Dilemma

(Ethics) **Moderator:**

Victoria Lowery, Director of Advocacy

Mississippi College School of Law

Jackson, Mississippi

Panelists:

Ann Hannaford Lamar, Retired Associate Justice

The Mississippi Supreme Court

Jackson, Mississippi

Erica McKinley, General Counsel

The University of Mississippi

University, Mississippi

Cynthia H. Speetjens, Attorney

Cynthia Speetjens, PA

Madison, Mississippi

Adjourn