



MISSISSIPPI TRIAL & APPELLATE JUDGES SPRING CONFERENCE AGENDA

Harrah's Convention Center - Robinsonville, Mississippi
April 22-24, 2009



Wednesday, April 22

9:30-12:00 noon	MJC Board of Governors Meeting	<i>Veranda Hotel Magnolia Board Room</i>
1:00-2:00 p.m.	CJE Committee Meeting	<i>Convention Center Meeting Room 3</i>
1:00-2:00 p.m.	Registration	<i>Convention Center Lobby Booth</i>
2:00 p.m.	Welcome and Opening Remarks <i>Cynthia D. Davis - Director, MJC</i> <i>Mike Wright - Program Manager, MJC</i>	<i>Convention Center Ballroom A</i>
2:05-2:30 p.m.	Commission Report: Mississippi Lawyers and Judges Assistance Program <i>Betty Daugherty</i> <i>Director - Mississippi Lawyers and Judges Assistance Program</i> <i>The Mississippi Bar</i>	
2:30-3:00 p.m.	Mississippi Administrative Office of Courts Update <i>Kevin Lackey</i> <i>Director - Mississippi AOC</i>	
3:00-3:15 p.m.	Break	
3:15-4:00 p.m.	Judicial Wellness and Managing your Stress <i>Hon. Neil Harris</i> <i>Chancery Court Judge</i> <i>Hon. David Ishee</i> <i>Mississippi Court of Appeals Judge</i>	
4:00-5:00 p.m.	Understanding the Importance of Courtroom Security <i>Judy Cramer</i> <i>District Court Administrator, Superior Court of Fulton County</i> <i>Atlanta, Georgia</i>	
5:30-7:00 p.m.	Welcoming Reception With Court Reporters and Court Administrators	<i>Veranda Pool Deck</i>

Thursday, April 23

7:30-8:30 a.m.	Continental Breakfast	<i>Convention Center Ballroom B</i>
8:30-9:15 a.m.	Working with Your Court Reporter <i>Anita Paul Johnson</i> <i>Las Vegas, Nevada</i>	<i>Convention Center Ballroom A</i>
9:15-9:30 a.m.	Break	
9:30-10:30 a.m.	Supreme Court of Mississippi 2008 Annual Report <i>Hon. William L. Waller, Jr.</i> <i>Chief Justice</i> <i>Mississippi Supreme Court</i>	
10:30-10:45 a.m.	Break	
10:45-11:45 a.m.	Conference of Judges Administrative Breakout Sessions: <i>Appellate.....Convention Center Meeting Room 6</i> <i>Chancery.....Convention Center Meeting Room 4</i> <i>Circuit.....Convention Center Ballroom A</i> <i>County.....Convention Center Meeting Room 5</i> <i>Senior Status.....Convention Center Ballroom B</i>	
12:00-1:15 p.m.	Conference of Judges Luncheon	<i>Convention Center Ballroom B</i>
1:30-2:00 p.m.	Report from the Mississippi Commission on Judicial Performance <i>Brant Brantley</i> <i>Executive Director, MCJP</i>	<i>Convention Center Ballroom A</i>
2:00-3:30 p.m.	Ethics 24 Hours a Day <i>Hon. John Lineberger</i> <i>Rogers, Arkansas</i>	
3:30-3:45 p.m.	Break	
3:45-5:00 p.m.	Breakout Sessions: <i>Chancery.....Convention Center Meeting Room 4</i> Family Law Update <i>Professor Debbie Bell</i> <i>University of Mississippi Law School</i> <i>Circuit and County.....Convention Center Ballroom A</i> Domestic Violence Report <i>Hon. Ann Lamar - MS Supreme Court</i>	

Panel Discussion with the Criminal Rules Commission

Moderator:

Hon. Larry Roberts - MS Court of Appeals

Panel:

Hon. Kent McDaniel - Rankin County Court

Professor Matthew Steffey - MC School of Law

Friday, April 24

7:30-8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast *Convention Center Ballroom*

8:30-11:30 a.m. **Conference of Judges Study Committee Meetings:**

Appellate.....Convention Center Meeting Room 6

Chancery.....Convention Center Meeting Room 8

Circuit.....Convention Center Meeting Room 7

County.....Convention Center Meeting Room 9

11:30 a.m. Conclusion of Conference

2009 SPRING CONFERENCE STUDY COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDAS

APPELLATE <i>Meeting Room 6</i>	CHANCERY <i>Meeting Room 8</i>	CIRCUIT <i>Meeting Room 7</i>	COUNTY <i>Meeting Room 9</i>
<p>8:30-11:30 a.m. Overview of the Attorney General's Cyber Crime Center</p> <p><i>Jay Houston</i> <i>Internet Crimes Against Children Investigator</i></p> <p><i>Keith Leavitt</i> <i>Forensic Examiner</i></p> <p><i>Jean Smith Vaughan</i> <i>Special Assistant Attorney General</i></p>	<p>8:30-11:30 a.m. Discussion of Chancery Court Issues</p>	<p>8:30-10:00 a.m. Criminal DNA Testing</p> <p><i>Deedra Hughes</i> <i>DNA Technical Leader</i> <i>MS Crime Lab</i></p> <p>10:15-11:00 a.m. Circuit Case Update <i>Hon. David Strong, Jr.</i> <i>Fourteenth Circuit Court District</i> <i>McComb, MS</i></p> <p>11:00-11:30 a.m. General Discussion of Circuit Court Issues</p>	<p>8:30-10:00 a.m. Juvenile Detention in Mississippi</p> <p><i>Hon. Tom Broome</i> <i>Rankin County Court Judge</i></p> <p><i>Patti Marshall</i> <i>Assistant Attorney General</i></p> <p><i>Hon. Mike McPhail</i> <i>Forrest County Court Judge</i></p> <p>10:15-11:30 a.m. General Discussion of County Court Issues</p>