

Fundamentals of Prosecution

Callaway Gardens, Mountain Creek Inn Ballroom

January 21-23, 2009

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Wednesday, January 21, 2009

Peach Ballroom

- 12:00-12:15 PM **Introduction**
Honorable Barry Morgan, Solicitor-General, Cobb County
- 12:15-12:45 PM **Role and Function of the Prosecutor**
Honorable Kermit McManus, District Attorney, Conasauga Judicial Circuit
- 12:45-2:45 PM **Prosecutorial Ethics and the Georgia Rules of Professional Responsibility**
Honorable Dennis Sanders, District Attorney, Toombs Judicial Circuit
Mr. Chuck Olson, General Counsel, Prosecuting Attorneys' Council of Georgia
- 2:45-3:00 PM **Break**
- 3:00-4:00 PM **Professional Liability of Prosecutors**
Mr. John Jones, Attorney at Law, Atlanta, Georgia
- 4:00-4:15 PM **Break**
- 4:15-5:15 PM **How to Deal with the Community and the Media**
Honorable Barry Morgan, Solicitor-General, Cobb County
- 5:15-5:45 PM **Mentoring Program**
Mr. Chuck Olson, General Counsel, Prosecuting Attorneys' Council of Georgia

Thursday, January 22, 2009

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- 8:30-10:30 AM **Charging Documents (Indictments, Accusations, Juvenile Petitions)**
Ms. Ann McNellis Elmore, Assistant District Attorney, Eastern Judicial Circuit
- 10:30-10:45 AM **Break**
- 10:45-11:15 AM **Relationships with your Witnesses and Police Officers**
Honorable Chuck Spahos, Solicitor-General, Henry County
- 11:15-12:15 PM **Dealing with Victims and Using Your Victim Advocate**
Ms. Kim McCoy, Victim-Witness Advocacy Program Director, Cobb Judicial Circuit

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- 12:15-1:30 PM **Lunch**
- 1:30-3:00 PM **Case Evaluation & Trial Preparation**
Mr. Joe Burford, Director of Trial Support, Prosecuting Attorneys' Council of Georgia
- 3:00-3:15 PM **Break**
- 3:15-4:15 PM **Plea Negotiations**
Mr. Joe Burford, Director of Trial Support, Prosecuting Attorneys' Council of Georgia
- 4:15-5:15 PM **Discovery**
Mr. Henry Thompson, Assistant District Attorney, Cobb Judicial Circuit

Friday, January 23, 2009

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- 8:30-10:00 AM **Protecting the Case on Appeal**
Mr. Dana Norman, Assistant District Attorney, Cobb Judicial Circuit
- 10:00-11:00 AM **Knowing and Using PAC Resources**
Mr. David Fowler, Deputy Executive Director, Prosecuting Attorneys' Council of Georgia
- 11:00-11:15 AM **Georgia Lawyer Assistance Program**
Mr. Steve Brown, Lawyer Assistance Program, State Bar of Georgia
- 11:15 AM **Graduation**