



# Mississippi Court Administrators Spring Conference April 26-28, 2017

## *Conference Agenda*

### Wednesday, April 26, 2017

9:00 - 10:30 a.m.	C. E. Committee Meeting	<i>Azalea D</i>
11:00 - 1:00 p.m.	Conference Registration	<i>Magnolia E</i>
1:00 - 1:10 p.m.	Welcome & Administrative Remarks	<i>Camellia B</i>
	<i>Hon. Randy Pierce, Director Krista Poynor, Program Coordinator Mississippi Judicial College</i>	
	<i>Thelma Donley President, MCAA</i>	
1:10 - 2:00 p.m.	<b>Maintaining Technology Security</b>	<i>Camellia B</i>
	<i>Andy Collins, Extension Instructor Center for Technology Outreach Mississippi State University Extension</i>	
2:00 - 2:10 p.m.	Break	
2:10 - 3:00 p.m.	<b>Effective Techniques for Working With Court Interpreters</b>	<i>Camellia B</i>
	<i>Ta'Shia Gordon Deputy Director of AOC</i>	
	<i>Georgina Barvie Certified Court Interpreter</i>	
3:00 - 3:10 p.m.	Break	
3:10 - 4:00 p.m.	<b>Panel Discussion</b> <i>(pending questions and topics)</i>	<i>Camellia B</i>
	<b>Moderator:</b> <i>Valarie Rigdon County Court Administrator</i>	
	<b>Panel:</b> <i>Thelma Donley, President Rachel Stanley, Past President Kathy Alford, Past President</i>	
4:00 - 5:00 p.m.	Business Meeting	<i>Camellia B</i>
	<b>Thelma Donley President, MCAA</b>	
5:30 - 7:30 p.m.	Reception	<i>Pool Deck</i>

**Thursday, April 27, 2017**

7:30 - 8:30 a.m.	Continental Breakfast	<i>Camellia B</i>
8:30 - 9:20 a.m.	<b>Role of the Court Administrator</b>  Hon. Kevin Adams <i>Leflore County Court Judge Greenwood, MS</i>	<i>Camellia B</i>
9:20 - 9:30 a.m.	Break	
9:30 - 10:20 a.m.	<b>Professionalism in the Mist of Tragedy</b>  <i>Andy Taggart Attorney at Law Ridgeland, MS</i>	<i>Magnolia F,G,H</i>
10:20 - 10:30 a.m.	Break	
10:30 - 11:20 a.m.	<b>Current Drug Trends</b>  <i>Eddie Hawkins MS Bureau of Narcotics Jackson, MS</i>	<i>Magnolia F,G,H</i>
11:20 - 1:00 p.m.	Court Administrators Awards Luncheon	<i>Camellia B</i>
1:00 - 1:50 p.m.	<b>Diffusing Aggressive Behavior</b>  <i>Selena Merrell PBIS Coordinator University of Southern Mississippi</i>	<i>Camellia B</i>
1:50 - 2:00 p.m.	Break	
2:00 - 2:50 p.m.	<b>CSI: Fact or Fiction</b>  <i>Sam Howell MS Crime Lab Jackson, MS</i>	<i>Camellia B</i>
2:50 - 3:00 p.m.	Break	
3:00 - 3:50p.m.	<b>Legislative Update</b>  <i>Senator Michael Watkins District 51 Pascagoula, MS</i>	<i>Camellia B</i>

## Friday, April 28, 2017

7:30 - 8:30 a.m.	Continental Breakfast	<i>Camellia B</i>
7:30 - 8:30 a.m.	MSCAA Board Training Breakfast	<i>Magnolia G</i>
<b>All newly elected officers and committee members</b>		
8:30 - 9:20 a.m.	<b>Safety Awareness in the Court</b>  <i>Mike Street</i> <i>Specialized Emergency Response Trainer</i> <i>Meridian, MS</i>	<i>Camellia B</i>
9:20 a.m. - 10:10 a.m.	Breakout Sessions:	<i>Magnolia F</i>
<b>Chancery Court Administrators</b>	<b>Domestic Violence Protection Orders</b> <i>Paula Broome</i> <i>Special Assistant Attorney General</i> <i>Deputy Chief, Bureau of Victim Assistance</i> <i>Office of the Attorney General</i> <i>Jackson, MS</i>	
<b>Circuit Court Administrators</b>	<b>Parole Recommendation</b> <i>(Pending Speaker)</i> MS Department of Corrections Jackson, MS	<i>Magnolia G</i>
<b>Youth Court Administrators</b>	<b>MYCIDS</b> <i>Rex Mohan</i> <i>Senior Business Systems Analyst</i> <i>Supreme Court of MS</i> <i>Jackson, MS</i>	<i>Magnolia H</i>
9:20 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. <b>County Court Administrators</b>	<b>Non-Adjudication Orders</b> <i>Hon. Kent McDaniel</i> <i>Rankin County Court Judge</i> <i>(Joint Session with County Court Judges)</i>	<i>Magnolia E</i>
10:10 - 10:20 a.m.	Break	
10:20 - 11:10 a.m.	<b>Healthy Life Balance For Professionals</b>  <i>Chip Glaze</i> <i>Director of Lawyers and Judges Assistance Program</i> <i>The Mississippi Bar</i>	<i>Camellia B</i>
11:50 a.m.	Closing Remarks and Completion of Forms  <i>Kevin Lackey, Director</i> <i>Administrative Office of Courts</i>	<i>Camellia B</i>