



Agenda

MISSISSIPPI MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGES SEMINAR

*Golden Nugget - Biloxi, Mississippi
June 13-15, 2018*

Wednesday, June 13th

- 1:00-2:00 p.m. Seminar Registration.....*Convention Center Lobby*
- Afternoon General Sessions.....*Ballroom DEF*
- 2:00-2:15 p.m. **Welcome & Opening Remarks**
Randy Pierce
MJC Director
- Mike Wright*
MJC Program Manager
- 2:15-3:00 p.m. **Address by the Mississippi Attorney General (0.75)**
Hon. Jim Hood
Mississippi Attorney General
Jackson, Mississippi
- 3:00-3:10 p.m. Break
- 3:10-3:50 p.m. **Mississippi Legal Profession, Professionalism and Perception (1.00)**
Hon. Cham Trotter
Belzoni, Louise and Silver City Municipal Court Judge
Belzoni, Mississippi
- 3:50-4:00 p.m. Break
- 4:00-5:00 p.m. **Municipal Court: A Municipal Court Clerk's Perspective (1.00)**
Panelists:
Donna Davis
Gautier Municipal Court Clerk
Gautier, Mississippi
- Donna Fisher*
Oxford Municipal Court Clerk
Oxford, Mississippi

Thursday, June 14th

- 7:30-8:30 a.m. Breakfast Buffet.....*Ballroom ABC*
- Morning General Sessions.....*Ballroom DEF*
- 8:30-9:00 a.m. **Legislative and Case Law Update (0.50)**
Hon. William Halford, Jr.
Meadville Municipal Court Judge
Meadville, Mississippi

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- 9:00-10:20 a.m. **Traffic & Municipal Ordinance Violations (1.50)**
Hon. Henry Clay III
Jackson Municipal Court Judge
Jackson, Mississippi
- Hon. Hayes Johnson*
Diamondhead Municipal Court Judge
Long Beach, Mississippi
- Hon. David Delgado*
Southaven Municipal Court Judge
Olive Branch, Mississippi
- 10:20-10:30 a.m. Break
- 10:30-11:00 a.m. **Mississippi Commission on Judicial Performance Report (0.50)**
Darlene Ballard
Commission Executive Director
Jackson, Mississippi
- 11:00-11:50 a.m. **Ethical Considerations for the Part-time Judge (1.00)**
Rachel Michel
Commission Senior Staff Attorney
Jackson, Mississippi
- 12:00-1:15 p.m. Lunch Buffet & Association Business Meeting.....*Ballroom ABC*
- 1:15-1:30 p.m. Break
- Afternoon General Sessions.....*Ballroom DEF*
- 1:30-2:45 p.m. **DUI Case Law Update (1.25)**
Molly Miller
Office of the Attorney General
Traffic Safety Resource Prosecutor
Jackson, Mississippi
- 2:45-3:20 p.m. **Department of Public Safety Update (0.75)**
John G. (Trae) Sims, III
General Counsel
Jackson, Mississippi
- 3:20-3:30 p.m. Break
- 3:30-5:00 p.m. **Prosecution and Defense of DUI in Municipal Court (1.50)**
Hon. Keith Miller
Moss Point Municipal Court Judge
Pascagoula, Mississippi
- Dustin Thomas*
Law Office of Dustin N. Thomas PLLC
Pascagoula, Mississippi

Friday, June 15th

7:00-8:00 a.m.	Breakfast Buffet.....	Ballroom ABC
	<u>Morning General Sessions</u>	Ballroom DEF
8:00-8:50 a.m.	Social Media Issues and the Law (1.00) <i>Hon. Kenny Griffis</i> <i>Presiding Judge</i> <i>Mississippi Court of Appeals</i> <i>Jackson, Mississippi</i>	
8:50-9:00 a.m.	Break	
9:00-10:45 a.m.	Panel Discussion: Conducting Municipal Court Cases (1.75) Moderator: <i>Randy Pierce</i> <i>MJC Director</i> Panelists: <i>William Allen</i> <i>Litigation Counsel</i> <i>Mississippi Sheriff's Association</i> <i>Brookhaven, Mississippi</i> <i>Hon. Sean Courtney</i> <i>Wiggins Municipal Court Judge</i> <i>Wiggins, Mississippi</i> <i>Cliff Johnson</i> <i>Assistant Professor of Law</i> <i>Director, MacArthur Justice Center</i> <i>University of Mississippi School of Law</i> <i>University, Mississippi</i> <i>Jennifer Riley-Collins</i> <i>Executive Director</i> <i>ACLU of Mississippi</i> <i>Jackson, Mississippi</i>	
10:45 a.m.	Evaluation / Closing Remarks	
11:00 a.m.	Conclusion of Seminar	