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Conference Registration & Information

Mail-In Registrations

Completed registration forms can be mailed to

MMACJA
Jean Harmison, Executive Secretary
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Springfield, MO 65804

Additional forms can be downloaded at www.mmacja.org.
Make checks payable to MMACJA.

Online Registration & Credit Card Payments

Online registration is available at www.mmacja.org. Payments may be made by credit card.

Late Fees

Conference registrations are due May 3, 2019. A fee of \$50.00 will be assessed for any late conference registrations. When the executive secretary receives registrations on time, the Association is better able to keep costs down and assure that the conference will have adequate materials available for each attendee.

Conference Materials

Electronic conference materials will be made available one week prior to the conference. There is an additional \$25 surcharge for paper notebook and materials.

CLE Hours

The conference program has applied for 17 MCLE hours, including 4.2 ethics hours, under Supreme Court Rules 15 and 18 for Reporting Year July 1, 2018, through June 30, 2019. Attendance at the entire conference qualifies for these credits.

MCLE	12.8
Ethics	4.2
Total	17.0

* Refreshments will be available during throughout the entire conference. Feel free to take breaks as needed.

Comments, Suggestions, & Inquiries

We welcome your feedback concerning this year's conference.

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Agenda for Wednesday, May 22, 2019

9:00 AM – 5:00 PM	Conference Registration Open	5th Floor Atrium
11:15 – 11:45 AM	Welcome Reception for New Judges & First-Time Attendees <i>Judge Renee Hardin-Tammons, President</i>	Valencia A
12:00 – 12:10 PM	Welcome to Annual Courts Conference <i>Judge Karen Krauser, Conference Chair and Judge Renee Hardin-Tammons, President</i>	Granada
12:10 – 1:50 PM	DWI and DOR Cases: Objectively Reviewing the Evidence <i>Jeff Eastman, Carl Ward, and Travis Noble</i>	Granada 2 hours CLE
	Police officers' tools for detection and how to interpret them. Tools for pre-trial supervision and alternative sentencing.	
1:50 – 2:00 PM	Break	
2:00 – 2:50 PM	Task Force on Criminal Justice and Bond Considerations for Judges <i>JR Hobbs</i>	Granada 1 hour CLE (Ethics)
	Presentation on Missouri Supreme Court's Task Force on Criminal Justice. What is the charge of the Task Force? What are the new bond rules for judges per Supreme Court Rule dated December 18, 2018- including a Defendant's right to release, right to bond, and conditions of bond.	
2:50 – 3:40 PM	Legislative Update <i>Rich AuBuchon, Representatives Ellebracht, Rogers, & Plocher</i> Panel discussion on the bills passed in the previous legislative session.	Granada 1 hour CLE
3:40 – 3:50 PM	Break	
3:50 – 4:40 PM	MSHP Drug Dog Demonstration <i>MSHP Trooper Nathan Wallace</i>	Granada 1 hr CLE
	Missouri State Highway Patrol will present on the drug dog training and protocol for use. MSHP will demonstrate how the dogs detect drugs. Session will be followed by a question and answer session.	
4:40 – 5:00 pm	MMACJA General Membership Meeting & Election of Officers	Granada
5:00 – 7:00 pm	Social with Clerks Join your fellow conference attendees for an opening night reception where you will enjoy a selection of hors d'oeuvres, a cash bar, and scenic views of the Lake of the Ozarks.	Valencia Indoor/Outdoor
7:00 – 9:00 pm	2018-2019 Board of Directors Meeting & Dinner	Escollo

Agenda for Thursday, May 23, 2019

7:00 – 8:30 AM	Breakfast Buffet	Marbella
	Breakfast for conference attendees and paid guests of the conference. Please have your identification badge or ticket with you.	
8:30 – 10:10 AM	Eyewitness Identification	Granada
	<i>Dr. Gary Wells</i>	2 hours CLE
	Dr. Gary Wells is a professor at Iowa State University. He has been an invited guest on “60 Minutes.” He will speak regarding eyewitness identification and memory issues.	
10:10 – 10:20 AM	Break	
10:20 – 11:10 AM	New Developments in Search and Seizure	Granada
	<i>Morley Swingle</i>	1 hour CLE
	Recent cases on search and seizure in Missouri and United States courts.	
11:10 AM – 12 PM	SCRAM Technology and Results	Granada
	<i>Josh Fobes, Alcolol Monitor Systems</i>	1 hour CLE
	SCRAM ankle bracelets detects alcohol from the sweat of the person wearing the device. Mr. Fobes will describe the technology and uses including alternatives to incarceration. Mr. Fobes will explain the results of several volunteer members who will wear the SCRAM devices the night before the class.	
12:00 – 1:15 PM	Luncheon	Marbella
	<i>Missouri Supreme Court Judge Breckenridge</i>	
1:15 – 1:30 PM	Break	
1:30 – 2:20 PM	Show Me Courts - Joint Session Between Judges and Court Administrators	Granada
	<i>Judge Gary Lynch and Pat Brooks, OSCA</i>	1 hour CLE
	Show Me Courts is coming to all courts. This class will get you ready for the transition to Show Me Courts including eBench.	
2:20 – 3:10 PM	Domestic Violence	Granada
	<i>Judge Michael Burton</i>	1 hour CLE
	What is domestic violence and the cycle of violence? Why is it important to have model domestic violence codes in every municipality? What are the benefits to victim advocates? Suggestions on how to train police in collecting evidence. How to prosecute domestic violence cases without a victim.	
3:10 – 3:20 PM	Break	
3:20 – 5:00 PM	Minimum Operating Standards and Professionalism	2 hours CLE (Ethics)
	Track 1 - MOS for Part Time Courts	Granada
	<i>Panel includes: Judge Mark Rundel, Judge Tom Motley, Judge Andrea Niehoff, Judge Theresa Bright Pearson, Judge Charles Curry</i>	
	Track 2 - MOS for Full Time Courts and Associate Circuit Judges	Valencia
	<i>Panel includes: Judge Ardie Bland, Judge Cavanaugh Noce, Judge Todd Thornhill, Judge Cotton Walker and Ms. Megan Pfannenstiel, Kansas City Municipal Court</i>	
5:00 PM	Dinner On Your Own	

Agenda for Friday, May 24, 2019

7:00 – 8:30 AM	Breakfast Buffet Breakfast for conference attendees and paid guests of the conference. Please have your identification badge or ticket with you.	Marbella
8:30 – 9:30 AM	Caselaw Update Part 1 <i>Judges Mike Svetlic & Joe Cambiano</i> Judges Mike Svetlic and Joe Cambiano will present “The Mike and Joe Show” with the latest case law relevant to our courts.	Granada 1.2 hours CLE
9:30 – 10:30 AM	Judicial Ethics <i>Judge Glenn Norton</i> Judge Glenn Norton will teach the cannons of judicial ethics utilizing hypotheticals and real life examples.	Granada 1.2 hours CLE (Ethics)
10:30 – 10:40 AM	Break	
10:40 AM – 12 PM	Caselaw Update Part 2 <i>Judges Mike Svetlic & Joe Cambiano</i> Judges Mike Svetlic and Joe Cambiano will present “The Mike and Joe Show” with the latest case law relevant to our courts including ethics and DWI Training.	Granada 1.6 hours CLE

Hotel Information & Reservations

Once again, the Missouri Municipal & Associate Circuit Judges Association’s Annual Courts Conference will be held at The Lodge of Four Seasons at the Lake of the Ozarks.

Reservations

Reservations can be made by phone at 1-888-265-5500 (to speak to an on-site representative please call M-F 8 am - 5 pm or online at <https://reservations.travelclick.com/17336?groupID=2084150>.

The group rate is guaranteed until April 21, 2019. After that date, rooms will be sold at the going rate as available.

Traditional Rooms

The room rate for traditional rooms, which are located anywhere on the property and assigned upon arrival by the front desk, is \$102. Rates for Friday, Saturday, and Sunday immediately following the conference are \$102 based on availability.

Specific Rooms

There is a \$20 upgrade fee if you’d like to be guaranteed a specific room type or location on the property.

Condos

If you’d like to stay in the condos near the main lodge, please contact the lodge directly for rate information.

Credit Cards

If you use a credit card to make your room reservation, your card will only be held to guarantee the reservation. (The Lodge no longer automatically charges for one night.) Upon check-in, there will be a \$50 per day pre-authorization on credit cards for incidentals. If a debit card is being used, the \$50 per day is

processed then credited at check-out.

Tax Exemption

Hotel costs are tax exempt with a letter or purchase order from your municipality.

Dining

To enhance your dining experience, The Lodge of Four Seasons has added family friendly menu options and extended its restaurant hours to accommodate conference attendees. If you encounter any difficulties, please bring them to the attention of Jean Harmison, Executive Secretary, or Karen Krauser, Conference Chair, or Steve Sanders, Facilities Chair. We will do our best to resolve any issues that may arise.

Golf

Tee times for Golf, May 21 - 23, after 12 noon, including cart and with range access are offered at The Cove at a special rate of \$49++ per player, and at a special rate of \$39++ at The Ridge. Make reservations 48 hours in advance and reference the conference to receive the special conference price. Attendee conference badges must be presented at golf check-in.

Additional Activities

For your recreation, the following items are available at an additional cost. Please make your reservations well in advance.

- Spa Shiki Salon
- Boat rental and fishing guide
- Wave runner rental
- Parasailing

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