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SUPREME COURT TRAINING Fall 2012

***ALL SESSIONS TO TAKE PLACE IN THE FRANK D. O'CONNOR
MOOT COURTROOM UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED***

Tuesday, November 13, 2012

9:00 - 9:30 a.m.

Orientation and Distribution of Materials

Faculty: Kevin Duddy, Director of Trial Advocacy
Jennifer Naiburg, Deputy Director of Trial Advocacy

9:30 - 10:50 a.m.

Topic: **Caseload Management**

Faculty: Barry Frankenstein, A.D.A., Kew Gardens I Trial Bureau
Tara DiGregorio, A.D.A., Narcotics Trial Bureau
Kate Brittle, A.D.A., Kew Gardens II Trial Bureau

Category: Law Practice Management

11:00 a.m. -1:00 p.m.

Topic: **Batson/Kern Doctrine**

Faculty: Nicoletta Caferra, Deputy Chief, Appeals Bureau
Michelle Goldstein, Deputy Chief, GVHCB

Category: Ethics & Professionalism

2:00 - 4:30 P.M.

Topic: **Grand Jury Advocacy**
Faculty: Therese Lendino, Chief, Grand Jury Bureau
Kevin Duddy, Director of Trial Advocacy
Jennifer Naiburg, Deputy Director of Trial Advocacy
Category: Skills

Wednesday, November 14, 2012

9:00 - 11:15 a.m.

Topic: **Molineux: The Application and the Evidence**
Faculty: Jennifer Naiburg, Deputy Director, Trial Advocacy
Category: Professional Practice

11:30 a.m. - 12:50 p.m.

Topic: **Overview of the Trial Division**
Faculty: James C. Quinn, Senior Executive A.D.A., Trial Division
Category: Law Practice Management

2:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Topic: **Grand Jury Practice**
Faculty: Therese Lendino, Chief, Grand Jury Bureau
Patricia Malloy, Deputy Chief, Grand Jury Bureau
Category: Law Practice Management
Category: Skills

Thursday, November 15, 2011

10:00 a.m. -11:20 a.m.

Topic: **Case Analysis**
Faculty: Francesco Catarisano, Chief, Kew Gardens I Trial Bureau
ADA (to be named) Kew Gardens I Trial Bureau
Category: Skills

11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Topic: **Speedy Trial Issues**
Faculty: Sharon Brodt, Supervisor, Appeals Bureau
Jennifer Naiburg, Deputy Director of Trial Advocacy
Category: Professional Practice

2:00 - 3:30 p.m.

Topic: **Felony Sentencing**
Faculty: Raymond Scheer, Deputy Chief, Kew Gardens I Trial Bureau
Category: Professional Practice

3:30 pm - 5:00 pm

Topic: **Brady and Rosario**
Faculty: Sharon Brodt, Supervisor, Appeals Bureau
Category: Ethics

Friday, November 16, 2012

9:00 - 10:30 a.m

Topic: **Pre-Trial Hearings & Motion Practice**
Faculty: Kevin Duddy, Director, Trial Advocacy
Category: Professional Practice

10:30 - 11:45 a.m.

Topic: **Jury Selection - Potential Juror Bias and Cause Challenges**
Faculty: Mark Osnowitz, Deputy Chief, Kew Gardens II Trial Bureau
Category: Skills

11:30 - 1:00 p.m.

Topic: **Jury Selection - Exploring Case Issues on Voir Dire**
Faculty: Michelle Goldstein, Deputy Chief, GVHCB
Category: Skills

2:00 - 3:30 p.m.

Topic: **Witness Preparation: For Direct and Cross Examination**
Faculty: Barry Weinrib, Deputy Chief, Narcotics Trial Bureau
Category: Ethics

Monday, November 19, 2012

9:00 - 11:00 a.m

Topic: **Painting a Picture Through Direct Examination**
Faculty: Jennifer Naiburg, Deputy Director, Trial Advocacy
Category: Skills

11:00a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Topic: **Handling Objections**
Faculty: Kevin Duddy, Director of Trial Advocacy
Jennifer Naiburg, Deputy Director of Trial Advocacy
Category: Skills

2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Topic: **Jury Selection - Questioning the Panel & Procedures**
Faculty: Debra Pomodore, Senior A.D.A., Homicide Trials Bureau
Category: Skills

Tuesday, November 20, 2011

10:00 a.m. -12:30 p.m.

Topic: **Mock Jury Selection***
Live Critique: Francesco Catarisano, Chief, Kew Gardens I Trial Bureau
James Evangelou, Chief, CCMCB
Video Critique: Jared Rosenblatt, ADA Special Victims Bureau
Patricia Theodorou, Supervisor, CCMCB
Category: Skills

12:30 -1:00 p.m.

Topic: **Jury Selection Wrap-up**

2:00 -3:00 p.m.

Topic: **Opening Statements and Demonstration**

Faculty: Kevin Duddy, Director of Trial Advocacy

Category: Skills

3:00 -5:00 p.m.

Preparation time for mock opening statements

Wednesday, November 21, 2012

9:30 a.m. -12:00 p.m.

Topic: **Mock Opening Statements***

Live Critique: Kenneth Appelbaum, Dep. Chief, Special Victims Bureau
Jack Warsawsky, Deputy Chief, Homicide Trial Bureau

Video Critique: Karen Ross, ADA Homicide Trial Bureau
Jared Rosenblatt, ADA, Special Victims Bureau

Category: Skills

12:00 - 1:30 p.m.

Topic: **Direct Examination - Overview, Techniques and Demo**

Faculty: Robin Leopold, Deputy Chief, Kew Gardens I Trial Bureau

Category: Skills

Monday, November 26, 2012

9:30 a.m. -12:00 p.m.

Topic: **Mock Direct Examinations***

Live Critique: Daniel Sullivan, Chief, Kew Gardens II Trial Bureau
Brad Leventhal, Chief, Homicide Trial Bureau

Video Critique: Rachel Buchter, ADA, CCMCB
Mark Misorek, ADA, CCMCB

Category: Skills

2:00 -3:30 p.m.

Topic: **Cross Examination - Lecture and Demonstration**
Faculty: James C. Quinn, SEADA, Trial Division
Category: Skills

3:30 -5:00p.m.

Topic: **Cross Examination - Specific Issues**
Faculty: Michele Goldstein, Deputy Chief, GVHCB
Category: Skills

Tuesday, November 27 2012

9:30 a.m. -12:00 p.m.

Topic: **Mock Cross Examinations***
Live Critique: Robert Masters, EADA Legal Affairs Division
Mark Osnowitz, Deputy Chief, Kew Gardens II Bureau
Video Critique: Rosemary Chao, ADA, CCMCB
Jared Rosenblatt, ADA, SVB
Category: Skills

2:00 - 3:30 p.m.

Topic: **Closing Argument - Lecture and Demonstration**
Faculty: Daniel A. Saunders, Deputy EADA, Major Crimes Division
Category: Skills

3:30 - 5:00 p.m.

Topic: **Prosecutorial Misconduct on Summation**
Faculty: John Castellano, Deputy Executive A.D.A., Legal Affairs
Division
Category: Ethics & Professionalism

Wednesday, November 28, 2011

9:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Topic: **Mock Summations***
Live Critique: Robin Leopold, Deputy Chief, Kew Gardens I Trial Bureau
Robert Ferino, Deputy Chief, Narcotics Trials Bureau
Video Critique: Patrick O'Connor, Sr ADA, Homicide Trial Bureau
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Category: Skills

1:00 p.m. Evaluations to be completed

This transitional continuing legal education course has been approved in accordance with the requirements of the Continuing Legal Education Board for a maximum of **40.0** credit hours, of which **7.0** credits are in the *Ethics and Professionalism* category, **8.0** credits in the *Professional Practice* category, **1.5** credits in the *Law Practice Management* category, and **23.5** hours in the *Skills* category*.

* A careful reading of this schedule will reveal more hours in the skills category than are reflected in the above total. Those additional skills hours are under the subheading of “trial advocacy” hours. Section 3 (D)(5) subsections (c) and (d) of the New York State CLE Board Regulations and Guidelines, imposes limits on the use of these hours toward the satisfaction of your CLE requirements. Accordingly, we will award these hours to faculty only. Doing so will have no practical effect on the CLE requirements of the students. The remaining number of hours awarded during this program exceeds the number required in any biennial period as well as the number that may be carried over into the next period.