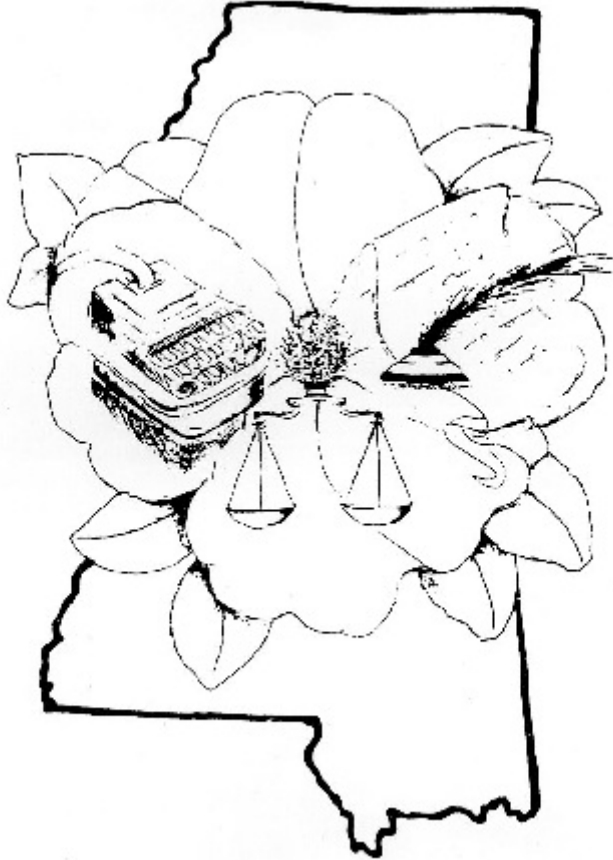


ANNUAL FALL CONFERENCE FOR MISSISSIPPI COURT REPORTERS



*Whispering Woods Hotel and Conference Center
Olive Branch, Mississippi
October 24-25, 2013*

Conducted by:
The Mississippi Judicial College
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ABOUT THE FALL CONFERENCE

The Fall Conference for Court Reporters will be conducted by the Mississippi Judicial College at the Whispering Woods Hotel and Conference Center, 7300 Hacks Cross Road in Olive Branch, Mississippi on October 24-25, 2013. The program content was developed by the Continuing Education Committee of the Mississippi Court Reporters Association working in conjunction with the Mississippi Judicial College.

REGISTRATION:

Registration for the fall seminar will commence at 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, October 24, 2013 in the pre-function area of the Grand Ballroom. The seminar registration desk will remain open for the duration of the conference and a representative of the Mississippi Judicial College will be in attendance at all times. The first session will begin at 11:45 a.m. on Thursday, October 24, 2013.

REGISTRATION FEE:

MCRA Members	\$40.00
Mississippi scopists & students MCRA Members.	\$30.00
Out of State MCRA Members	\$65.00
Non MCRA Members (including scopists & students).	\$125.00

Please make all checks payable to the University of Mississippi/MJC. There is no fee for Mississippi Official Reporters.

LODGING:

Hotel room rates are \$88.00, single or double. **You must call the hotel and make your own reservations.** Please call the Whispering Woods Hotel at 1-662-895-2941 or 1-866-851-0393 and identify yourself as attending the Mississippi Judicial College Court Reporter program, **(Code: Mississippi Judicial College)**, to receive the conference rate. *Cutoff date* for the rooms is **September 27, 2013**. Reservations made after this date will be made on a space available basis at the best available rate. The Fairfield Inn and Suites, an adjacent hotel, is an overflow hotel. The Fairfield's number is 1-662-892-4469 and the code is **Mississippi Judicial College**.

TRAVEL:

Mississippi Official Court Reporters will be reimbursed for travel to and from the conference at 56.5 cents per mile and for meals at the judicial college rate for those residing 30 miles from the site. Mississippi Official Court Reporters will have their rooms placed on the master bill of the Mississippi Judicial College for the night of Thursday, October 24 for those residing 30 miles from the site, but Court Reporters must make their own reservations.

The MJC Board of Governors has adopted a 100% attendance policy at all seminars and Mississippi Official Court Reporters will be required to attend 100% of the program to be reimbursed for mileage, meals and lodging.

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT:

A request will be made to the Board of the Academy of Professional Reporters for approval of this October 24-25, 2013 conference for 0.6 CEU's. The application will be considered under the "Continuing Education and Professional Development Guidelines." The Mississippi CSR Board has approved this conference for 12 continuing education credits.

MAKING YOUR RESERVATIONS

The fall conference will be held at the Whispering Woods Hotel and Conference Center in Olive Branch, Mississippi on October 24 - 25, 2013. Reservations for the conference can be made by calling 1-662-895-2941 or 1-866-851-0393. Inform reservations that you will be attending the court reporter's conference on these dates and that your reservation should be made in the MJC room block, **Mississippi Judicial College**. The single or double room rate for the conference is \$88.00. The Fairfield Inn & Suites, an adjacent hotel, is an overflow hotel. The Fairfield's number is 1-662-892-4469 and the code is **Mississippi Judicial College**.

The deadline for making reservations with Whispering Woods and Fairfield & Suites in the MJC room block is on or before Friday, September 27, 2013.

Whispering Woods and Fairfield Inn & Suites have reserved a limited block of rooms for the night of Thursday, October 24th. Any reservation requests made prior to and after these dates are subject to availability and the regular hotel rates.

Whispering Woods and Fairfield Inn & Suites have been instructed to direct bill the room rate for all eligible court reporters for the night of Thursday, October 24th. Reservations must be made, however, directly with the two hotels and must be guaranteed by a major credit card when you contact the hotel. Please be sure to write down your confirmation number. Should cancellation of individual reservations become necessary, both hotels require seventy-two (72) hours notice prior to the scheduled check-in time.

For driving instructions and amenities at the Whispering Woods Hotel and Conference Center, visit their web site at <http://www.wwconferencecenter.com/maps-and-directions.htm>

Conference Hotels

Fall Conference for Court Reporters

October 24-25, 2013



Whispering Woods Hotel and Conference Center

Location: 7300 Hacks Cross Road in Olive Branch, Mississippi

Contact Information: 1-866-851-0393 or 662-895-2941

Code: Mississippi Judicial College

Cut Off Date: October 1, 2013



Fairfield Inn & Suites

Location: 7044 Hacks Cross Road in Olive Branch, Mississippi

Contact Information: 1-662-892-4469

Code: Mississippi Judicial College

Cut Off Date: October 1, 2013

Court Reporter Fall Seminar
October 24-25, 2013
Whispering Woods Hotel ~ Olive Branch, Mississippi

Thursday, October 24, 2013

9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. **Registration**

11:30 a.m. **Welcome**

*Hon. Cynthia Davis, Director
Mississippi Judicial College*

*Linda E. Beasley, Program Manager
Mississippi Judicial College*

*Karen Reid-Edge, President
Mississippi Court Reporters Association*

11:45 a.m. - 1:15 p.m. **You Want Me to Use a Comma There?**

*Margie Wakeman Wells
Culver City, California*

1:15 - 1:30 p.m. **BREAK**

1:30 - 3:00 p.m. **You Want Me to Use a Comma There?**

*Margie Wakeman Wells Continued
Culver City, California*

3:00 p.m.- 4:00 p.m. Business Meeting

Presiding:
Karen Reid-Edge, President
MCRA

4:00 - 4:45 p.m. **Spring CE Committee Meeting**

5:00 - 6:30 p.m. **Reception**

Friday, October 25, 2013

7:00 - 8:30 a.m.

Continental Breakfast

8:30 - 10:30 a.m.

Human Trafficking

Tracey L. Harris

U. S. Department of Justice

Federal Bureau of Investigation

Special Agent - Memphis Division

10:30 - 10:45 a.m.

BREAK

10:45 - 11:45 a.m.

High Profile Cases

The Ricin Case

Christi McCoy

Attorney at Law

Oxford, Mississippi

REGISTRATION FORM
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PLEASE PRINT:

Name _____

MS CSR# _____ CSR# _____ State _____ RPR# _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Business Phone: _____ Fax _____

E-mail: _____

PLEASE CHECK ONE:

Official Type _____
 (Chancery, Circuit, County, Youth, Federal etc)
 Freelance _____
 Other _____

FEES:

Mississippi Official Reporters. None
 MCRA Member/In-State. \$40.00 _____
 MCRA Member/Out-of-State. \$65.00 _____
 MCRA Non-Member. \$125.00 _____
 Scopist and Students MCRA Member (**Students must indicate school attending**) \$30.00 _____
 Late fee postmarked after **October 1, 2013**. \$25.00 _____
 On-site registration will be assessed a surcharge of. \$25.00 _____
TOTAL: \$ _____

Return registration form to and make checks payable to: The University of Mississippi/MJC
 P.O. Box 8850
 University, MS 38677
Fax: (662) 915-7845

Cancellation Policy: Full refunds will be made for **WRITTEN** cancellations **POSTMARKED** or **faxed** by **October 1, 2013**. Absolutely no refunds for no-show at the conference.

If you should have a question, please contact: Linda Beasley lwleb@olemiss.edu
 Kathy Alexander kalexand@olemiss.edu
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