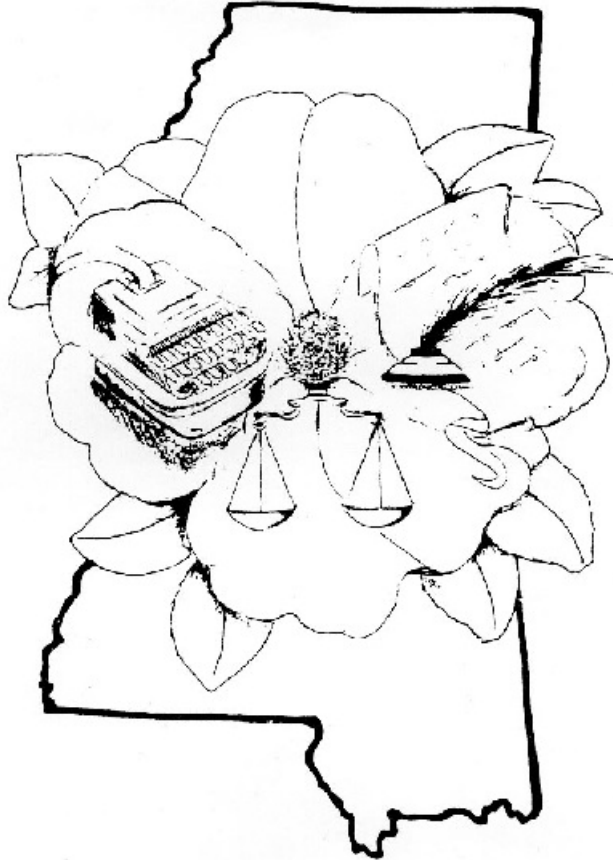


ANNUAL FALL CONFERENCE FOR MISSISSIPPI COURT REPORTERS



*Jackson Marriott Hotel
Jackson, Mississippi
October 27-28, 2016*

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ABOUT THE FALL CONFERENCE

The Fall Conference for Court Reporters will be conducted by the Mississippi Judicial College at the Jackson Marriott, 200 East Amite St., Jackson, Mississippi on October 27-28, 2016. 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 conference will commence at 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, October 27, 2016, on the mezzanine of the Jackson Marriott. The conference 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 12:15 p.m. on Thursday, October 27, 2016.

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. A check or money order must be tendered for registration fees. ***No cash will be accepted at registration.*** There is no fee for Mississippi Official Court Reporters.

LODGING:

Hotel room rates are \$89.00, single or double. **You must call the hotel and make your own reservations.** Please call the Jackson Marriott at 1-800-256-9194 or 1-601-969-5100 and identify yourself as attending the Mississippi Judicial College Court Reporter program, (Code: CACCACA), to receive the conference rate. *Cutoff date* for the rooms is **September 26, 2016.** Reservations made after this date will be made on a space available basis at the best available rate.

TRAVEL:

Mississippi Official Court Reporters residing 30 miles from the site will be reimbursed for travel to and from the conference at .54 cents per mile and for meals at the MJC rate. Mississippi Official Court Reporters will have their rooms placed on the master bill of the Mississippi Judicial College for the night of Thursday, October 27, 2016, for those residing 30 miles from the site. All 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:

Request has been made to the Board of the Academy of Professional Reporters for approval of this October 27-28, 2016 conference for .6 CEUs. 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



Hotel room rates are \$89.00 single/double rate. Reservations for this event may be made by calling Marriott reservations at **1-800-256-9194** or **1-601-969-5100** and informing the reservationist that you are attending the Conference for Court Reporters sponsored by the Mississippi Judicial College, (**Code: MCRM CRA**). For directions and more information regarding the Jackson Marriott, please click the following link:

www.marriott.com/janmc The Mississippi Judicial College has arranged for complimentary self-parking for attendees. MJC cannot reimburse for parking expenses.

The hotel is holding a limited block of rooms for this conference until ***September 26, 2016***. After that date rooms will be reserved on a space-available basis at the best available rate.

Mississippi Official Court Reporters will have their rooms placed on the master bill of the Mississippi Judicial College for the night of Thursday, October 27, 2016, for the \$89.00 rate, but you must guarantee your room with a credit card.

Court Reporters Fall Conference
October 27-28, 2016
Jackson Marriott ~ Jackson, Mississippi
Agenda

Thursday, October 27, 2016

9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. **Registration**

12:15 p.m.

Welcome

Windsor III,IV,V

Hon. Randy G. Pierce, Director
Linda E. Beasley, Program Manager
Mississippi Judicial College

Becky Lynn Logan, CCR, President
Mississippi Court Reporters Association

12:30 - 2:00 p.m.

Reporting on Capitol Hill

This presentation will cover what it is like to report proceedings, both on the floor and in committee, for the House of Representatives, as well as give an inside look at what goes into making the Congressional Record and producing committee transcripts. Melinda will also discuss what it is like to report special events that occur on the floor of the House, such as the State of the Union address, the Electoral College, and addresses by foreign dignitaries to a joint session of Congress.

Melinda M. Walker, RPR, CMRS
Chief Reporter
The Capitol
Washington, D. C.

2:00 - 2:15 p.m.

BREAK

2:15 - 3:15 p.m.

Business Meeting

Presiding:
Becky Lynn Logan, President
MCRA

3:15 - 3:30 p.m.

BREAK

3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Ethical Considerations for Court Reporters

Randy will describe ethical situations which may arise between the court reporter and the judge, attorneys, litigants, court observers, and the public. This discussion will suggest ways to avoid ethical dilemmas and what the reporter should do when the reporter is placed in a potential unethical situation.

Hon. Randy G. Pierce, Director
Mississippi Judicial College

4:30 p.m.

SPRING CE COMMITTEE MEETING Boardroom

Friday, October 28, 2016

7:00 - 8:00 a.m.

Continental Breakfast

Windsor III,IV,V

8:00 - 9:00 a.m.

Play With Words

Windsor III,IV,V

A little English, a little punctuation, a little practice on those pesky "little" words: this 'n that, these 'n those, the and a, who and what and when and where. Bring your machine for a little finger-lickin' fun!

*Bethany Cammack
AW Reporting
Ridgeland, Mississippi*

9:00 - 9:15 a.m.

BREAK

9:15 - 10:45 a.m.

Behind the Scenes: Reporting the Arias Trial

A review of the Arias trial from the perspective of the court reporters

*Marla F. Arnold, CR, RPR
Mike Babicky, RPR
Superior Court of Arizona-Maricopa County
Phoenix, Arizona*

10:45 - 11:00 a.m.

BREAK

11:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

There's an App for That!

60 Apps in 60 Minutes

*Melinda Bowers
Meridian, Mississippi*

All classes will be held in Windsor III,IV,V