

46th Annual Spring Seminar and Convention for Court Reporters

April 26-28, 2017 ~ Beau Rivage

Biloxi, Mississippi



Agenda

Wednesday, April 26, 2017

9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.	SEMINAR REGISTRATION	<i>Pre-Function Lobby</i>
12:15 - 12:30 p.m.	OPENING AND WELCOME ADDRESS <i>Hon. Randy G. Pierce, Director</i> <i>Linda Beasley, Program Manager</i> Mississippi Judicial College <i>Becky Lynn Logan, CCR, President</i> Mississippi Court Reporters Association	<i>Magnolia A</i>
12:30 - 2:00 p.m.	WORK SHOULDN'T HURT <i>How Muscles Cause Chronic Pain.</i> <i>If your hands don't work, neither do you!</i> <i>Julie Donnelly, B.S., L.M.T.</i> Julstro Muscular Therapy Sarasota, Florida	<i>Magnolia A</i>
2:00 - 3:00 p.m.	BUSINESS MEETING Presiding: <i>Becky Lynn Logan CCR, President</i> MCRA	<i>Magnolia A</i>
3:00 - 3:15 p.m.	BREAK	
3:15 - 4:15 p.m.	TECHNOLOGY IN COURT REPORTING <i>This seminar will provide you with a walk through technology as it applies to court reporters. You'll learn the latest apps, gadgets and insider tips on how to be more productive. There will be time for questions and bring your tech tips to share.</i> <i>Sue A. Terry, FAPR,RPR,CRR</i>	
5:30 p.m.	PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION	<i>Poolside</i>

Thursday, April 27, 2017

7:00 - 8:30 a.m.

BREAKFAST BUFFET

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8:00 a.m.

REGISTRATION

8:00 - 9:00 a.m.

INTERSTENO: WHAT'S IT ALL ABOUT

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Have you ever wanted to see stenographic machines from other countries - the Michela? A Korean pictographic? Would you like the opportunity to travel and make business contacts across the world? If so, this informational session about Intersteno could be for you! This session will introduce you to the Intersteno in general and then give you a brief overview of what to expect from Intersteno's 51st Congress in Berlin in July 2017: Congress highlights from general sessions and breakout sessions to world championship competitions and excursions to exploring the Congress venue and the host country. Team USA wants you!

Jennifer Schuck ,FARR ,RDR, CRC, CRR

Captioner - CART

9:00 - 9:15 a.m.

BREAK

9:15 - 10:45 a.m.

HIGH PROFILE CASE

Magnolia A

On March 11, 2005, the Fulton County courthouse in Atlanta was the scene of one of the most notorious active shootings in Georgia, and perhaps our country. The perpetrator, Brian Nichols, went on a bloody rampage which resulted in four deaths, several kidnappings, numerous assaults and carjackings before and after he escaped the courthouse. The entire metropolitan Atlanta area was held under siege for a twenty-six hour period. Nichols was eventually captured by authorities, with the help of a woman who managed to survive and alert them of Nichols' whereabouts, after being held hostage by him at gunpoint in her own apartment. The lead trial prosecutor will recount the events of that horrific day when one of the innocent victims, a court reporter, incidentally captured the sounds of her own murder and that of the sitting judge, while taking down proceedings on a case unrelated to the shooter.

Kellie Hill

Magistrate Judge

Cobb County Magistrate Court

Marietta, Georgia

10:45 - 11:00 a.m.

BREAK

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

CSI ~ FACT OR FICTION

Sam Howell, Director
Mississippi Crime Lab

12:00 - 1:30 p.m.

Luncheon and Installation of Officers

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Address by:

Sue Terry, FAPR,RPR,CRR
NCRA Representative

1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

ETHICS

Jeff Rimes
Attorney at Law
Jackson, Mississippi

2:30 - 2:45 p.m.

BREAK

2:45 - 3:45 p.m.

ACTIVE SHOOTER IN THE WORKPLACE

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The Active Shooter awareness class is a class designed for non-law enforcement/non-security people. It covers topics on run, hide, fight and discusses what response you can expect from law enforcement in your facility. We also talk about planning and post-incident management specifically for active shooter incidents.

John T. Elfer
Warren County Emergency Management

3:45 - 4:00 p.m.

BREAK

4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

PROTECTING OUR PROFESSION:

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ADDRESSING THREATS FACING COURT REPORTING

With the court reporting profession facing new challenges in the coming years, court reporters must fight back with different techniques to protect and expand the role with the judicial, legal and captioning fields. You'll hear what specific tactics have proved successful to court reporters across the country and how you can better engage with a court reporting program to promote the profession and get new students into school. This interactive session will give you the tools to ensure that stenographic court reporters remain a critical component of the legal and judicial system helping the profession to remain vibrant throughout the 21st century.

Matthew R. Barusch
Manager, State Government Relations
National Court Reporters Association

5:00 p.m.

CE Committee Meeting

Friday, April 28, 2017

7:00 - 8:30 a.m.

BUFFET BREAKFAST

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8:30 - 10:00 a.m.

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

A. **ADVANCED ECLIPSE I**
Michelle Stewart
Official Court Reporter

B. **ADVANCED CASE CATALYST I**
Stephanie Faulkner

C. **ADVANCED DIGITALCAT I**
Greta Duckett

D. **HEALTHY LIFE BALANCE FOR PROFESSIONALS**
The potential for stress and burn-out are significant issues for all professionals, but especially so for those in the legal community. The best preventive maintenance to reduce the harm these can cause in a professionals' careers and lives is healthy life balance. It is also the best initial intervention when these issues are already causing problems for the professional. This presentation will provide basics for addressing life balance, as well as offering 12-Step and other recovery principles to develop or improve it.

Chip Glaze, Director
Lawyers and Judges Assistance Program
The Mississippi Bar

10:00 - 10:15 a.m.

BREAK

10:15 - 11:45 a.m.

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D. **Mississippi Electronic Courts**
Lisa Counts

11:45 a.m.

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