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Capital & Non-Capital Training For The Prosecution



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August 26-28, 2015

**The Center for American and International Law
Plano, Texas**

With the exception of invited faculty,
attendance is limited to Texas prosecuting
attorneys and their personnel.

**This course is funded by a grant from
The Texas Court of Criminal Appeals.**

Highlights

This capital and non-capital trial prosecution training will feature discussions on emerging trends in capital trial prosecution, mental health issues, and a Court of Criminal Appeals update. **Includes 3 hours of Ethics!**

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Galveston County
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Galveston, Texas

Roe Wilson

Harris County
District Attorney's Office
Houston, Texas

*"Faculty were all knowledgeable
about their respective topics and
provided some real experience in
application of the discussions"*

— 2014 Participant

Wednesday, August 26

- 8:00 A.M. Registration
8:30 A.M. Welcome
8:45 A.M. Significant Cases Update: Homicide and Death
Penalty Cases – **Chuck Mallin**
9:45 A.M. *Break*
9:55 A.M. Legislative Updates – **Justin Wood**
10:55 A.M. *Break*
11:00 A.M. Mental Health Issues – **Dr. Tim Proctor**
12:00 P.M. *Lunch (Provided)*
1:00 P.M. Arguing for the Death Penalty – **Lance Long**
2:00 P.M. *Break*
2:05 P.M. Ethics – **Jonathan Smaby**
3:05 P.M. *Break*
3:15 P.M. Pre-trial Preparation – **Sunshine Stanek**
4:15 P.M. *Break*
4:20 P.M. Using Technology & Visual Aids in the
Courtroom
– **Sunshine Stanek & Todd Smith**
5:15 P.M. Recess

Thursday, August 27

- 8:30 A.M. Jury Selection Strategy in Capital Cases
– **Lisa Tanner**
9:30 A.M. *Break*
9:40 A.M. Expert Witnesses: Rebutting the Defense Expert
– **Larry Moore**
10:40 A.M. *Break*
10:45 A.M. Controlling the Conversation – Opening
Statements in Murder Trials – **Kevin Petroff**
11:45 A.M. *Lunch (Provided)*

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AGENDA

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Program Faculty

Kayla Allen

Galveston Co. District Attorney's Office

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- 12:45 P.M. Ethics – **Scott Durfee**
1:45 P.M. *Break*
1:50 P.M. Social Media – **Inger Chandler**
2:50 P.M. *Break*
2:55 P.M. Intellectual Disability Claims In Capital Cases – **Roe Wilson**
3:55 P.M. *Break*
4:00 P.M. Human Trafficking – **Lee Hon & Elba Medina**
5:00 P.M. Recess

Friday, August 28

- 8:30 A.M. Open Records Requests – **Scott Durfee**
9:30 A.M. *Break*
9:40 A.M. Ineffective Assistance of Counsel – **John Rolater**
10:40 A.M. *Break*
10:45 A.M. Trends: Chipping Away at the Death Penalty – **Roe Wilson**
11:45 A.M. *Lunch (Provided)*
12:45 P.M. Prosecution of Child Homicides – **Kayla Allen**
1:45 P.M. *Break*
1:55 P.M. Appellate Remedies – **Lisa Smith**
2:55 P.M. *Break*
3:00 P.M. Ethics – **Lee Hon**
4:00 P.M. Adjourn

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