



Agenda at-a-Glance

Monday, November 6

9:00 A.M. — 6:00 P.M.

LSC Leadership Mentoring Pilot Program
Room: Gwynn (Hilton Hotel)

Tuesday, November 7

8:00 A.M. — 4:30 P.M.

Train the Trainers: Fresh Approaches to Adult Learning for Trainers in the Legal Aid and Indigent Defense Communities
Room: Graham (Hilton Hotel)

9:00 A.M. — 4:30 P.M.

MIE New Executive Director Training
Room: Graves (Hilton Hotel)

9:00 A.M. — 4:45 P.M.

LSC Leadership Mentoring Pilot Program
Room: Gwynn (Hilton Hotel)

6:00 P.M. — 8:00 P.M.

LSC Leadership Mentoring Pilot Program Dinner
Room: Graves (Hilton Hotel)

Wednesday, November 8

8:00 A.M. — 4:30 P.M.

Train the Trainers: Fresh Approaches to Adult Learning for Trainers in the Legal Aid and Indigent Defense Communities
Room: Ardrey (Hilton Hotel)

8:30 A.M. — 1:30 P.M.

LSC Leadership Mentoring Pilot Program
Room: Gwynn (Hilton Hotel)

9:00 A.M. — 4:30 P.M.

MIE New Executive Director Training
Room: Graves (Hilton Hotel)

10:00 A.M. — 2:00 P.M.

Massachusetts Legal Assistance Corporation
Room: Caldwell

4:00 P.M. — 5:00 P.M.

Orientation for First-time Attendees
Room: Trade

5:30 P.M. — 6:30 P.M.

Opening Assembly and Annual Meeting of the Members
Room: Grand Ballroom CD

6:30 P.M. — 8:30 P.M.

Opening Reception
Room: Ballroom Foyer

Thursday, November 9

8:30 A.M. — 10:00 A.M.

Civil Caucus
Room: Grand Ballroom CD
Defender Caucus
Room: Grand Ballroom B
Client Caucus
Room: Grand Ballroom A

10:15 A.M. — 11:45 A.M.

Joint Caucus
Room: Grand Ballroom CD

Noon — 1:00 P.M.

LawHelp.org Networking Meeting
Room: Independence

Noon — 1:15 P.M.

Joint Luncheon & Affinity Groups (See Page 17)
Room: Grand Ballroom CD
National Organization for Client Advocates
Room: Grand Ballroom A

1:45 P.M. — 3:15 P.M.

Crisis Communications: If It Crawls, Kill It
Room: College
Program Assessment: Great Programs and How We Know Them!
Room: Dunn (Hilton Hotel)
Keeping Your Quality Attorneys: Loan Repayment Assistance Programs Can Make a Difference
Room: Graham (Hilton Hotel)
Communications & Community I: Nuts & Bolts
Room: Grand Ballroom A
Civil Gideon: Defender Lessons for the Civil Community on How to Manage with a Right to Counsel
Room: Grand Ballroom B

LSC Updates

Room: Harris

The Office of the Juvenile Defender and Ensuring Quality Representation for the Smallest Voices
Room: Independence

Fostering Cultural Competence: Bringing Justice and Hope to all Communities
Room: Kings

Ensuring Community Development by Getting Community-Based Nonprofits the Legal Assistance They Need
Room: Morehead

The Private Right of Action to Enforce Federal Laws — Hanging by a Thread?
Room: Park

Retooling Pleas and Sentencing: How to Use Collateral Consequences and Reentry Goals to Improve Outcomes
Room: Park

Models for Increased Cooperation Between Legal Services and Defender Programs to Benefit Clients
Room: Trade

Bridging Communities for Effective Sentencing Presentations
Room: Queens

The Jericho Project: An Indigent Defense Alternative to Mental Health Courts
Room: Sharon

The Demographics of Immigration and the Legal Issues Facing Immigrant Populations
Room: Mecklenberg (Hilton Hotel)

Retooling Pleas and Sentencing: How to Use Collateral Consequences and Reentry Goals to Improve Outcomes
Room: Tryon North

Language Access Laws 101: Ensuring Hope in Immigrant Communities through Civil Rights Advocacy for English Language Learners
Room: Tyron South

Partnership for Child & Family Safety: A Collaboration between Legal Aid & Child Protective Services for Families Faced with Domestic Violence
Room: Brevard

The ABA/Pro Bono Net Volunteer Opportunities Guide
Room: Walker (Hilton Hotel)

3:30 P.M. — 5:00 P.M.

Law and Organizing: Partnering with Community Members and Grassroots Organizations to Foster Communities of Justice, Hope and Opportunity
Room: College
What Funders Want (Clue - It's Not Just a Grant Proposal)
Room: Dunn (Hilton Hotel)
Coaching to Lead: The Leaders' Link to Leadership
Room: Graham (Hilton Hotel)
Communications & Community II: Practical Applications
Room: Grand Ballroom A
Community-Based Sentencing Advocacy: The North Carolina Sentencing Services Model
Room: Trade

LSC Quality Initiatives: Focusing on the Future
Room: Harris

Using Public Information and GIS to Empower Disenfranchised Communities
Room: Brevard

Juvenile Justice Reform: Teaming Up to Advocate for Clients Inside and Outside the Courtroom
Room: Independence

Legal Needs Assessment... How to Translate the Numbers into Action that Benefits Clients and Raises Dollars
Room: Johnson (Hilton Hotel)

Innovations in Civil Legal Services
Room: Kings

Civil Right to Counsel: The ABA has Spoken; What Happens Now?
Room: Sharon

The Medical Professional: Evaluating the Impact of the Newest Member of the Advocacy Team
Room: Park

History of Civil Legal Services in the South
Room: Grand Ballroom B

Designing a Presentation In the Age of the Short Attention Span
Room: Queens

A Practical Guide to Establishing Holistic Defender Offices: Lessons from Around the Country
Room: Morehead

Low-Wage Worker Advocacy for Legal Services Attorneys
Room: Tryon North

Language Access: Serving Limited English Proficient (LEP) Clients 101
Room: Tryon South

Financial Responsibilities of the Nonprofit CEO: How to Safeguard Your Legal Aid Program
Room: Walker (Hilton Hotel)

3:30 P.M. — 6:00 P.M.
The Trials of Darryl Hunt Showing
Room: Mecklenburg (Hilton Hotel)

5:00 P.M.

Defenders Trainers Section Meeting
Room: Queens

National Organization of Client Advocates II
Room: Grand Ballroom A

Latino Directors Section Meeting
Room: Tryon South

Native American Section Meeting
Room: Tryon North

6:00 P.M.

Host Committee Reception
Room: Grand Ballroom CD

Agenda at-a-Glance

Friday, November 10

8:30 A.M. — 10:00 A.M.

Tools for Tomorrow, Today: The Role of Technology in Promoting and Supporting Pro Bono

Room: Brevard

Boards & Public Relations: Effective Communications Practices

Room: College

Client Grievance Procedures: An Interactive Dialogue

Room: Grand Ballroom A

Fostering Better Media Relations

Room: Grand Ballroom B

Long-term Contingency and Continuity Planning: Providing Legal Assistance to Underserved Populations Affected by Significant Disasters

Room: Harris

Disaster Planning to Business Continuity

Room: Independence

Creatively and Collaboratively Addressing Emerging Client Needs

Room: Kings

Determining Indigence and the Cost-Effectiveness of Financial Verification

Room: Park

Using the ABA Principles of a Civil Justice System

Room: Providence I

Pro Bono Policy and Analysis: Looking to the Future

Room: Providence II

Executive Directors and Development Directors Working Together: Fundraising for Legal Services

Room: Providence III

TIG 2006 Showcase

Room: Queens

Supreme Court Highlights: Recent Criminal and Habeas Decisions that Advocates Need to Know

Room: Sharon

Immigration Law 101

Room: Tryon North

Advanced Language Access Roundtable: Ensuring Hope in Immigrant Communities through Civil Rights Advocacy for English Language Learners

Room: Tryon South

10:15 A.M. — 11:45 A.M.

If You Don't Do Media, Media Will Do You

Room: Brevard

Change the Paradigm: How to Integrate your Website with your Delivery System

Room: Caldwell

Are You Aware of Your Legal Duties as a Board Member?

Room: College

The Diversity within Our Diversity: Race, Ethnicity & Poverty

Room: Grand Ballroom A

The New ABA Ethics Opinion: Managing Excessive Defender Caseloads

Room: Grand Ballroom B

The Social and Economic Effect of Latino Immigrants on Small Towns and Rural Areas

Room: Graves (Hilton Hotel)

Justice, Hope and Opportunity for Battered Woman through Statewide Partnerships between Legal and Advocacy Groups

Room: Kings

Developing and Using Effective Law School Partnerships

Room: Park

Access to Justice Roundtable

Room: Providence I

Standards for Civil Legal Services

Room: Providence II

Client-Centered Advocacy: Communication Skills for Working with People in Poverty

Room: Providence III

Immigration Reform: Where Do We Go From Here?

Room: Tryon North

Language Access: Serving Limited English Proficient (LEP) Clients

Room: Tryon South

Noon — 2:00 P.M.

Awards Luncheon

Room: Grand Ballroom CD

2:15 P.M. — 3:45 P.M.

Board Committees: Good & Best Practices

Room: College

Defending Clients Against Mistaken Eyewitness Identifications

Room: Grand Ballroom B

Women & Leadership: Challenge and Opportunities for the Equal Justice Community

Room: Caldwell

Breaking Down Walls: How to Build Successful Collaborations Around Criminal Justice & Reentry

Room: Grand Ballroom A

HotDocs for Advocates: Serve More Clients and Serve Them Better Using Document

Automation

Room: Graves (Hilton Hotel)

Trafficking

Room: Harris

Just the Facts: Using Data for Reform, Achieving Political Objectives, Increasing Funding and Moving Toward Holistic Representation

Room: Independence

Medicare Part D for Low-Income People

Room: Kings

State Funding Roundtable - Reports on 2006 Successes and Plans for 2007

Room: Park

The Hottest (and Worst) Legislative Trends

Room: Providence I

On the Road to Quality: Where Do We Go From Here

Room: Providence II

Facing and Fixing the Legal Services Salary Problem

Room: Providence III

Hot Topics in Risk Management for Legal Services Organizations: Preventing the Most Common Employment Practices and Malpractice Liability Claims

Room: Queens

Public Defense on the International Stage: Embracing a Global Defender Perspective at Home and Abroad

Room: Sharon

Immigration Issues at the State and Local Level

Room: Tryon North

Breaking Down Barriers to Comprehensive Early Care and Education for Young Children in Immigrant Families Through Collaboration and Advocacy

Room: Tryon South

3:00 P.M. — 5:30 P.M.

The Trials of Darryl Hunt

Room: Ballroom CD

4:00 P.M. — 5:30 P.M.

Board Accountability: Sarbanes-Oxley and Equal Justice Boards

Room: College

Judicial Leadership for Expanding Access to Justice

Room: Grand Ballroom A

Performance Standards for Criminal Defense Investigations

Room: Grand Ballroom B

50 Technology Tools and Tips

Room: Graves (Hilton Hotel)

Issues Affecting Access to Health Care and Public Benefits for Low-Income Immigrants

Room: Harris

How to Improve Criminal Cases Processing and Benefit Your Clients - Results of a Study on Direct Electronic Filing in Criminal Cases

Room: Independence

IBB (Interest Based Bargaining) Negotiation: Freeing Your Staff to Concentrate on the Community

Room: Kings

Defining, Encouraging and Measuring Quality

Room: Park

Looking Through the Four Frames: An Essential Leadership Tool for Developing Conscious, Intentional and Wise Strategies

Room: Providence I

The MIE Roundtable for Legal Services Executive Directors and Managers

Room: Providence II

The Intersection of Employment Practices Liability, Legal Malpractice Liability and Professional Discipline: Identifying and Preventing the Highest Risk Situations in Defender Organizations

Room: Queens

The North Carolina Experience: Reforming Indigent Defense in a Conservative State

Room: Sharon

Race, Language Access, Immigration and Poverty Post Katrina

Room: Tryon South

Creating an Environmental Health Project for Your Legal Aid Program

Room: Tryon North

Integrated Representation: Putting the Client First Through Teamwork Across Disciplines

Room: Providence III

5:45 P.M. — 6:45 P.M.

Language Access Advocates Affinity Group

Room: Tryon South

Saturday, November 11

7:30 A.M. — 8:15 A.M.

Women of Color Working Group

Room: Morehead

8:00 A.M. — 10:30 A.M.

American Council of Chief Defenders Winter Meeting

Room: Providence II

8:30 A.M. — 10:00 A.M.

Federal Funding Roundtable

Room: Independence

Language Access: Introduction to Working with Interpreters

Room: Kings

Hot Topics in Legal Aid

Room: Providence III

What You Don't Know Can Hurt You: Collateral Consequences of Criminal Charges

Room: Queens

10:00 A.M. — 5:00 P.M.

Standing Committee on Legal Aid and Indigent Defendants (SCLAID) Business Meeting

Room: Brevard

10:30 A.M.

Closing Plenary Brunch

Room: Grand Ballroom CD

1:00 P.M.

AAPDA - Minority Project Directors

Room: Kings