

**The Georgia Public Defender  
Standards Council**

Presents the 2006

**Appellate  
Nuts & Bolts  
Seminar**

**Featuring Tracks for New and  
Advanced Attorneys**

**Saturday, May 20, 2006**

**9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.**

**Mercer University, Walter F. George School of Law  
1021 Georgia Avenue  
Macon, GA 31207**

## 2006 Appellate Basic Training

The Georgia Public Defender Standards Council invites you to attend the 2006 Appellate Basic Training, which will be held at Mercer University, Walter F. George School of Law. The Seminar will be held on Saturday, May 20, 2006. This session is mandatory, according to TILPP, for new attorneys who did not attend last year's Appellate Seminar. There is also an Advanced Attorney Track for those who did attend last year's Appellate Seminar.

### Schedule

Registration will be held on Saturday, May 20; from 8:30 a.m.-9 a.m. in the 1<sup>st</sup> floor hallway. (This hallway is accessible from either entrance to the law school building). The seminar will then begin at 9 a.m. and conclude at 4:30 p.m.

### Lodging

Lodging accommodations are available for Friday, May 19<sup>th</sup> at the Macon Crowne Plaza, 108 First Street. Please provide the name, position, and gender (for anyone who will need hotel accommodations) for each registrant on the attached registration form.

#### **PLEASE TAKE NOTE:**

All participants, except CPDs and level IV attorneys, will share rooms. If a participant wishes to pick up the cost of his/her private room, the cost per night is \$79 and payment in the form of a check should be mailed to GPDSC along with the registration form. **If payment for the room is not received by April 26<sup>th</sup>, any single room requests will be canceled and the registrant will be placed with a roommate.** We will be submitting a rooming list to the hotel. Therefore, please DO NOT contact the hotel directly. Any questions regarding lodging should be directed to Meagan Reynolds at 404-232-8916 or Allison Manning at 404-232-8955.

### State, County-Contracted, & County Funded Issues:

GPDSC will cover the costs for state employees only. This also includes counties which have contracted with the state (GPDSC). Counties that have not contracted with GPDSC will have to cover the costs for any county-funded positions, including lodging, travel and meals. If you are a county-funded employee, you will be charged the following to attend the workshop:

Hotel: \$79 per night for a single room; \$39.50 per night for a shared room

Food: \$25 which includes 1 continental breakfast, 1 lunch, and 1 break

Materials fee: \$15

**Upon receipt of registration from county-funded participants, we will send an invoice for the amount due to attend the seminar.**

### CLE

Approval for CLE credit has been requested to the State Bar of Georgia. Information on the number of CLE credit hours that will be available for this workshop will be forwarded to registrants as soon as that becomes available.

### Directions

Each registrant will receive directions to the Crowne Plaza AND to the Law School via email by April 28, 2006. Please make sure to provide a valid email address on the registration form.

**BASIC TRAINING: APPEALS**  
**GEORGIA PUBLIC DEFENDER STANDARDS COUNCIL**  
**WALTER F. GEORGE SCHOOL OF LAW (MACON, GA)**  
**SATURDAY, MAY 20, 2006**  
**9:00 AM-4:30 PM**

- 8:30-9:00**            **Registration and continental breakfast**
- 9:00-10:00**           **Beginner track: Appeal Nuts and Bolts: appellate procedure; appellate standards; court rules; appellate resources; and the attorney-client relationship**
- Advanced track: Discretionary Appellate Remedies and Petitions for Certiorari**
- 10:00-11:00**        **Combined track: A Big Picture Approach to Appellate Litigation and Thinking About the Appeal During Trial (plenary)**
- 11:00-11:15**        **Break**
- 11:15-12:15**        **Combined track: Summary of Ineffective Assistance of Counsel Case-law and When to Raise this Claim (plenary)**
- 12:15-1:00**         **Lunch**
- 1:00-2:00**           **Combined track: Writing an Effective Statement of Facts (small groups)**
- 2:00-3:00**           **Combined track: Spotting and Choosing Appellate Issues/ Standards of Review (plenary)**
- 3:00-3:15**           **Break**
- 3:15-4:15**           **Combined track: Argument and Citation to Authority: research and writing (plenary)**
- 4:15-4:30**           **Combined track: Wrap-up and Concluding Remarks (plenary)**



Registration Form  
*Appellate Nuts and Bolts Seminar*  
 May 20, 2006  
 Mercer Law School, Macon, GA

**IMPORTANT: RESPONSES DUE BY APRIL 26<sup>TH</sup>, 2006!!!!**

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Responses may be e-mailed to Allison Manning at [amanning@gpdsc.org](mailto:amanning@gpdsc.org), or mailed to 104 Marietta Street, Suite 200, Atlanta, 30303. If you have any questions or concerns, please call 404-232-8955.

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**It is very important that this registration form be completed in its entirety. Do not leave fields blank.**

**Please register the following individuals:**

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Did the above attorney attend last year's Appellate Training?  <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	How Many Appeals has the above attorney handled?  <input type="checkbox"/> 0-5 <input type="checkbox"/> 6-10 <input type="checkbox"/> 10+	Has the above attorney ever filed any of the following?  <input type="checkbox"/> Cert Petition <input type="checkbox"/> Motion for Reconsideration <input type="checkbox"/> Application for Interlocutory Appeal <input type="checkbox"/> Application for Discretionary Appeal	How Many of each has the above attorney filed? ____ Cert Petition ____ Motion for Reconsideration ____ Application for Interlocutory Appeal ____ Application for Discretionary Appeal	

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Please indicate roommate requests here:

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