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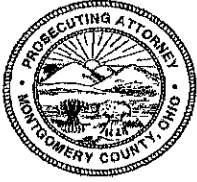
**The 2017 Montgomery County Prosecutor's
Law Enforcement Conference**



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AGENDA -- THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2017

8:00 to 8:30	RISE AND SHINE SOCIAL
8:30 to 8:45	WELCOME Mat Heck, Jr., Prosecuting Attorney
8:45 to 9:45	Case Law Update: What's New Since 2015 <i>Andy French, Assistant Montgomery County Prosecuting Attorney, Appellate Division</i> Mr. French will be giving an update on cases relevant to police and prosecutors that have been decided in the last two years by the United States Supreme Court, the Supreme Court of Ohio and the Second District Court of Appeals. This includes cases involving Fourth Amendment search and seizure, Fifth Amendment/ <i>Miranda</i> , and Sixth Amendment right to counsel.
9:45 to 10:00	BREAK
10:00 to 11:00	Case Law Update: What's New Since 2015 (<i>Con't</i>)
11:00 to 12:00	Meeting Common Defenses <i>John Amos, Assistant Montgomery County Prosecuting Attorney, Violent Crimes Bureau</i> This presentation will address what law enforcement and prosecutors should do to meet common defenses in criminal cases. The presentation will highlight the importance of an interview with the defendant so that the state knows before trial what the defense will be, or what additional investigation should be done before a charging decision is made. Mr. Amos will also address how law enforcement and prosecutors should prepare for specific defenses such as insanity, self-defense, and alibi.
12:00 to 1:15	LUNCH
1:15 to 2:45	Corroboration – How to Find it When You Need it Most <i>Angela Canepa, Senior Assistant Attorney General, Office of Ohio Attorney General Mike DeWine</i> This presentation will discuss difficult to prove cases, where victims are either very young, very vulnerable, or potentially absent altogether. This course will provide strategies on how to find corroborating evidence from the investigative stage of a case through the trial stage and how to overcome some of the commonly encountered obstacles along the way.
2:45 to 3:00	BREAK
3:00 to 4:30	Corroboration – How to Find it When You Need it Most (<i>Con't</i>)



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8:00 to 8:30

RISE AND SHINE SOCIAL

8:30 to 10:00

How to Successfully Investigate and Prosecute a Criminal Case:

The Cold Case File of Father Gerald Robinson

Julia Bates, Lucas County Prosecuting Attorney

Judge Dean Mandros, Lucas County Common Pleas Court

This presentation will involve a case study of a high profile cold case homicide from the initial crime scene investigation through charging decisions, trial preparation, and trial. The presentation will examine the following: joint efforts between the police and prosecution throughout the investigation; pre-trial issues; trial preparation and some of the difficulties of working on a cold case such as exhumation of a decedent; analysis, usefulness, and admissibility of physical evidence; the use of experts; and trial publicity.

10:00 to 10:15

BREAK

10:15 to 12:15

Cold Case File: Father Gerald Robinson

(Con't)

12:15 to 1:30

LUNCH

1:30 to 3:00

The Psychology of Addiction

Brad Lander, PhD, LICDC-CS, Clinical Director of Addiction Services, The Ohio State University

Addiction is a chronic brain disease; but what does that tell us about the way someone with an alcohol or substance abuse problem thinks and acts? We ask ourselves, why would a rational, intelligent person engage in such self-destructive behavior? Understanding the physiology of addiction does not tell us the whole story. This presentation focuses on the ways alcohol and drugs affect people's thinking and decision-making to not only help us understand why they behave in ways that look "crazy" to us, but also to give us insight into how best to treat them.

3:00 to 3:15

BREAK

3:15 to 3:45

How to Stay Out of Hot Water with the Ethics & Disciplinary Committee

Laura Mariani, Assistant Montgomery County Prosecuting Attorney, Civil Division

During this presentation, Ms. Mariani will speak about how prosecutors can end up in ethical dilemmas and how to avoid them. Taking a look at prior cases as examples of when prosecutors ran into trouble, she will discuss Ohio's Rules of Professional Conduct and the disciplinary rules.

3:45 to 4:15

Dealing with Interpreters

Lynda Dodd, Assistant Montgomery County Prosecuting Attorney, Violent Crimes Bureau

At what point is an interpreter necessary in a criminal case? In this presentation, Ms. Dodd will explain how to accommodate language interpretation in a criminal case both in and out of the courtroom. She will explain what to do if there is no Supreme Court Certified interpreter for the needed language of a witness/defendant and whether or not a defendant can waive an interpreter. She will also provide useful examples of how to handle cases involving interpreters and discuss how it may affect the case and trial.



The 2017 Montgomery County Prosecutor's Law Enforcement Conference for Police Officers and Prosecutors

Sinclair Community College
David H. Ponitz Center
Building 12

Thursday, September 21, 2017 and Friday, September 22, 2017

REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Registration Fees: Police Officers \$35.00* Prosecutors \$150.00*
 Thursday only Thursday and Friday

Make checks payable to Montgomery County Prosecutor's Office

*Lunch in the Tartan Marketplace and underground parking below the Ponitz Center at
Sinclair Community College is included in the registration fee.
Attendance is limited, so please respond early.

Please return this completed form and your remittance by **September 1, 2017** to:
Montgomery County Prosecutor's Office – 301 West Third Street, 5th Floor, Dayton, Ohio 45422
Attn: Emily Anderson (937-225-5750) or register by e-mail @ anderson@mcoho.org

Sinclair Community College is located just off of I-75 in Downtown Dayton. Building 12 is located on Perry Street between Third and Fourth Streets. The Ponitz Center parking garage entrance is located on Fourth Street. You can find a map and more information at the link below.

<http://www.sinclair.edu/about/visit/parking/>



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