# DWI/SFST/DRE/ARIDE DEFENSE SUPER COURSE

Dallas, Texas | January 28 - 31, 2026: 27.50 CLE 3.00 Ethics - Space is Limited!

**Course Directors:** John Collins- Little Rock, AR, Tyler Flood- Houston, TX & Michael Gross- San Antonio, TX

#### **Overview**

TCDLA proudly presents our 4th annual one-of-a-kind, NHTSA DWI Investigation Super Course in Dallas. This 4-day course will combine education on SFST, ARIDE, and DRE. Most seminars split each of these 3 curricula into separate courses. TCDLA has combined all the NHTSA DWI Investigation courses into a one-time, one-place, educational opportunity. This extremely unique course is a MUST for any attorney that handles even ONE DWI case.

- SFST Curriculum and proper test procedures, and how to discredit it in court.
- Drug Recognition Evaluation, proper test administration, Matrix and Face Sheet science, and strategies for court to combat the testing.
- ARIDE course and how to attack the government's case in trial. ARIDE is the current curriculum being used by police officers in detecting impaired driving involving alcohol and drugs.

Participants will leave with a full arsenal of knowledge about all NHTSA DWI detection tools. The course will culminate with a live dosing and impairment detection session (we will take volunteers from the attendees).

The All-Star lineup of speakers consists of Tyler Flood, Texas DWI attorney & John Collins, Arkansas DUI Attorney.

Included: Printed NHTSA manual and electronic manuals, including the 2023 manual, will be provided to every attendee. This is the DWI Trial Lawyers tool, and a must have to take into battle.

FINAL EXAM: A one-hour final exam will consist of 50 multiple choice questions on Saturday. All passing grades will be rewarded with a beautiful TCDLA completion certificate!

SIGN UP TODAY...Due to the nature of the hands-on education, space is limited!

### **Agenda**

### Wednesday, January 28, 2026

8:00 am *Registration* 8:45 am Opening Remarks

9:00 am SFST Education Background 10:30 am SFST Manual Education 12:00 pm Lawyer Advertising (Ethics)

1:00 pm SFST Manual Education Continued 4:00 pm Practical SFST & Student Competition

## Thursday, January 29, 2026

8:45 am Day Overview & Q&A
9:00 am DRE Application
10:30 am DRE Manual Breakdown
12:00 pm Fee Structure | IOLTA (Ethics)
1:00 pm DRE Manual Breakdown Continued

# 4:00 pm DRE Fun Stuff Friday, January 30, 2026

8:45 am Day Overview & Q&A 9:00 am DRE Application

10:30 am ARIDE Manual Education

12:00 pm TLAP (Ethics)

1:00 pm ARIDE Manual Education 2:45 pm ARIDE Practical Education

4:00 pm Hands-On DWI Investigation & Competition

Saturday, January 31, 2026

9:00 am Preparing to Make an Arrest Decision

10:30 am Live Demos 12:30 pm Final Exam

1:45 pm Student Dosing/Student Testing Practice

2:15 pm Student Intoxication Investigation

3:45 pm Student Investigation Critique & Discussion

4:45 pm *Adjourn* 

# **Hotel & Meeting Location**

The meeting will be held at the Aloft Dallas Downtown located at 1033 Young St, Dallas, TX 75202. The TCDLA room rate is \$149 for a single or double room. Call the hotel at (214) 761-0000 and refer to "TCDLA" to receive the group rate. The group rate is available until January 14, 2026, or until room block is full, whichever occurs first.

**Register** – Payment must accompany registration.

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**Questions?** 

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□ New Member or Second-Year Member	\$100
□ Renew Membership	\$180
□ Prefer not to participate in auto renewal	

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#### **General Information**

NOTE: Please read before registering you may not register for this program if you are, or are working for, or are affiliated, clerking or interning with: a full-time law enforcement officer, a full or part-time state or federal prosecutor, or if you are a full or part-time criminal defense attorney who is currently acting as a prosecutor or special prosecutor in a capital case.

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Tax Notice: \$36 of your annual dues (\$19 if a student member) is for a one-year subscription to the VOICE for the Defense. Dues to TCDLA are not deductible as a charitable contribution but may be deducted as an ordinary business expense.