## The Overview

The 29th Annual MSE features 2 keynote speakers Chris Fabricant and Hon. Joe D. Johnson. Mr. Fabricant is one of the nation's leading experts on forensic sciences and the criminal justice system serving as The Innocence Project Director's Director of Strategic Litigation. Mr. Fabricant is also the author of Junk Science and the American Criminal Justice System. Retired Kansas Judge Joe D. Johnson is a member of the National Criminal Defense College and never allowed the citizen accused to be referred to as a "Defendant" in his courtroom. Judge Johnson will present on The Presumption of Innocence and Trial Court Judges: Our Greatest Failing.

Renowned experts and lawyers including Dr. Kevin Schug, Dr. Lance Platt, Janine Arvizu along with NCDD Regents/Fellows and/or DWI Board Certified Defense Lawyers Gary Trichter, Doug Murphy, James Nesci, Michelle Behan, Kim Benjamin, Lynn Gorelick & NCDD Dean Andrew Mishlove. Also featured are NCDD members Elizabeth Sakai and Justin Goodman. The jury trial will include a challenging blood-test case featuring experiences, exciting and innovative trial lawyers Kim Benjamin, Justin Goodman, Lynn Gorelick, and Christopher McKinney.

MSE is co-sponsored by the National College for DUI Defense and the Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association. MSE is the original and preeminent national DUI/DWI Scientific Evidence seminar of its kind, featuring not just science but also successful and proven trial strategies in challenging police pseudo-scientific evidence. The science and trial tactics are not only taught in lecture format; the concepts from the lectures are also demonstrated and applied in a courtroom setting in a mock jury trial. Learn about DWI science, its limitations, and winning DWI trial strategies from some of the country's preeminent and highly acclaimed experts and DWI trial lawyers. Enjoy the many hours of after-hours camaraderie with the experts, lawyers, and attendees.

# **Meeting | Lodging Location**

The Royal Sonesta Hotel is located at 300 Bourbon Street, New Orleans, Louisiana 70130. Room rate is \$239 per night, single or double occupancy. For reservations, call the Royal Sonesta at 855-463-3092 and refer to seminar dates and the TCDLA rate. The group rate is available until March 10, 2023, or until the room block is full, whichever occurs first. If the block fills, contact gworks@tcdla.com and we'll try to assist in securing a room. You must attend seminar to take advantage of the hotel block.

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## **Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association** 29th Annual Mastering Scientific Evidence in DUI/DWI Cases

#### Wednesday, March 29

12:00 pm Golf at English Turn Golf Club - contact Troy McKinney for details: wtmhousto2@aol.com 6:30 pm Bourbon Street Balcony Hospitality Suite Opens

#### **Thursday, March 30**

7:45 am Registration, Welcome, & Continental Breakfast

8:15 am Opening Remarks

8:30 am Why Validation, Procedures & Compliance Matter to Reliability of Gas

Chromatography Results Dr. Kevin Schug, TX

9:30 am Preanalytical & Laboratory Quality Control Issues in Blood Testing Janine Arvizu, NM

10:30 am Chromatography Gone Wild: What to Look For & How to Combat It Jim Nesci, AZ

11:15 am The Presumption of Innocence & Trial Court Judges: Our Greatest Failing

**Retired Judge Joe Johnson, KS** 

12:00 pm Lunch on your own

1:15 pm NCDD Dean's Ethics Address Andrew Mishlove, WI

1:45 pm Storytelling & Science in DUI Bench & Jury Trials Kim Benjamin, MO

2:30 pm Drug Recognition Evidence: What Law Enforcement is Taught Dr. Lance Platt, TX

3:30 pm De-validating SFSTs with "Validation" Studies Michelle Behan, AZ

4:15 pm Junk Science & the American Criminal Justice System Chris Fabricant, NY

5:15 pm Adjourn

5:30 pm Reception - Cajun Fixins'

7:00 pm Alcohol Absorption Research Project on Bourbon Street

#### Friday, March 31

8:00 am Registration, & Continental

Breakfast

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	Significance of Peer-Review Process & Interpreting Scientific Jargon		Jury Selection Opening Statements
9:15 am	Dr. Kevin Schug, TX Accreditation & Analytical	9:45 am	Direct and Cross Examination Arresting Officer & Direct of t Expert
	Laboratory Issues in Blood Alcohol Testing Janine Arvizu, NM	11:00 am	CTD, Direct, & Cross Examina

10:00 am Successful Pretrial Motion Tactics on **DWI Cases Gary Trichter, TX** 

11:00 am Using Scientific Studies to Defeat **DRE Doug Murphy, TX** 

12:00 pm Lunch on Your Own

1:15 pm Intro to Another Dimension: GC Mass Spectrometry & Blood/Drug **Analysis Andrew Mishlove, WI** 

2:00 pm Seated SFSTs in Marine **Environments: How to be a Pirate in** 

the Courtroom Jim Nesci, AZ 2:45 pm Sealing the Deal in Closing **Arguments Michelle Behan, AZ** 

3:45 pm DRE & ARIDE: What is the **Difference? Dr. Lance Platt, TX** 

4:30 pm Mitigation: Using Rehabilitation to Your Client's Advantage Jaqueline Hall, FL

5:00 pm Adjourn

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State's Expert 12:00 pm Lunch on Your Own

1:15 pm Cross Examination of the State's Expert

2:15 pm Defense Expert: Direct & Cross 3:45 pm Jury Arguments

4:15 pm Jury Deliberations & Debriefing

5:00 pm Adjourn

**Prosecutors:** 

Christopher McKinney, TX | Lynn Gorelick, CA

Defense Lawyers:

Kim Benjamin, MO | Justin Goodman, GA

Joe Johnson, KA

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