

The Overview

The 26th Annual MSE features nationally renowned experts and lawyers with more than three centuries of combined scientific and practical experience. It includes experts Dr. Jimmie Valentine, Dr. Matt Cheney, and Janine Arvizu, along with NCDD Regents/Fellows and DWI Defense Board Certified DWI trial lawyers W. Troy McKinney, J. Gary Trichter, Phillip B. Price, James Nesci, Doug Murphy, William Kirk, Joe St. Louis, and Andrew Mishlove. The jury trial will involve a challenging blood-test case featuring experienced, exciting, and innovative trial lawyers Ben Sessions, Jessica Joyner, Nicky Boatwright, and Christopher McKinney. There will be an exclusive live video feed of the jury deliberations and post-trial jury debriefing. The seminar includes the complimentary Bourbon Street Balcony and hospitality room (and the included balcony beads and libations) and the Thursday evening "alcohol absorption project," along with a world-class Cajun seafood buffet reception you can only find in New Orleans.

MSE is co-sponsored by the National College for DUI Defense and the Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association. MSE is the original and only 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. Come learn about DWI science and its limitations and proven and winning DWI trial strategies from some of the country's preeminent and highly acclaimed experts and DWI trial lawyers and 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 \$229 per night, single or double occupancy. For reservations, call the Royal Sonesta at 504-586-0300 and refer to seminar dates and the TCDLA rate. The group rate is available until March 11, 2019, or until the room block is full, whichever occurs first. If the block fills, contact mschank@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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By registering, I represent and confirm that I am a licensed lawyer practicing criminal defense and not a full-time prosecutor, judge, or employee of a government entity (other than public defender). Please initial _____

Reserve My Space | Materials

Early registration (order by Jan. 31, 2019)	USB	Book
TCDLA/NCDD member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$945	<input type="checkbox"/> \$995
Non-member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1095	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1145
Pre-registration (before March 15)		
TCDLA/NCDD member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1000	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1050
Non-member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1200	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1250

On-site registration (after March 15)	USB	Book
TCDLA/NCDD member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1100	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1150
Non-member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1300	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1350

Note: NCDD members must register by phone, fax, or mail to receive the member rate.

Golf! Interested in golf Wednesday, April 3? Mark here or contact Troy McKinney at wtmhousto2@aol.com.

Not Attending

If you can't attend, order the book and USB. Deadline is March 15, 2019.
 TCDLA/NCDD member \$350 Non-member \$450

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Visit ncdd.com for a membership application: 334.264.1950

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Contact our office to become a member: 512.478.2514

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Register by phone at 512.478.2514; fax to 512-469-9107; mail to 6808 Hill Meadow Dr., Austin, Texas 78736; or do it online at www.tcdla.com: Click on the CLE and events link on the main navigation bar to register and pay online. Cancellations must be received, in writing, two weeks prior to the seminar to receive a full refund—less \$25 processing fee. Cancellations made within two weeks of the event will receive a 50% refund and materials will be mailed after the seminar. This seminar will be accredited for 14.75 CLE hours, including .5 hour ethics. Credit may be utilized toward the CLE requirements for the certification and recertification of attorneys in criminal law by the Texas Board of Legal Specialization and towards the total CLE requirements of the State Bar of Texas. CLE applications will be made to other states based on registration.

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Wednesday, April 3

- Noon-ish** Golf at English Turn Golf Club—contact Troy McKinney for details: wtmhousto2@aol.com
- 6:30-ish** Bourbon Street Balcony Hospitality Suite Opens: Beads and Booze Provided

Thursday, April 4

- 8:30 am** Opening Remarks
- 8:45 am** Jury Selection in Breath & Blood Test Cases 🌟 **Troy McKinney (Houston, TX)**
- 9:45 am** Bad Blood: From the Vein to the Lab 2.0, Part 1 🌟 **James Nesci, (Tucson, AZ)**
- 10:45 am** Break
- 11:00 am** Bad Blood: From the Vein to the Lab 2.0, Part 2 🌟 **James Nesci, (Tucson, AZ)**
- 12:00 pm** Lunch on your own
- 1:00 pm** Blood Discovery: An Analyst's Perspective of What You Need & Other Thoughts 🌟 **Dr. Matthew Cheney (Houston, TX)**
- 2:00 pm** Dean's Address: "The Time has Come to Fight for Each Other" (ethics) 🌟 **William Kirk (Seattle, WA)**
- 2:30 pm** The ABCs of DUI: EtG, UAs, IIDs, and SCRAM 🌟 **William Kirk (Seattle, WA)**
- 3:15 pm** Break
- 3:30 pm** Laboratory Challenges That Connect with Juries 🌟 **Janine Arvizu (Albuquerque, NM) & Joe St. Louis (Tucson, AZ)**
- 4:30 pm** The Importance of Method Validation and Adherence to Standard Operating Guidelines 🌟 **Dr. Jimmie I. Valentine (Ocean Springs, MS)**
- 5:30 pm** Adjourn
- 5:30–7:30 pm** Alcohol Absorption Research Project

Friday, April 5

Lecture Track

- 8:30 am** Storytelling Techniques for Educating Court & Jurors on Science 🌟 **Gary Trichter (Bandera, TX)**
- 9:30 am** SFSTs: Adding Balance and Coordination to Clumsy Government Work 🌟 **Phillip B. Price (Huntsville, AL)**
- 10:30 am** Break
- 10:45 am** Defeating DRE with Scientific Studies & Common Sense 🌟 **Doug Murphy (Houston, TX)**
- 11:45 am** Lunch on your own
- 1:15 pm** The Cure for Bad Breath 4.0: A Breath of Fresh Air 🌟 **James Nesci (Tucson, AZ)**
- 2:15 pm** Lab Accreditation: When "Science" Is Fake News 🌟 **Joe St. Louis (Tucson, AZ)**
- 3:15 pm** Break
- 3:30 pm** Examining the Laboratory & Discovery Without an Expert 🌟 **Janine Arvizu (Albuquerque, NM)**
- 4:30 pm** Breaking Bad: Blood Analysis for Drugs 🌟 **Andrew Mishlove (Glendale, WI)**

Trial Track

- 8:30 am** Jury Selection
- 9:45 am** Opening Statements
- 10:15 am** Direct and Cross Examination of the Arresting Officer & Direct of State's Expert
- 12:00 pm** Lunch on your own
- 1:15 pm** Cross-Examination of State's Expert
- 2:15 pm** Defense Expert—Direct and Cross
- 3:30 pm** Break
- 3:45 pm** Jury Arguments
- 4:15 pm** Jury Deliberations & Debriefing
- 5:30 pm** Adjourn

Trial Lawyers:

- Prosecutors:**
- 1) Nicky Boatwright (Lubbock, TX)**
 - 2) Christopher M. McKinney (Houston, TX)**

Defense Lawyers:

- 1) Ben Sessions (Atlanta, GA)**
- 2) Jessica Joyner (San Antonio, TX)**



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