



TEXAS CRIMINAL DEFENSE LAWYERS ASSOCIATION

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SEMINAR INFORMATION

Date: Wednesday, January 7, 2026
Location: Texas Tech Law School, 3311 18th St. Lubbock, TX 79409
Course Directors: Kristen Ayers & Rusty Gunter
Total CLE Hours: 6.25 Ethics: 0

Wednesday, January 7, 2026

Daily CLE Hours: 6.25 Ethics: 0.75

| Time | CLE | Topic | Speaker |
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| 8:15 am | | <i>Registration</i> | |
| 8:45 am | | <i>Opening Remarks</i> | Kristen Ayers & Rusty Gunter |
| 9:00 am | 0.75 | Enhancements | Pat Metze |
| 9:45 am | 0.75 | Time Management & Running Your Office | Nicky Boatwright |
| 10:30 am | | <i>Break</i> | |
| 10:45 am | 0.75 | The Art of Persuasion | Laurie Key |
| 11:30 am | | <i>Lunch Line</i> | |
| 11:45 am | 1.00 | <i>Lunch Presentation:</i> Cross Examination | Justin Kiechler |
| 12:45 pm | | <i>Break</i> | |
| 1:00 pm | 0.75 | Investigation | Eldon Whitworth |
| 1:45 pm | 0.75 | Mitigation | Dennis Reeves |
| 2:30 pm | | <i>Break</i> | |
| 2:45 pm | 0.75 | Working with the Mental Health Caseworker | Callyn Hale & Sarah Velasquez |
| 3:30 pm | 0.75 | Representing the Indigent | Rusty Gunter |
| 4:15 pm | | <i>Adjourn</i> | |