

TCDLA Innocence for Lawyers

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Austin, Texas : August 2-3, 2018: CLE 12.25, Ethics .75

Course Directors

Allison Clayton – Lubbock, TX | Gary Udashen – Dallas, TX
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Overview

This is an intense training course for lawyers, students and activists working to free the wrongfully convicted. Sessions will focus on the development of the practical skills necessary to win in this critical area of legal practice.

Agenda

Thursday, August 2, 2018

- 12:00 pm **Registration**
- 12:45 pm **Opening Remarks** ~ Gary Udashen and Allison Clayton
- 1:00 pm **Update on Legal Issues Related to Wrongful Convictions** ~ Gary Udashen
- 2:00 pm **Brady and Exculpatory Evidence** ~ Stacey Soule and Lisa Stewart
- 2:45 pm **Break**
- 3:00 pm **Jailhouse Snitch Testimony** ~ Mike Ware
- 3:45 pm **Investigating Innocence Cases and Working With Prosecutors** ~ Allison Clayton, Cynthia Garza, Dawn Boswell
- 4:45 pm **Break**
- 5:00 pm **Ineffective Assistance** ~ Bruce Anton
- 5:45 pm **Break**
- 6:15 pm **Dinner Presentation** ~ Cory Session, Anna Vasquez and Dallas County exonerees
- 8:15 pm **Adjourn**

Friday, August 3, 2018

- 7:45 am **Registration and Continental Breakfast**
- 8:15 am **Opening Remarks** ~ Mike Ware
- 8:30 am **DNA** ~ Dr. Angie Ambers
- 9:45 am **Eyewitness Identification** ~ Kristin Brown
- 10:30 am **Break**
- 10:45 am **Shaken Baby Syndrome Cases** ~ Carrie Sperling
- 12:00 pm **Lunch Presentation** ~ Barbra Hervey
- 12:45 pm **Criminal Justice Reform** ~ Patricia Cummings
- 1:30 pm **Fingerprints** ~ Kathleen Bright-Birnbaum
- 3:00 pm **Break**
- 3:15 pm **New Science** ~ Walter Reaves
- 4:00 pm **Ethical Issues for Prosecutors and Defense Lawyers in Innocence Cases** ~ Russell Wilson
- 4:45 pm **Adjourn**

Reserve My Space I Materials

Check all that apply: August 2-3, 2018

- \$35** including \$15 tuition (for all classes, continental breakfast and materials) plus a \$20 voluntary payment to support TCDLA.
 - Texas Criminal Defense Lawyer – Who Regularly Represents Indigent Defendants
 - Texas Judge Paralegal Social Worker
 - Texas Student Investigator
 - Mitigation specialist Legal Assistant
- If you do not wish to make the voluntary payment, please remit only \$15 and mark this box.
- I will need a complimentary hotel stay for check in 8/2 and depart 8/3, Provided by TCDLA. * Limited number, first come
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- I have special needs and have listed them below.
 - vegetarian lunch other

*Special needs or financially unable to pay contact TCDLA

Meeting/Lodging Location

Limited number of complimentary rooms are available. The lodging will be available at the Wyndham Garden, located at 3401 South IH 35 Austin, TX 78741. Call 512-448-2444 to make a reservation; mention TCDLA to receive group rate of \$109 per night, single or double occupancy. Hotel cutoff is 7/12/18, or until room block is full, whichever comes first.

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- New Member Update My Information

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Register:

Mail completed registration form with payment to TCDLA | 6808 Hill Meadow Dr. | Austin, TX 78736

Fax completed registration form with credit card information to 512.469.0512

Questions? smadison@tcdla.com or call 512.478.2514

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- New Member or 2nd Year * (see below) \$100
- Renew Membership \$180
- Auto Draft save \$20 Annually \$160

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