

# Post-Conviction and Parole

Livestream Event: October 29-30, 2020 | 13.25 CLE including 1.0 Ethics

## Course Directors

- Bill Habern - Austin
- David O'Neil - Austin

## Overview

Bill Habern and David O'Neil are the Directors of this upcoming seminar which is intended to afford the criminal defense lawyer with an update on a broad series of topics involving post-conviction issues that consistently arise in everyday practice. Some of the best lawyers in these fields will be speaking in this two-day event in Austin on topics that include: parole & parole revocations, prisons and immigration, sex offender registration and deregistration, ethics and prisoner grievances, civil commitment of sex offenders, expunctions and nondisclosures, state and federal writs and appeals, basic civil rights litigation for defense lawyers, and resources for family members of convicted sex offenders. The program will also include a discussion with the opportunity to question a Parole Board Member and the Special Assistant to the Board's Presiding Officer.

## Agenda

### Thursday, October 29, 2020

- 8:00 am *Opening Remarks*
- 8:15 am *State Appeals*
- 9:00 am *State Writs*
- 9:45 am *Break*
- 10:00 am *Federal Writs*
- 10:45 am *Federal Appeals*
- 11:30 am *Lunch on Your Own*
- 1:00 pm Q&A: Things to Know about Dealing with TDCJ & the Texas Board of Pardons & Paroles
- 2:00 pm *Ethics and Prisoner Grievances*
- 3:00 pm *Break*
- 3:15 pm *Immigration Law and Prison Inmates*
- 4:00 pm *Deregistration of Sex Offenders*
- 4:45 pm *Adjourn*

### Friday, October 30, 2020

- 7:45 am *Opening Remarks*
- 8:00 am *What Defense Attorneys Should Know About Parole & Related Administrative Post-Conviction Matters*
- 9:00 am *Parole Revocation Case Law*
- 10:15 am *Break*
- 10:30 am *How to Present a Parole Revocation Case*
- 11:15 am *What Criminal Defense Lawyers Need*
- 12:00 pm *Lunch on Your Own*
- 1:15 pm *What Is a Sex Offense Under SORNA: Consequences Under Federal & State Law*
- 2:15 pm *Expectations & Nondisclosures*
- 3:00 pm *Break*
- 3:15 pm *Family Assistance for the Convicted Sex Offender*
- 3:45 pm *Civil Commitment of Sexually Violent Predators*
- 4:30 pm *Adjourn*

## Registration | Electronic Materials

Materials will be sent via Dropbox and available on the seminar app. Cancellations must be received in writing two weeks prior to the seminar. A 10% processing fee will be deducted from the refund. Cancellations made within two weeks of the seminar will be assessed a 50% cancellation fee.

### Check all that apply

- \$35 including \$15 tuition, plus a \$20 voluntary payment to support TCDLA.**
  - Texas Criminal Defense Lawyer – Who Regularly Represents Indigent Defendants
  - Texas Judge
  - Texas Student
- If you do not wish to make the voluntary payment, please remit only \$15 and mark this box.

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- **Mail** completed registration form with payment to TCDLA | 6808 Hill Meadow Dr. | Austin, TX 78736
- **Online** at [www.tcdla.com](http://www.tcdla.com)
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## Questions?

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\*Tuition will be used to cover future expenses of TCDLA's grant programs or to provide for items that the grant cannot sufficiently cover.

\*\*Voluntary contributions go to support the Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association (TCDLA), a nonprofit organization and will go directly to TCDLA's private fund account.

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