

Crimes Against Children Conference online at tdcaa.com on April 12, 2021

11+ hours of MCLE, including 2+ hours of ethics

TDCAA is sprinting toward the pandemic finish line with the 2021 online Crimes Against Children Conference. This course is the training solution for prosecutors assigned to our most egregious caseload. Targeting multiple experience levels, a variety of topics will be covered by Texas's top prosecutors. Training will cover oft-requested areas such as jury charges, post-conviction concerns, and charge selection. Additionally, we are addressing many of the ethical issues faced by today's prosecutors. If you currently handle cases involving child victims or expect to in the future, you won't want to miss this training opportunity!

Crimes Against Children Conference Agenda

All presentations are pre-recorded and will be released on the same day, April 12, 2021. Keep in mind that we are unable to process partial completion of the course. To receive credit, attendees must watch every presentation. To accommodate schedules, attendees have until the end of May to watch the course. Upon completion, TDCAA will report MCLE hours to the Texas State Bar.

Victim-Informed Prosecution (ethics credit)

Geeta Singletary, Asst. Criminal District Attorney, Collin County

Charging Decisions

Ronny Dale Smith, Asst. Criminal District Attorney, Tarrant County

Corroborating Evidence

Cameron Calligan, Asst. District Attorney, Harris County

Trafficking Children

Shanna Redwine, Asst. District Attorney, Montgomery County

Improper Student-Teacher Relationships

Hope Palacios, Asst. Crim. District Attorney, Hidalgo County

In the State's Possession (ethics credit)

Laurie English, 112th Judicial District Attorney

Jury Charge

Philip Mack Furlow, 106th Judicial District Attorney

Post-Conviction Concerns

Jaelyn Lambert, Asst. Criminal District Attorney, Dallas County

Plea Agreements and Sex Offender Registration

Felicia Oliphant, First Asst. District Attorney, Rockwall County

The CAC's Multidisciplinary Team Approach

Justin Wood, General Counsel, Children's Advocacy Centers of Texas, Austin

Combatting Cognitive Bias in Crimes Against Kids (ethics credit)

*Tiana Sanford, Asst. District Attorney, Montgomery County, &
Brian Baker, First Asst. District Attorney, Brazos County*

Registration for this course and other information is at tdcaa.com.

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