

AGENDA
REGIONAL JUDGES SEMINAR
 Isla Grand Beach Resort • 500 Padre Blvd.
 South Padre Island, TX • (956) 761-6511
 May 5 - 7, 2013

Sunday, Day 1 **May 5, 2013**

- 1:00 – 5:00 p.m. **Registration**
- 5:00– 6:00 p.m. **Welcome Reception**

Monday, Day 2 **May 6, 2013**

- 6:45 – 7:50 a.m. **Registration and Breakfast**
- 8:00 – 8:05 a.m. **Announcements**
- 8:05 – 9:20 a.m. **Things with Wheels***
 Robin Smith, Presiding Judge, City of Midland
- 9:20 – 9:35 a.m. **Break**
- 9:35 – 10:30 a.m. **Judicial Demeanor⁺ (1 hr. ethics)**
 Melissa Goodwin, Justice, 3rd Court of Appeals
- 10:30 – 10:45 a.m. **Break**
- 10:45 – 12:00 p.m. **Case Law Update⁺ (.25 hrs. ethics)**
 Ryan Kellus Turner, General Counsel & Director of Education, TMCEC

	Track A	Track B	Track C
1:00 – 1:55 p.m.	Scenarios & Solutions⁺ (.25 hrs. ethics) Mark Goodner, Program Attorney & Deputy Counsel, TMCEC	Magistrate’s Orders of Emergency Protection Kim Piechowiak, Domestic Violence Resource Attorney, Office of Court Administration, Austin	Foreign Language Interpreters⁺ (.5 hrs. ethics) David Garza, Presiding Judge, City of Bee Cave
2:05 – 2:55 p.m.	Taking Juvenile Statements Ursula Hall, Judge, City of Houston	Ordinances Overview Ryan Henry, Attorney, Offices of Ryan Henry, PLLC, San Antonio	Talking to Your Town: DRSR⁺* (.25 hrs. ethics) Stella Mata, Deputy Clerk / Juvenile Case Manager, City of Forest Hill
3:05 – 3:55 p.m.	School Attendance Sharon Pruitt, Assistant Attorney General, Texas Attorney General’s Office Juvenile Crime Intervention, Austin	Citations and Complaints Joseph Gorfida, Jr. Partner, Nichols, Jackson, Dillard, Hager, & Smith, PLLC, Dallas	Understanding 3rd Party Collections Glenn Lewis, Judge, City of Forest Hill

	Track A	Track B	Track C
4:05 – 5:00 p.m.	Texas Lawyers Assistance Program+ (1hr. ethics) Cameron Vann, Texas Lawyer’s Assistance Program, Austin & Mary Craft, Judge, Houston	Court Decorum⁺ (.25 hrs. ethics) Terry Elizondo, Judge, Southside Place Municipal Court	Alive @ 25* Kevin Cotton, Texas Alive Team Training Director, Travis County Sheriff’s Deputy

Tuesday, Day 3

May 7, 2013

6:45 – 7:50 a.m.

Breakfast

	Track A	Track B
8:00 – 9:05 a.m.	The Silver Tsunami: Courts and the Growing Elder Population* Mark Goodner, Program Attorney & Deputy Counsel, TMCEC	Introduction to Tablets** Jameson Crain, Multimedia Specialist, TMCEC Hope Lochridge, Executive Director, TMCEC (limited to 12 participants)
9:20 – 10:30 a.m.	Immunity⁺ (.5 hr. ethics) Ryan Henry, Attorney, Offices of Ryan Henry, PLLC, San Antonio	Introduction to Tablets** Jameson Crain, Multimedia Specialist, TMCEC Hope Lochridge, Executive Director, TMCEC (limited to 12 participants)

10:45 - 12:00 p.m.

Fine by Me: A Judicial Primer on the Law and Social Science Relating to the Imposition of Fines in Criminal Cases⁺ (.25 hrs. ethics)

Ryan Kellus Turner, General Counsel & Director of Education, TMCEC

12:00 – 1:00 p.m.

Lunch

1:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Optional Post-Conference: Tools for Effective Court Administration

Mark Goodner, Program Attorney & Deputy Counsel, TMCEC

Katie Tefft, Program Director, TMCEC

* Denotes Municipal Traffic Safety Initiatives (MTSI) or Driving on the Right Side of the Road (DRSR) curriculum funded by a grant from the Texas Department of Transportation.

⁺ Denotes course that shall be submitted for ethics MCLE credit.

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10.5 hours = 8-5 on Day 2 and 8-12 on Day 3

7 hours = 8-5 on Day 2

Note on Judicial Education Credit:

16 hours = 8-5 on Day 2 and 8-12 and 1-5 Post-Conference on Day 3

12 hours = 8-5 on Day 2 and 8-12 on Day 3

8 hours = 8-5 on Day 2

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SEMINAR INFORMATION SHEET

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CLASS TIMES

Day 1	Registration: 1:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Day 2	8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Day 3	8:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon Optional Post Conference: 1:00 – 5:00 p.m.

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In addition to being available in your course book, all course materials are available online at http://www.tmcec.com/Programs/Judges/FY13_Regional_Course_Materials.

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First Names	Last Names	DOH	Court	Address	City	Zip	Phone	Region
Juan	Alvarez	01/20/2009	Mercedes	PO Box 837	Mercedes	78570	(956) 565-3114	10
James	Baker	11/01/1994	Rosenberg	PO Box 32	Rosenberg	77471-0032	(832) 595-3462	09
Jan	Baker	09/25/2012	Midland	406 E. Illinois Ave.	Midland	79701	(432) 685-7304	05
James	Barklow	07/16/1987	University Park	3800 University Blvd	Dallas	75205-1711	(214) 957-5331	03
Cheryl	Bias	08/17/2011	Houston	1400 Lubbock St	Houston	77002-1526	(713) 247-5464	09
Ray	Black	11/01/2009	Mexia	211 North Sherman	Mexia	76667	(254) 562-4181	06
Latham	Boone	06/01/2003	Bryan	Post Office Box 1000	Bryan	77805	(979) 209-5400	07
Warren	Bradley	01/01/2002	Westlake	PO Box 2180	Westlake	76262-2180	(817) 430-0861	02
Alvaro	Briseno	12/08/2009	Castle Hills	209 Lemonwood Dr	San Antonio	78213-2410	(210) 342-2341	07
J. J.	Brown	05/01/1987	Jamaica Beach	5264 Jamaica Beach	Jamaica Beach	77554	(409) 737-1142	08
Charles	Buenger	07/10/2006	Hico	120 W. 1st St	Hico	76457	(254) 796-4620	06
Henry	Campbell	04/03/2008	Lancaster	220 West Main St.	Lancaster	75146	(972) 218-1334	03
Jose	Cantu	03/05/1997	Pasadena	1001-A Shaw Ave	Pasadena	77506	(713) 645-0303	09
Rodolfo	Cantu	03/02/2001	Jacinto City	1301 Mercury Rd	Jacinto City	77029	(713) 928-9087	09
Terry	Carnes	08/06/1990	Farmers Branch	3723 Valley View Lane	Farmers Branch	75244-4902	(972) 661-5021	03
Maria	Casanova	12/17/1992	Houston	1400 Lubbock St., Rm 214	Houston	77002-1526	(713) 247-5464	09
Christopher	Castro	07/01/2010	Balch Springs	3117 Hickory Tree Rd	Balch Springs	75180-1625	(972) 557-6053	03
Clarissa	Chavarria	08/02/2010	San Antonio	401 S Frio	San Antonio	78207	(210) 207-7130	07
David	Colwell	11/20/1991	South Padre Island	4501 Padre Blvd	South Padre Island	78597-7326	(956) 761-3225	10
C.	Cox	02/19/2008	Aransas Pass	1514 Kenwood Dr.	Aransas Pass	78336-2112	(361) 758-2888	10
Franklin	Cram	03/20/2008	Mansfield	1305 E Broad St	Mansfield	76063	(817) 276-4704	02
Kelly	Crow	09/15/2003	Fulshear	PO Box 538	Fulshear	77441-0538	(281) 346-1796	09
Rene	DeCoss	09/24/1999	Brownsville	1034 E Levee St	Brownsville	78520-5165	(956) 548-7181	10
Arturo	DeLeon	11/01/2005	Houston	1400 Lubbock St., Rm 214	Houston	77002-1526	(713) 247-5464	09
Helen	Delgadillo	06/14/2005	Port Isabel	110 W Hickman St	Port Isabel	78578	(956) 943-1281	10
Larry	Dwight	04/01/1986	Addison	PO Box 9010	Addison	75001-9010	(972) 450-7111	03
Terry	Elizondo	09/01/2000	Southside Place	6309 Edloe St	Houston	77005-3617	(713) 668-2341	09
Derrick	Elliott	02/08/2013	Eastland	PO Box 749	Eastland	76448-0749	(254) 629-8227	05
Frieda	Fiske	06/23/2010	Dallas	2014 Main St Ste 210	Dallas	75201-4438	(214) 670-5573	03

Alberto	Garcia	04/20/2013	Harlingen	1018 Fairpark Boulevard	Harlingen	78550	(956) 425-4171	10
Shari	Glover	03/07/2012	Pasadena	PO Box 1575	Pasadena	77501-1575	(713) 475-4916	09
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Javier	Gonzalez	08/24/2010	Harlingen	1018 Fairpark Blvd.	Harlingen	78550	(956) 216-5120	10
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Mark	Goodner	05/20/2011	Woodcreek	41 Champion Cir	Woodcreek	78676-3327	(512) 320-8274	07
A.	Halick	08/01/1999	Jersey Village	16501 Jersey Dr	Jersey Village	77040-1905	(713) 228-8737	09
Billy	Hall	06/01/2008	Harker Heights	305 Miller's Crossing	Harker Heights	76548	(254) 953-5600	06
Bruce	Harris	10/01/2006	Electra	PO Box 1188	Electra	76360-	(940) 495-3536	02
Frank	Hart	12/01/2003	El Paso	810 E Overland Ave	El Paso	79901-2516	(915) 546-2977	05
John	Hawkins	05/16/2006	Nash	PO Box 520	Nash	75569-0520	(903) 838-0822	04
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Jorge	Hernandez	10/29/2002	Lubbock	PO Box 2000	Lubbock	79457-0001	(806) 765-7257	01
Glenn	Holley	01/31/1996	Grand Prairie	200 West Main St.	Grand Prairie	75050	(972) 237-8663	03
Terrence	Holmes	06/01/2009	Beaumont	PO Box 3827	Beaumont	77704-3827	(409) 980-7200	08
William	Holmes	01/26/1988	Odessa	201 N Grant Ave	Odessa	79761-5115	(432) 335-3300	05
Linda	Hopper	01/01/1993	Allen	301 Century Pkwy	Allen	75013-8042	(214) 509-4382	03
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Gary	Janssen	01/01/1999	Needville	9022 Main St.	Needville	77461	(979) 793-3403	09
James	Jay	11/04/1992	Pasadena	PO Box 1575	Pasadena	77501-1575	(817) 237-1211	09
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Bernard	Jones	01/01/2006	Copperas Cove	602 S Main St	Copperas Cove	76522-2917	(254) 547-5030	06
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Michael	Krueger	07/13/2004	Kingsville	PO Box 1458	Kingsville	78364	(361) 595-8037	10
David	Kulesz	01/01/2010	Dalworthington Gardens	2600 Roosevelt Dr	Arlington	76016-5809	(817) 226-1100	02
C. Victor	Lander	11/07/1991	Dallas	2014 Main St, Suite 330	Dallas	75201-4438	(214) 671-9901	03
William	Lane	1/26/2009	Everman	212 N Race St	Everman	76140-3213	(281) 471-2244	02
Terry	Leach	10/01/1985	Lakeside	9830 Confederate Park Rd	Lakeside	76108-9484	(817) 280-0811	02
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Robert	Meisel	04/25/2012	Westlake Hills	911 Westlake Dr	West Lake Hills	78746-4509	(512) 560-0400	06
Robert	Murphy	10/01/2008	Kingsville	PO Box 1458	Kingsville	78364	(361) 595-8037	10
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Carlos	Ortegon	06/01/2008	Alton	509 South Alton Blvd.	Alton	78573	(956) 432-0773	10
Meg	Oswald	11/01/2005	Houston	1400 Lubbock St	Houston	77002-1526	(713) 247-5464	09
Victor	Parra	04/08/2008	El Paso	810 E Overland	El Paso	79901	(915) 546-2977	05
Horacio	Pena	04/13/1987	Mission	1200 E 8th St	Mission	78572-5811	(956) 584-5150	10
Ricardo	Perez	07/01/2008	San Juan	2301 North Raul Longoria	San Juan	78589	(956) 783-3505	10
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Randall	Pick	01/23/2002	Taylor	109 W 5th St	Taylor	76574-3528	(512) 759-4208	06
Robin	Ramsay	07/01/1986	Denton	601 E Hickory St Ste D	Denton	76205-4305	(940) 349-8139	02
Mauro	Reyna	10/20/1991	Mission	1200 E. 8th St.	Mission	78572	(956) 584-5150	10
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Richard	Risinger	06/23/2003	La Porte	913 South Eighth St.	La Porte	77571	(281) 471-4683	09
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Preston	Robinson	06/01/2009	Dallas	2014 Main St	Dallas	75201-4426	(214) 740-0095	03
Todd	Robinson	04/16/2012	Corpus Christi	120 N Chaparral St	Corpus Christi	78401-2802	(361) 826-2520	10
James	Rodriguez	03/07/2010	Von Ormy	PO Box 10	Von Ormy	78073	(210) 448-6788	07
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Carmen	Rojo	10/01/2004	San Antonio	401 South Frio St.	San Antonio	78207	(210) 476-8899	07
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Allen	Ross	10/20/1999	Tyler	PO Box 895	Tyler	75710-0895	(903) 531-1266	04
Lawrence	Rousseau	09/01/2010	Houston	1400 Lubbock St	Houston	77002-1526	(713) 247-5464	09
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Arturo	Saenz	03/11/2013	Harlingen	PO Box 3562	Harlingen	78550	(956) 216-5127	10
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Gary	Schroeder	03/15/2013	Smiley	PO Box 189	Smiley	78159	(803) 587-6220	07
Chris	Schuchart	01/10/2003	Hondo	1600 Avenue M	Hondo	78861-1756	(830) 931-3800	05
Edward	Sillas	03/01/2006	Brookside Village	6243 Brookside Rd	Brookside Village	77581-2045	(281) 485-4844	08
Luis	Singleterry	04/01/2004	Pharr	1900 S Cage Blvd	Pharr	78577-6751	(956) 783-7859	10
Margaret	Spain	09/11/2009	Forney	PO Box 826	Forney	75126-0826	(972) 564-7311	03
Dan	Taber	01/15/2004	Schulenburg	535 N Main St	Schulenburg	78956-1563	(979) 743-4128	07
Alfredo	Tavera	06/16/1997	San Antonio	401 S Frio St	San Antonio	78207-4416	(210) 207-7130	07
Ignacio	Torteya	09/29/2005	Brownsville	1034 E. Levee St.	Brownsville	78520-6058	(956) 574-6637	10
Mario	Trevino	08/01/2005	Helotes	PO Box 507	Helotes	78023-0507	(210) 695-5901	07

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