

**2009 ANNUAL MEETING OF
THE WISCONSIN JUDICIAL CONFERENCE**

November 4-6, 2009
Hyatt Regency Milwaukee

PROGRAM AGENDA

Wednesday, November 4

Executive Ballroom

7:30 – 8:45 a.m. **NEW JUDGE BREAKFAST (By Invitation)**

Atrium

8:00 – 9:00 a.m. **REGISTRATION**

Regency Ballroom

9:00 – 9:15 a.m. **WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION**

Hon. Jeffrey Wagner
Program Chair
Milwaukee County Circuit Court
Milwaukee

9:15 – 10:00 a.m. **STATE OF THE JUDICIARY ADDRESS**

Chief Justice Shirley Abrahamson
Chair, WI Judicial Conference
Wisconsin Supreme Court
Madison

10:00 – 10:15 a.m. **STATE OF THE DIRECTOR OF STATE COURTS OFFICE
ADDRESS**

A. John Voelker
Director of State Courts
Wisconsin Supreme Court
Madison

10:15 – 10:30 a.m. **BREAK**

10:30 – 12:00 Noon **WHAT JUDGES NEED TO KNOW ABOUT PERSONALITY DISORDERS**

Gregory Lester, Ph.D.
Consulting Clinical & Research Psychologist
Denver, CO

Wednesday, November 4 (continued)

12:00 Noon – 1:00 p.m. **DISTRICT LUNCHEONS**

1:10 – 2:10 p.m. **PPAC: THE FUTURE IS IN YOUR HANDS**

Hon. Barbara Kluka
Kenosha County Circuit Court
Kenosha

2:10 – 2:20 p.m. **BREAK**

2:20 – 3:20 p.m. **BREAKOUT SESSIONS:**

Manager's Suite

- **Personality Disorders with Dr. Lester**

This session will provide an overview of the identification and treatment of personality disorders in children and adolescents.

Gilpatrick

- **Self-Defense** – Hon. Mel Flanagan, Milwaukee County Circuit Court; Master Michael Homann; Master William Penca; Hon. Ralph Ramirez, Waukesha County Circuit Court; Hon. Timothy Vocke, Reserve Judge

Executive AB

- **Prisoner Litigation** – Hon. Andrew Bissonnette, Dodge County Circuit Court; Atty. Kathryn Anderson, WI Department of Corrections-Legal Counsel; Atty. Karla Keckhaver, WI Department of Justice; Comm'r. Steven Seim, Dodge County Circuit Court Commissioner

Lakeshore B

- **Treatment Courts** – Hon. Elliott Levine, (1st Session); Hon. Scott Woldt (2nd Session)

Executive CD

- **Wisconsin ETF – Retirement Planning** – Sari King, Department of Employee Trust Funds; Kathryn Fields, Department of Employee Trust Funds

Lakeshore A

- **Inmate Healthcare Services** – Larry Wolk, M.D., MSPH, Correctional Healthcare Companies

Lakeshore C

- **Preparing for Electronic Courts Using eTools** – Jean Bousquet, CCAP; Kathy Bosben, CCAP

3:20 – 3:30 p.m. **BREAK**

3:30 – 4:30 p.m. **BREAKOUT SESSIONS (Repeated)**

Regency Ballroom

4:45 – 5:30 p.m. **WISCONSIN TRIAL JUDGES ASSOCIATION MEETING**

Thursday, November 5

Regency Ballroom

8:15 – 8:20 a.m.

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS

Hon. Jeffrey Wagner
Program Chair

8:20 – 8:40 a.m.

CONFIDENTIAL SERVICES FOR THE JUDICIARY

Linda Albert, LCSW, CSAC WisLap Coordinator State Bar of Wisconsin Madison	Hon. Timothy Vocke Reserve Judge Rhineland
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8:40 – 10:30 a.m.

INTRODUCTION TO LAW & ECONOMICS

Henry Butler, J.D., Ph.D.
Senior Lecturer
Executive Director, Searle Center on Law,
Regulation, and Economic Growth
Northwestern University School of Law
Chicago, Ill.

10:30 – 10:45 a.m.

BREAK

10:45 – 12:00 Noon

WISCONSIN JUDICIAL CONFERENCE BUSINESS MEETING

Chair: Chief Justice Shirley Abrahamson
Parliamentarian: J. Mac Davis

-Jury Instruction Committees' Reports;

Juvenile – Hon. J. D. McKay, Chair

Civil – Hon. Lisa Stark, Chair

Criminal – Hon. Mark Mangerson, Chair

-Uniform Bond Committee – Hon. Jon Counsell, Chair

-Legislative Committee Report – Hon. James Habeck

-Judicial Council Report – Hon. Edward Leineweber, Chair

-Planning and Policy Advisory Committee – Hon. Carl Ashley (Vice-Chair)

-Consolidated Court Automation Programs – Jean Bousquet

-Committee to Improve Interpretation and Translation – Hon. Ralph Ramirez

-Records Management Committee – Hon. James Kieffer, Chair

-Judicial Education Committee – David Hass

-State Tribal Justice Forum – Hon. Neal Nielsen

-Court Improvement Program – Sheryl Gervasi

-Resolutions – Bylaw Changes

-Nominating Committee – Chief Justice Shirley Abrahamson

-Elections

-Meeting of Standing Committees to Elect Chairs; Nominating Committee to Elect its Chair

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Thursday, November 5 (continued)

12:00 Noon – 1:15 p.m. **DISTRICT LUNCHEONS**

1:15 – 2:30 p.m. **CRIMINAL PROCEDURE UPDATE**

Carol Briones
Wisconsin Department of Corrections
Fox Lake

Hon. Richard Sankovitz
Milwaukee County Circuit Court
Milwaukee

Hon. Lisa Stark
Eau Claire County Circuit Court
Eau Claire

Anthony Streveler, Acting Administrator
Division of Correctional Programs
Wisconsin Department of Corrections
Madison

2:30 – 2:45 p.m. **BREAK**

2:45 – 3:45 p.m. **BREAKOUT SESSIONS:**

Executive AB

- **Practice Tips for Reserve Judges (one session only)** – Hon. John DiMotto, Milwaukee County Circuit Court

Lakeshore A

- **Internet Tips for Legal Researchers – What’s New at the State Law Library** – Jane Colwin

Gilpatrick

- **Wisconsin Tribal Courts: Asked and Answered** – Hon. Todd Matha, Chief Judge, Ho-Chunk Nation Trial Court; Hon. Amanda Rockman, Associate Judge, Ho-Chunk Nation Trial Court

Lakeshore B

- **Limited Scope Representation in the Courtroom** – Atty. Jeffery Brown, State Bar of Wisconsin; Hon. Michael Dwyer, Milwaukee County Circuit Court; Atty. Carlton Stansbury, Burbach & Stansbury, S.C.; Justice Laurie Zelon, California Court of Appeal – 2nd District, Division 7

Executive CD

- **Criminal Law Discussion Group** – Carol Briones, Wisconsin Department of Corrections; Hon. Richard Sankovitz, Milwaukee County Circuit Court; Hon. Lisa Stark, Eau Claire County Circuit Court; Anthony Streveler, Wisconsin Department of Corrections

Manager’s Suite

- **Civil Law Discussion Group** – Hon. Richard Niess (1st Session); Hon. William Gabler (2nd Session)

Lakeshore C

- **Juvenile Law Discussion Group** – Hon. Mary Triggiano (1st Session); Hon. Michael Malmstadt (2nd Session)

3:45 – 4:00 p.m. **BREAK**

4:00 – 5:00 p.m. **BREAKOUT SESSIONS (Repeated)**

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Friday, November 6
Regency Ballroom

8:30 – 8:45 a.m. **ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS**

Hon. Jeffrey Wagner
Program Chair

8:45 – 10:15 a.m. **NO COUNTRY FOR OLD MEN (OR WOMEN) - A CASE STUDY
OF THE COURT'S ROLE IN RESPONDING TO ELDER ABUSE**

Atty. Linda Dawson
Reinhart Boerner Van Deuren, S.C.
Madison

Hon. Mel Flanagan
Milwaukee County Circuit Court
Milwaukee

Jane Raymond, M.S.
Advocacy & Protection Systems Developer
Bureau of Aging and Long Term Care
Department of Health Services
Madison

10:15 – 10:30 a.m. **BREAK**

10:30 – 12:00 Noon **JURORS AND JUDGES ALL ATWITTER**

Atty. Anne Reed
Reinhart Boerner Van Deuren, S.C.
Milwaukee

12:00 Noon **CONCLUDING REMARKS**

Hon. Jeffrey Wagner
Program Chair

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