

Missouri Office of Prosecution
16th Annual Conference
on
Family & Sexual Violence

May 10-12, 2022

*Perseverance, Resilience &
Positive Outcomes*

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We encourage prosecutors, law enforcement, advocates & all of our allied professionals to take this opportunity to learn from national & local experts. These classes will enhance investigation, prosecution & advocacy skills in *all criminal matters*, particularly crimes against persons, with an emphasis on special victims cases. We strive to provide excellent training opportunities to teach professionals to *think outside the box* for the most effective criminal Justice response.



**Holiday Inn Select
Executive Center**
Columbia, Missouri

MISSOURI OFFICE OF PROSECUTION SERVICES 16th ANNUAL FAMILY & SEXUAL VIOLENCE CONFERENCE

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Reserve your spot early!
Space is limited!

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The Early Registration Rate will be **\$175**. Early registration is encouraged in order to reserve your spot as seating will be limited.* If we are in person, registration will include a socially distanced lunch on Tuesday and Wednesday, and a dinner on Tuesday evening. Early Registration ends April 12, 2022. Registrations received after April 12 will be \$250/person. Walk-ins (persons not previously registered) will be charged \$250/ person.

Please Join Us!
We hope to see you there.

The Holiday Inn will have a block of rooms available for our conference attendees at a rate of \$96/night. Please call the hotel and mention the conference in order to receive the discounted rate. The rate is available until April 9, 2022. The phone number is 1-573-445-8531.

Please register by cutting and pasting the link into your browser:**

<http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=q5eaeneab&oeidk=a07eiuvnb4td80e4508>

Questions? Concerns? Comments?

Contact Catherine Vannier at catherine.vannier@prosecutors.mo.gov or (573) 644-2409.

Please share with your Prosecutors, Law Enforcement, Investigative & Legal Support Staff, Victim Advocates, Children's Division Personnel, Juvenile Office Personnel, Children's Advocacy Center Staff, Adult Protective Services, Health Professionals, Probation Officers & other Allied Professionals.

This training is available to: Prosecutors, Prosecutors' Office Staff, Law Enforcement, Victim Advocates, Children's Division, Probation & Parole, Department of Mental Health, Adult Protective Services, Health Professionals, Juvenile Office Personnel and Children's Advocacy Center Staff. Other Similar Allied Professionals must obtain prior approval for attendance from Conference Organizers. To receive approval, please email Catherine.vannier@prosecutors.mo.gov. In the email subject line, please indicate "Conference Approval - MOPS 16th Annual FSV Conference."

* **PLEASE NOTE:** The Missouri Office of Prosecution Services is unable to issue refunds after payment has been received. If for some reason you are unable to attend after registering and making payment, the Missouri Office of Prosecution Services will work with you to transfer your registration to another individual; however, payment cannot be refunded. No exceptions.

Persons needing special accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act should notify MOPS at catherine.vannier@prosecutors.mo.gov or (573) 644-2409, as soon as possible after registering, but no later than **April 12, 2022.

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Tuesday, May 10, 2022

7:00 AM – 9:15 AM Registration

9:00 AM – 9:15 AM

Opening Remarks
Windsor Ballroom

9:15 AM TO 10:30 AM

It's All in the Approach: Making the Most of Victim/ Witness Conversations

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification pending 1.25 hours, 1.5 hours CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210

Leslie Albrecht, Investigator, Division of Senior & Disability Services, Special Investigations Unit, retired Detective, San Diego Police Department

10:30 AM TO 10:45 AM Break,

10:45 AM – 12:00PM

When the Victim Can't Speak: Special Victims Homicide Investigation & Prosecution

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification Pending 1.25 hours, 1.5 hours CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210 (pending)

Courtney Curtis, J.D., Assistant Executive Director, Indiana Prosecuting Attorneys' Council, former Marion County, Indiana, \ Deputy Prosecuting Attorney

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM Lunch (Provided)

1:00 PM – 2:15 PM

SPECIAL KEYNOTE PRESENTATION

Just A Glimpse: A Survivor's Story of Overcoming A Childhood of Domestic Violence & Abuse.

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification Pending, 1.25 hours, 1.5 hours CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210

Albert Grieve, J.D., Survivor, former Legal Aspects Trainer, Missouri Children's Division, & former JCPD Law Enforcement Officer

2:15 PM – 2:30 PM Break, *Concourse*

2:30 PM – 3:45 PM **BREAKOUT SESSION #1**

1a: In & Out of Care: A (Once)Ward of the State's (now GAL) Lessons Learned

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification Pending, 1.25 hours, 1.5 hours CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210

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1b: Sex Offender Risk Assessment & Treatment

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification Pending 1.25 hours, 1.5 hours CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210

Amy Griffith, Ph.D., L.P., Statewide Clinical Director, Missouri Sex Offender Services

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Tuesday, May 10, 2022, *cont'd*

3:45 PM – 4:00 PM Break, *Concourse*

4:00 PM – 5:15 PM

Families and Individuals Recovering from Complex Trauma

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification Pending 1.25 hours, 1.5 hours CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210

Rebecca Bailey, Transitioning Families, *Director*

5:15 PM – 7:30 PM

Windsor Ballroom

Dinner/ Networking Reception

Wednesday, May 11, 2022

7:00 AM TO 8:00 AM Buffet Breakfast

Concourse

8:00 AM - 9:15 AM

Finding & Proving Physical Abuse & Neglect: Across the Lifespan, From Childhood to the Sunset Years

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification Pending 1.25 hours, 1.5 hours CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210

Courtney Curtis, J.D., Assistant Executive Director, *Indiana Prosecuting Attorneys' Council*, former *Marion County, Indiana*, Deputy Prosecuting Attorney

Leslie Albrecht, Investigator, *Division of Senior & Disability Services*, Special Investigations Unit, *retired* Detective, *San Diego Police Department*

9:15 AM – 9:25 AM Break, *Concourse*

9:25 AM – 10:40 AM **BREAKOUT SESSION #2:**

2a: Best Practices in Determining the Dominant Aggressor

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification Pending Interpersonal, 1.25 hours CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210

Mark Kurkowski, Owner, *Kurkowski Consulting & Training, LLS*, *retired* St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department

2b: Polyvagal Theory in the Courtroom and Beyond

Communicating Effectively with Disregulated Populations

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification Pending 1.25 hours, 1.5 hours CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210

Rebecca Bailey Ph.D., Director, *Transitioning Families*, Author, *Safe Families, Safe Children*

10:40 – 10:45 AM Break, *Concourse*

10:45 AM – 12:00 PM **BREAKOUT SESSION #3:**

3a: Charging & Trying §558.021 Predatory Sex Offender Cases

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification Pending 1.25 hours, 1.5 hours CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210

Kelli Anderson, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, *Taney County*

3b: Batterers' Intervention: Why Does He Choose to Do That?

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification Pending 1.25 hours, 1.5 hours CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210

Sara Brammer Ph.D., Synergy Services, *Director of Family Violence Services*

Tony Dishman, Program Manager of Batterer Intervention, *Synergy Services*

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM Lunch (Provided)

Windsor Ballroom

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Wednesday, May 11, 2022, *cont'd*

1:00 PM - 2:15 PM

Protecting & Empowering Victims: Rape Shield & Survivor Confidentiality in the Criminal Case
Paradise Ballroom

POST Certification pending 1.25 hours, 1.5 hours CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210
Amy Fite, Christian County Prosecuting Attorney

2:15 PM – 2:30 PM Break

2:30 PM – 3:45 PM **BREAKOUT SESSION #4:**

4a: The Power of Persuasion: The Prosecutor as Ethical Advocate

When Words Count: Voir Dire, Opening & Closing

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification pending 1.25 hours, 1.5 hours Ethics CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210
Annie Gibson, Daviess County Prosecuting Attorney

4b: Perseverance in the Face of Compassion Fatigue

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification pending 1.25 hours, 1.5 hours Mental Health CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210
Ben Miller, First Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, Callaway County

Victoria McBride, Rape & Abuse Crisis Services of Jefferson City, Outreach & Advocacy Director

3:45 PM – 4:00 PM Break

4:00 PM – 5:15 PM

Stalking in the 21st Century: A Serial Stalker Case Study

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification Pending 1.25 hours, 1.5 hours CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210

Mark Kurkowski, Owner, Kurkowski Consulting & Training, LLS, retired St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department

Thursday, May 12, 2022

7:00 AM TO 8:00 AM Buffet Breakfast

Concourse

8:00 AM – 9:15 AM **BREAKOUT SESSION #5**

5a: Updates in Orders of Protection: Knowledge, Service & Making the VOP Stick

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification pending 1.25 hours, 1.5 hours CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210

Kelly Martinez, Director, Legal Advocacy, Missouri Coalition Against Domestic & Sexual Violence
Katie Wessling, Managing Attorney, Crime Victim Center

5b: When Mental Illness & Criminal Behaviors Mix

Victims, Witnesses & Perpetrators

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification Pending 1.25 hours, 1.5 hours CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210

Jason Klaus, Missouri CIT Coordinator, Detective, Perry County Sheriff's Office

9:15 PM – 9:30 AM Break

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Thursday, May 12, 2022, *cont'd*

9:30 AM - 10:45 AM **BREAKOUT SESSION #6**

6a: Peeling Back the Layers

Finding the Hidden Clues in Vulnerable Adult Abuse Investigations

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification Pending 1.5 hours, 1.5 hours CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210

Leslie Albrecht, Investigator, *Division of Senior & Disability Services*, Special Investigations Unit, *retired* Detective, *San Diego Police Department*

6b: Working with P&P: Expectations, Collaboration & Effective Outcomes

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification Pending 1..25 hours, 1.5 hours CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210

Todd Schwent, Associate Division Director, *Missouri Division of Probation & Parole*

Mary Beth Lammey, Policy and Procedure Coordinator, *Missouri Division of Probation & Parole*

Jared Drummond, District Administrator, *Missouri Division of Probation & Parole*

10:45 -11:00 AM Break

11:00 AM - 12:15 PM

The Implicit 4 Letter Word: Paving the Bumpy Road to Justice for Diverse Populations

Windsor Ballroom

POST Certification Pending 1.25 hours, 1.5 hours Implicit Bias CLE, 1.5 hours CA/N 210

Nicole Cofer, West Virginia Prosecuting Attorneys' Institute

END OF CONFERENCE

Attendance at *all* sessions should amount to hours of 21 **Continuing Legal Education Credit, including Ethics & Implicit Bias hours**. Peace Officer Standard Training Certifications will be requested individually for each of the presentations. DPS POST certification is listed above. Attendance at *all* sessions should amount to 17.5 **POST certified hours**. Certification will also be requested for individual approval for the specified CA/N 210 hours. Attendance at *all* sessions should amount to a total of 17.5 hours (POST) to 21 hours (CLE/210).