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ABCs of Criminal Court



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PROGRAM SUMMARY

Taught by dynamic speakers, this program offers every criminal practitioner — whether new, experienced, full-time or part-time — the opportunity to master complex criminal court topics and become a better trial attorney, criminal advocate and relentless student of law.

Attendees also receive the completely updated *ABCs of Criminal Court, Second Edition*, in both print and electronic formats, featuring 26 updated and brand-new criminal law and trial practice topics, and enhanced with graphic charts, summaries and instructional material. Designed to be carried into court, this handy book is the only weapon an effective and skilled advocate needs.

The chronological “A to Z” approach to criminal law equips attendees with the knowledge to successfully:

- Handle the essentials of a jury trial, from preparation, defenses and objections to motions, evidence and voir dire
- Defend probation violations
- Master the applications of sentencing, habitual felon laws, sex offender registration rules and collateral consequences
- Navigate DWI, traffic basics and driving privileges
- Apply the new expunction opportunities
- Combat the intense stress and anxiety that every lawyer faces with true health and fitness practices

Although the “ABCs” of criminal court are greater than just 26 topics, this program and the accompanying publication offer a complete picture of the law that helps every criminal practitioner become an expert, one letter at a time.

The electronic publication will be available for download in the NCBA online portal within one week prior to the program. Printed copies will be mailed via UPS ground shipping within 7-10 days after the program. A street address must be provided at the time of registration; no P.O. boxes, please. **Note that program attendance is required to receive a printed book.**

AGENDA

FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 2019 | 8:15 a.m. – 4:15 p.m.

8:15 **Registration and Continental Breakfast**

8:55 **Welcome and Introductions**
Garrett and Olson

9:00 **Probation Violations**
Rizo

- How to successfully defend probation violations
- Consequences and potential outcomes
- Current issues and practical tips

9:45 **Witness Examination**
Herron

- How to question witnesses
- Preparing for direct examination
- Cross-examination techniques

10:15 **Domestic Violence**
Jeffries

- Criminal statutes and consequences
- 50Bs
- Bonds and pretrial release
- Collateral consequences

10:45 **Break**

11:00 **Sentencing**
Aberle

- Misdemeanor sentencing
- Felony sentencing
- Habitual and sex offenses
- Collateral consequences and commentary

11:50 **Objections and Evidence**
Reese

- When and what objections to make at trial
- Evidence foundation questions
- How to properly introduce your evidence at trial

12:30 **Networking Lunch**

1:15 **Jury Trials**
Reese

- Award-winning author of *How to Try Your Case Like a Professional*
- Trial preparation and motions
- Trials from start to finish — openings through objections and closings

2:15 **DWIs**

Goldsborough

- Sentencing and collateral consequences
- Limited driving privileges
- Elements and identifying trial issues

3:00 **Break**

3:15 **True Health for Lawyers[†]**
Horner

- How to truly be healthy
- How food and exercise can help you manage stress and anxiety

4:15 **Adjourn**

PROGRAM DETAILS

SPEAKERS

- **A. Brennan Aberle**, Assistant Public Defender, Guilford County, Greensboro
- **Stephanie M. Goldsborough**, Dummit Fradin, Greensboro
- **Johnna Z. Herron**, Assistant Public Defender, Guilford County, Greensboro
- **Lucas M. Horner**, Garrett Walker Aycoth & Olson, Greensboro
- **Lauren A. Jeffries**, Gate City Legal Services Inc., Greensboro
- **Stephanie L. Reese**, Assistant District Attorney, Rockingham County, Wentworth
- **Roger Rizo**, Assistant Public Defender, Guilford County, Greensboro

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120 Sage Commons Way, Cary

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PLANNERS

- **Chad D. Garrett**, Garrett Walker Aycoth & Olson PLLC, Greensboro
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