

2026 Prosecuting Homicides Conference "Justice Served"

January 13-15, 2026 The Drury Hotel, 820 Poydras Street, New Orleans, LA 70112

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AGENDA

DAY 1: Tuesday, January 13, 2026 - General Session

Coffee and tea provided throughout the day.

7: 30 – 8:15 AM	Check-in & Registration
8:15 – 8:30 AM	Welcome Remarks
8:30 – 10:30 AM	Rachel Morin Homicide – Case Study
10:30 – 10:45 AM	Break
10:45 AM – 12:00 PM	The Use of Technology in the Courtroom
12:00 – 1:30 PM	Lunch (on your own)
1:30 –3:00 PM	Errors From the Outset: A Cold Case Retrospective
3:00- 3:15 PM	Break
3:15 – 4:30 PM	The Anatomy of a Successful Homicide Prosecution

Adjourn for the Day



DAY 2: Wednesday, January 14, 2026

Coffee and tea provided throughout the day.

8:30 – 9:45 AM The First Thing We Do – Voir Dire in a Homicide Case

9:45 - 10:00 AM **Break**

10:15 – 11:30 AM Prosecuting Drug-Related Homicides

11:30 AM –1:00 PM **Lunch (on your own)**

1:00 –2:00 PM Strangulation Homicide: The Silent Killer

2:00 – 2:15 **Break**

2:15 – 3:30 PM Prosecuting the Unintentional Homicide

3:30 – 3:45 PM **Break**

3:45 – 4:45 PM Not as Easy as it Seems – Trying the Pro Se Defendant

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DAY 3: Thursday, January 15, 2026

Coffee and tea provided throughout the day.

9:00 – 10:30 AM Deepfakes, Defenses, and Digital Manipulation: The Next Evidentiary Challenge

10:30 – 10:45 AM **Break**

10:45 – 11:45 AM **TBD**

Course Concludes

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