

Montana Judicial Institute



October 4-6, 2017

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4TH

- 11:45 am Lunch [University of Montana Law School - Castles Arena]
Introductions and Ice Breaker by Kiely Keane & Katie DeSoto
Welcome by Hillary Wandler, Associate Dean of Students, University of Montana School of Law
- 12:45 pm ***Opening Lecture*** – Hon. Donald Molloy
- 1:15 pm ***The Rule of Law: History & Structure***
Professor Tom Huff
[15 min. break sometime during lecture]
- 3:45 pm Break
- 4:00 pm ***Anatomy of a Civil Case*** – Hon. Jeremiah Lynch,
Katie DeSoto, Kiely Keane, Mark Kovacich, Dylan McFarland
- 5:00 pm Recess
- 6:00 pm Dinner [*DoubleTree Missoula*]
Speaker - Anthony Johnstone, Associate Professor of Law,
University of Montana School of Law
Topic - Federalism and Separation of Powers: The President, the
Congress, the States, and Immigration
- 8:00 pm Adjourn for the day

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5TH

- 8:00 am ***Welcome, housekeeping and preview of day*** – Kiely Keane &
Katie DeSoto
[U of M Law School - Castles Arena]
- 8:15 am ***Anatomy of a Civil Case (continued)***
- 9:45 am Break

- 10:00 am *Anatomy of a Criminal Case* – Hon. Dana Christensen,
Karl Englund, Joe Thaggard, Kevin Evans, Tony Gallagher, Tucker Hood
- 11:00 am Break
- 11:15 pm *Anatomy of a Criminal Case (continued)*
- 12:15 pm **Lunch**
- 1:00 pm Adjourn to the Russell Smith Courthouse
(Transportation from the University to the courthouse will
be provided.)
- 1:15 pm *The Experience of a Federal Criminal Defendant* – Rodney Maxim
- 2:00 pm **Arraignment & Sentencing Hearings**
Hon. Jeremiah Lynch & Hon. Dana Christensen
- 5:00 pm Recess
- 6:00 pm Dinner [Missoula Children’s Theater, 200 North Adams Street]
Keynote speaker Hon. William Young
Topic - Juries and Justice: Teaching Direct Democracy
- 8:00 pm Adjourn

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6TH

- 8:00 am *Welcome, housekeeping and preview of day* – Kiely Keane &
Katie DeSoto
[U of M Law School - Castles Arena]
- 8:15 am *Appellate Courts* – Hon. Brian Morris
- 9:15 am Break
- 9:30 am *Tribal Jurisdiction* – Maylinn Smith & John Harrison
- 11:15 am Break
- 11:30 am *Questions & Discussion* - led by Karl Englund
- 12:00 pm **Lunch**
- 1:00 pm Adjourn