



## 2020 Mississippi Appellate Court Judges Conference

The Inn at Ole Miss ~ University, Mississippi

March 5-6, 2020

### Conference Agenda

#### Thursday, March 5<sup>th</sup>, 2020

3:00-5:30 p.m.	Registration	<i>Conference Center Lobby</i>
6:00-6:30 p.m.	Reception	<i>Conference Center Ballroom A</i>
6:30-7:30 p.m.	Dinner and Keynote Speaker <b>Reflections from the Bench (1.00)</b> <i>Hon. Michael Mills</i> <i>United States District Court Judge</i> <i>Northern District of Mississippi</i> <i>Oxford, Mississippi</i>	<i>Conference Center Ballroom B</i>

#### Friday, March 6<sup>th</sup>, 2020

7:00-8:30 a.m.	Breakfast	<i>Conference Center Lobby</i>
	Morning Sessions:	<i>Conference Center Ballroom D</i>
8:30-9:20 a.m.	<b>Perspectives from the Michigan Supreme Court (1.00)</b> <i>Hon. Bridget Mary McCormack</i> <i>Chief Justice</i> <i>Michigan Supreme Court</i> <i>Lansing, Michigan</i>	
9:20-9:30 a.m.	Break	
9:30-10:20 a.m.	<b>Advanced Legal Research and Writing (1.00)</b> <i>Professor Jason Derrick</i> <i>Professor of the Practice of Law</i> <i>University of Mississippi School of Law</i> <i>University, Mississippi</i>  <i>Professor Kris Gilliland</i> <i>Professor of Law and Director of Law Library</i> <i>University of Mississippi School of Law</i> <i>University, Mississippi</i>	
10:20-10:30 a.m.	Break	

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10:30-11:20 a.m.      **Ethical Concerns with the Use of Social Media by Judges and in Judicial Campaigns (1.00)**

***Hon. Randy Pierce***  
*Director*  
*Mississippi Judicial College*  
*University, Mississippi*

11:20-11:30 a.m.      Break

11:30-12:20 p.m.      **Problems in Appellate Review of Final Family Law Orders (1.00)**

***Associate Dean Deborah Challener***  
*Associate Dean for Academic Affairs*  
*Mississippi College School of Law*  
*Jackson, Mississippi*

***Professor Michael Hoffheimer***  
*Professor of Law*  
*Jamie L. Whitten Chair of Law and Government*  
*University of Mississippi School of Law*  
*University, Mississippi*

12:20-12:30 p.m.      Break

12:30-1:30 p.m.      Working Lunch

*Butler Auditorium*

**Status of Legal Education (1.00)**

***Dean Susan Duncan***  
*University of Mississippi School of Law*  
*University, Mississippi*

***Associate Dean Benjamin Cooper***  
*Senior Associate Dean*  
*Frank Montague, Jr. Professor of Legal Studies and Professionalism*  
*University of Mississippi School of Law*  
*University, Mississippi*

***Associate Dean Stacey Lantagne***  
*Associate Dean for Faculty Development*  
*University of Mississippi School of Law*  
*University, Mississippi*

