

# 2009 NEW PARENT DEFENDER TRAINING

March 19-20, 2009

Chapel Hill, NC

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## Thursday, March 19

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| 8:00 to 8:30am   | Sign-in  |
| 8:30 to 8:45am   | Welcome<br>Whitney Fairbanks, Civil Defender Educator<br>UNC School of Government, Chapel Hill, NC   |
| 8:45 to 9:30am   | <b>An Overview of Abuse, Neglect, and Dependency Proceedings</b><br>Janet Mason, Gladys Hall Coates Professor of Public Law and<br>Government, UNC School of Government, Chapel Hill, NC |
| 9:30 to 10:30am  | <b>The Attorney-Client Relationship (Ethics)</b><br>Vivek Sankaran, Clinical Assistant Professor of Law<br>The University of Michigan Law School, Ann Arbor, MI                          |
| 10:30 to 10:45am | Break  |
| 10:45 to 12:15pm | <b>Workshop: Client Interviewing</b>   |
| 12:15 to 1:15pm  | Lunch (provided in building)   |
| 1:15 to 2:00pm   | <b>Evaluating and Challenging Pleadings</b><br>Annick Lenoir-Peek, Assistant Parent Representation Coordinator<br>Office of Indigent Defense Services, Durham, NC                        |
| 2:00 to 3:00pm   | <b>The First Sixty Days</b><br>Sydney Batch, Partner, Batch & Williams, PC, Raleigh, NC  |
| 3:00 to 3:15pm   | Break  |
| 3:15 to 4:45pm   | <b>Workshop: Adjudication Preparation</b>  |

**Friday, March 20**

8:45 to 9:45am	<b>Trying Your Case</b> Whitney Fairbanks
9:45 to 10:15am	<b>Negotiated Outcomes</b> Wendy Sotolongo, Parent Representation Coordinator Office of Indigent Defense Services, Durham, NC
10:15 to 10:30am	Break
10:30 to 12:00pm	<b>Direct and Cross Examination</b> Jonathan Broun, Director of Training The Center for Death Penalty Litigation, Durham, NC
12:00 to 1:00pm	Lunch (provided in the building)
1:00 to 2:00pm	<b>Evidence Issues</b> John Rubin, Professor, UNC School of Government, Chapel Hill, NC
2:00 to 2:30pm	<b>Disposition Hearing</b> Austine Long, Project Director National Drug Court Institute, Alexandria, VA
2:30 to 2:45pm	Break
2:45 to 3:15pm	<b>Post-Disposition Advocacy</b> Charlene Edwards, Attorney Charlene Edwards Law Office, Lillington, NC
3:15 to 3:30 pm	Break
3:30 to 4:30pm	<b>Representing Parent Respondents: The Role of the Parent Defender (Ethics)</b> Whitney Fairbanks
4:30 to 4:45pm	Wrap-up

**CLE HOURS**

**General Hour(s): 10.5**  
**Ethics Hour(s): 2.0**  
**Total CLE Hours: 12.5**