



TRAUMA-INFORMED
PROSECUTOR PROJECT



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2021 Mississippi Prosecutor Institute

April 26, 2021 – DAY 1

8:15 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Welcome and Introductions
8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	<i>We're Just Going to Talk: Presenting Your Case in Opening Statement and Closing Argument</i> Victor Vieth Chief Program Officer, Research and Education
10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Break
10:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	<i>When the Child Stands Alone: The Search for Corroborating Evidence</i> Victor Vieth
11:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.	Lunch
12:45 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	<i>No Words Needed: Working with Recanting and Nonverbal Victims</i> Robert Peters Senior Attorney
2:00 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	Break
2:15 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	<i>Cross-Examination of the Defendant and Defense Witness</i> Victor Vieth
3:30 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	Break
3:45 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	<i>Investigating, Prosecuting and Treating Juvenile Sex Offenders and Children with Sexual Behavior Problems</i> Robert Peters

April 27, 2021 – DAY 2

8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Ethics in Crimes Against Children Cases

Victor Vieth

10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

Break

10:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

Investigating Technology-Facilitated Crimes Against Children

Robert Peters

11:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.

Lunch

12:45 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.

I Will Find You: Search Warrants in a Digital Age

Robert Peters

2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Break

2:30 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

When Dad Hits Mom: The Intersection Between Domestic Violence and Child Abuse

Robert Peters

3:45 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Break

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Investigating and Prosecuting Cases of Child Torture

Victor Vieth