

2018 FALL RETREAT AGENDA

September 7-9, 2018 - Cheyenne Mountain Resort
3225 Broadmoor Valley Road, Colorado Springs, CO 80906
Reservations: 800-588-0250
(1.20 CEUs Applied for)

FRIDAY -- SEPTEMBER 7, 2018

7:00 p.m. -- Social / Steno Swap (.15 CEUs)

SATURDAY -- SEPTEMBER 8, 2018

7:15 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. -- Registration and Breakfast Buffet

7:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. -- CRCR Certification Test (Doors open at 7:00 a.m. & close at 7:20 a.m./ test begins at 7:30)

8:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. -- **Roseanne P. Masters, CPA (.15 CEUs)**

A presentation on topics covering proper business accounting and tax treatment for employee and freelance court reporters. Roseanne will also incorporate recent changes to the tax laws that court reporters need to be aware of to ensure proper accounting and tax compliance.

10:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. -- Break -- Time to visit the vendors and check out the silent auction

10:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. -- **Jason T. Meadors, RPR, CRR, CRC, FAPR (.15 CEUs)**

An exploration into the world of international reporting, with overviews of preparing for this professional arena, the demands of the work environment, and avenues to securing the assignments. The rigors and practicalities of international travel will be described as well as the equipment and software overview needed by the reporter.

12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. -- Lunch Buffet

1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. -- **Ed Johnson, RPR, CRR, FAPR (.15 CEUs)**

What's it like reporting on Capitol Hill? Ed Johnson will share his personal experience as an Official Reporter for Congress. He'll also tell us tales from school, freelancing, being a state official and legislative reporter, and how to find humor and stress relief in work life.

3:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. -- Break-- Time to visit the vendors and check out the silent auction

3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. -- **Amber Urban (.15 CEUs)**

Beyond Human Limits: How Paws Help the Legal Process. Hear from an investigator who has implemented a highly trained dog, Pella, in the investigation and prosecution of cases in the 18th Judicial District. Attendees will learn where, why, and how dogs can be implemented and what type of dog is best to use.

****Dinner on your own****

7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. -- Spelling Bee (\$20 fee/ .15 CEUs)

SUNDAY -- SEPTEMBER 9, 2018

7:15 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. -- Breakfast Buffet

8:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. -- CAT Training (CaseCAT, Eclipse, StenoCAT, ProCAT -- .15 CEUs)

10:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. -- Break

10:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon -- CAT Training Continues (.15 CEUs)

12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. -- Board Meeting