

What they are saying

Conference attendance provides an opportunity to see parts of the country you may not otherwise visit while allowing you to meet Chief Judges from around the country. Networking with these Chiefs will expose you to alternative ways to manage the administration of Justice in your State.

"I got a great tip from a Judge from California while touring NASA as part of our Houston conference. His mediation program which is free for eligible cases, with a resulting 50% settlement rate."



*– CHIEF JUSTICE
SHERRY RADACK,
TEXAS COURT OF
APPEALS*



*– JUDGE GARY
LYNCH, MISSOURI
COURT OF APPEALS*

"The Dred Scott case was the historical focus for our St. Louis conference. History came to life in the shadow of the Gateway Arch as we visited the courthouse where the case was tried."



2017 Annual Conference

Lexington "entertains its share of queens, sheiks, equestrians and movie stars. However, it remains unpretentious and hospitable." *Southern Living*.

Take a guided tour and picnic at *Adena Springs Farm*, a world class thoroughbred farm. Then, a short ride to *Old Friends Farm*, a special place where thoroughbreds retire. You can even feed carrots to Triple-Crown Race winners.

Guests and judges will spend an afternoon at beautiful, world-famous *Keeneland Racecourse*, where, in his final race, American Pharaoh dominated the 2015 Breeders' Cup. While there, dine on burgoo, beef brisket, and bread pudding.

We'll take you to the quaint town of Nonesuch for a luncheon at *The Glitz*, described by *Southern Living* as a "fairyland setting." Then, upstairs to *Irish Acres Gallery* with 32,000 square feet of antiques.

Optional activities include a tour of historic Lexington and *Lexington Brewing Company* for state-of-the-art brewing and distilling – with a tasting along the way.

For the history buff – Henry Clay's or Mary Todd Lincoln's homes, Shaker Village, Fort Boonesborough, Abraham Lincoln's birthplace, or Perryville Battlefield. Visit our museums – Headley-Whitney, Waveland, Kentucky Aviation Museum, Kentucky History Museum, or the Art Museum at the University of Kentucky.

On Friday evening, say farewell at *Woodford Reserve*, where you may tour the world-famous distillery set alongside a babbling brook in a picturesque valley before an evening of dining and dancing.

– Judge Glenn E. Acree

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Join Us

Become an involved member of the Council of Chief Judges of the State Courts of Appeal.



A Note from the President

I invite you to join and become actively involved in the Council of Chief Judges of the State Courts of Appeal, an organization that consists of current, former and future Chief Judges from intermediate appellate courts throughout the United States. The Council provides numerous opportunities for consultation and education of our members, with a committee structure that is engaged throughout the year, a vibrant website, and annual conferences focusing on issues unique to Chief Judges.



The education program at the annual conference is presented by leading scholars and jurists, qualifies for CLE credits, and has included participation by United States Supreme Court Justices.

Importantly, the annual conference provides an excellent opportunity for

members to exchange information and practical advice on the role of Chief Judges.

So, join CCJSCA, become involved, stay involved (once a Chief Judge, always a Chief Judge is our motto). You will become a better Chief Judge and as a result your Court will better serve the public.



Pictured: Presiding Justice Brad R. Hill, Judge Margaret G. Robb, Judge William B. Murphy, Judge Melanie G. May, and Judge William D. Palmer.

COUNCIL OF CHIEF JUDGES OF THE STATE COURTS OF APPEAL ANNUAL CONFERENCE SITES

1980	Reno, Nevada	Oct. 29-Nov. 1
1981	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	Oct. 21-24
1982	Chicago, Illinois	Oct. 28-30
1983	Vail, Colorado	Sept. 21-23
1984	Boston, Massachusetts	Oct. 4-9
1985	Tucson, Arizona	Oct. 23-27
1986	New Orleans, Louisiana	Oct. 21-25
1987	Charleston, South Carolina	Oct. 27-Nov. 1
1988	San Francisco, California	Oct. 18-23
1989	Santa Fe, New Mexico	Oct. 31-Nov. 5
1990	New York, New York	Oct. 30-Nov. 4
1991	Sedona, Arizona	Nov. 5-9
1992	Savannah, Georgia	Nov. 10-15
1993	Aspen, Colorado	Oct. 12-16
1994	Williamsburg, Virginia	Oct. 25-29
1995	Blaine, Washington	Oct. 17-22
1996	Newport, Rhode Island	Nov. 12-16
1997	San Diego, California	Oct. 12-16
1998	Key West, Florida	Nov. 10-15
1999	Sante Fe, New Mexico	Nov. 5-10
2000	Seattle, Washington	Nov. 14-18
2001	New York, New York	Oct. 4-10
2002	San Antonio, Texas	Nov. 12-17
2003	Boston, Massachusetts	Oct. 7-12
2004	Dallas, Texas	Nov. 10-14
2005	San Francisco, California	Sept. 28-Oct. 1
2006	Washington, DC	Nov. 14-18
2007	New Orleans, Louisiana	Oct. 16-20
2008	Tucson, Arizona	Nov. 18-22
2009	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	Oct. 27-31
2010	Napa, California	Nov. 9-13
2011	Miami, Florida	Oct. 23-27
2012	Houston, Texas	Nov. 13-17
2013	St. Louis, Missouri	Oct. 29-Nov. 2
2014	New Orleans, Louisiana	Nov. 18-22
2015	New Jersey/New York City	Oct. 6-10
2016	Cary (Raleigh), North Carolina	Nov. 12-16
2017	Lexington, Kentucky	Oct. 16-21
2018	San Diego, California	Nov. 12-17
2019	Denver, Colorado	Oct. 15-18



Our Mission:

To promote the improvement of the administration of justice, rules and methods of procedure, and the organization and operation of intermediate appellate courts by offering the Chief Judges of the intermediate appellate courts a body for consultation and education.

Meet Justices:

When available, Justices from the United States Supreme Court and Chief Justices from our State Supreme Courts join us as speakers and at our receptions.



Pictured: Justice Clarence Thomas with Justice Sherry Radack and Justice Samuel Alito with Justice Art Scotland.

