

STATE OF DELAWARE
ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURT
COURT INTERPRETER PROGRAM

Orientation Seminar Announcement and Registration

All court interpreter candidates for all foreign languages must complete an orientation session conducted by the Administrative Office of the Courts as the first step in the qualification and registration process to become certified court interpreters in the State of Delaware. A written examination is the second step in the credentialing process and it is scheduled within approximately 6 weeks after the orientation. The written test measures the candidate's knowledge of: a) the English language; b) court-related terms and usage; and c) court interpreter ethics and professional conduct.

The Administrative Office of the Courts will offer a one-day orientation session:

WHEN:
Friday, February 3, 2017
8:45 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

WHERE:
New Castle County Courthouse
500 N. King Street
Wilmington, DE 19801

Registration DEADLINE:
Friday, January 20, 2017

The cost of Orientation is \$65.00 for Delaware residents and \$120.00 for out-of-state candidates who reside within 100 miles round trip of any Delaware Courthouse.

This orientation will cover, among others, the following topics:

- ◆ *Skills required to become an interpreter*
- ◆ *The role of the court interpreter*
- ◆ *Modes of interpretation*
- ◆ *A day in the life of a court interpreter*
- ◆ *The Delaware courts*
- ◆ *Testing – written and oral exams*

If you wish to enroll in this court interpreting orientation session, please complete the attached registration form and return it along with the registration fee by Friday, January 20, 2017. **All registration forms and payments should be received by the specified deadline above.** Registration fees are non-refundable after the deadline.

A separate announcement and registration form for the Written Exam will be available online after the Orientation. If you have any questions regarding this orientation or the Court Interpreter Program, please send an email to jennifer.figueira@state.de.us.

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ORIENTATION SEMINAR REGISTRATION FORM

February 03, 2017

Leonard L. Williams Justice Center

(New Castle County Courthouse)

500 N. King Street

Wilmington, DE 19801

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: Day: _____ Evening: _____

Email address: _____

Foreign Language(s) - Please list: _____

Interpreter for Deaf/Hard of Hearing

PLEASE ADVISE IF ANY SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS ARE
NECESSARY _____

Method of Payment: Check Money Order

DO NOT SEND CASH

Make check/money order payable to the State of Delaware and please write your name on the money order. Please note preference will be given to Delaware residents. All others will be admitted on a first come-first serve basis for spaces remaining, if any.

\$65.00 - Delaware resident \$120.00 - Out-of-State resident

Please send this registration form along with payment by Friday, January 20, 2017 to:

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS

The Renaissance Centre

405 N. King Street, Suite 507

Wilmington, DE 19801

ATTENTION: Jennifer Figueira