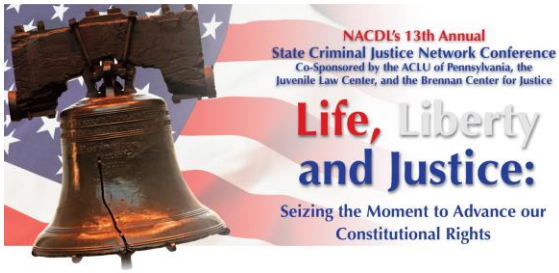

13th Annual State Criminal Justice Network Conference

Life, Liberty and Justice: Seizing the Moment to Advance our Constitutional Rights

Co-Sponsored by ACLU of Pennsylvania, the Juvenile Law Center and the Brennan Center for Justice

Thursday, July 31, 2014-Friday, August 1, 2014

Sheraton Society Hill Hotel
One Dock Street
Philadelphia, PA 19106

Thursday, July 31, 2014

7:15 a.m.	**Breakfast**
8:30 a.m.	**Opening Remarks** **Jerry Cox**, NACDL President & **Angelyn C. Frazer**, State Legislative Affairs Director.
8:45 a.m.-10:05 a.m.	**Lessons from the Frontlines** Moderator: **Angelyn C. Frazer** Join us for a discussion with individuals involved in state-level advocacy campaigns and efforts to stem mass incarceration. **Panel I**-speakers will review accomplishments and lessons learned. **Panel II**-will feature individuals who have personal experience with the criminal justice system and whose subsequent efforts have focused on educating others about the prison industrial complex. **Panel I: Michael DiLauro,** Assistant Public Defender & Director of Training & Legislative Liaison; **Shakyra Diaz**, Policy Director, ACLU of Ohio; **Kate Rubin**, Managing Director, Civil Action Practice, The Bronx Defenders. **Panel II: Brian Banks**, NFL Linebacker/Life Coach/Motivational Speaker; **Glenn Martin**, Founder & Chief Risk Taker, Just LeadershipUSA; **Bernard Kerik**; Founder & CEO, The Kerik Group.
10:05 a.m.-10:20 a.m.	**Break**
10:20 a.m.-11:30 a.m.	**Racism 101: A Primer for Challenging Racial Discrimination and Bias in the Criminal Justice System** The impact of race on the criminal justice system is profound. Join us as we review strategies designed to address institutional racism, including cultural competency, implicit bias and more. **Moderator: Nicole Austin-Hillery,** Director and Counsel, the Brennan Center for Justice Washington, D.C. Office; **Wayne McKenzie,** General Counsel, New York City Department of Probation**; Whitney Tymas,** Director, Prosecution and Racial Justice at Vera Institute for Justice; **Marie Gottschalk**, Professor, University of Pennsylvania Political Science Department.
11:35 a.m.-12:45 p.m.	**Discovery Reform: Ensuring Justice in an Adversarial System** **Moderator: Tiffany Joslyn,** Counsel-White Collar Crime Policy, NACDL **Patricia Cummings**, General Counsel, Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association; **Peter Goldberger,** the Law Offices of Peter Goldberger and Member of NACDL's Task Force on Discovery Reform; **George Steimel**, Owner, Steimel & Steimel Governmental Affairs Consulting Firm and Lobbyist for Louisiana Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers.
12:45 p.m.-2:15 p.m.	**Working Lunch** **Social Media Climber: Facebook/Twitter Me** **Ivan Dominguez**, Director of Public Affairs & Communication, NACDL & **Isaac Kramer**, Public Affairs & Communications Assistant, NACDL Grab lunch and join us for hands-on session on effective advocacy using Facebook & Twitter.
2:15 p.m.-2:25 p.m.	**State Criminal Justice Reform Award Presentation** Recipient: **Maureen Cain,** Attorney, Law Offices of Maureen Cain.

2:25 p.m.-3:35 p.m.	**Ensuring Life, Liberty & Justice: Developments in Indigent Defense** **Moderator: Anthony Benedetti,** Chief Counsel, Committee for Public Counsel Services**; Colette Tvedt,** Director of Indigent Training and Reform, NACDL; **David Carroll**, Executive Director, 6th Amendment Center; **Mary Catherine Roper**, Senior Staff Attorney, ACLU of Pennsylvania.
3:35 p.m.-3:45 p.m.	**Break**
3:45 p.m.-5:30 p.m.	**Coffee Klatch**: Join fellow members of the State Criminal Justice Network in a discussion on campaign development and community building.
6:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m.	SCJN Social Event: **The Plough & the Stars** (Old City Philadelphia at Chestnut & Market) Free to conference participants.

Friday, August 1, 2014

7:15 a.m.	**Breakfast**
8:00 a.m.-8:30 a.m.	**Review of NACDL Advocacy Tools & Resources** **Chris Glen**, Grassroots Advocacy Manager, NACDL.
8:35 a.m.-9:45 a.m.	**Not In My Name: Reflections on the Death Penalty** **Diann Rust-Tierney,** Executive Director, National Coalition to Abolish the Death Penalty; **Katherine Cooper**, Executive Director, New Hampshire Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers; **Thomas Ullmann**, Public Defender, Connecticut Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers.
9:45 a.m.-10:00 a.m.	**Break**
10:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.	**Collateral Consequences: Moving Beyond Forgiving & Forgetting** Join us for a presentation of NACDL's groundbreaking report ***Collateral Damage: America's Failure to Forgive or Forget in the War on Crime***. In addition, presenters will discuss states that have recently adopted some form of legislation related to collateral consequences, the impact on children of incarcerated parents and personal stories of triumph over the consequences of a conviction. Moderator: **Angelyn C. Frazer** **Margaret Colgate Love**, Attorney, Law Office of Margaret Love; **Carolyn LeCroy**, Founder of The Messages Project; **LaShanna Tyson**, Organizer, People Improving Communities through Organizing, (P.I.C.O.).
11:30 p.m. -12:15 p.m.	**Grab lunch and join us back in the room for film screening**
12:15 p.m.-1:25 p.m.	***Kids for Cash,*** *is a riveting look behind the notorious scandal that rocked the nation when it first came to light in 2009. Beginning in the wake of the shootings at Columbine, a small town in Luzerne County, Pennsylvania elected a charismatic judge who was hell-bent on keeping kids in line. Under his reign, over 3,000 children were ripped from their families and imprisoned for years for crimes as petty as creating a fake MySpace page. When one parent dared to question this harsh brand of justice, it was revealed that the judge had received millions of dollars in payments from the privately-owned juvenile detention centers where the kids—most of them only in their early teens—were incarcerated.*
1:25 p.m.-3:00 p.m.	**Juvenile Justice Plenary** **Youth Interrupted: Lessons from Juvenile Justice Advocates** **Robert L. Listenbee, Jr.,** Administrator, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP); **Marsha Levick**, Deputy Director and Chief Counsel, Juvenile Law Center; **LaShunda Hill**, State Strategist, Campaign for the Fair Sentencing of Youth; **Hillary Transue**, Graduate Assistant, Wilkes University and featured in ***Kids for Cash;*** Dr. Jonathan Brice**,** Deputy Assistant Secretary for Policy, Department of Education.
3:00 p.m.-3:15 p.m.	Break
3:15 p.m.-4:45 p.m.	**Capitalizing on Current Trends & Research and Building Momentum for Criminal Justice Reform** Moderator: **Chloe Cockburn,** Advocacy and Policy Counsel, ACLU **Kara Dansky,** Senior Counsel, ACLU Center for Justice; **Lauren-Brooke Eisen**, Counsel, Justice Program Center; the Brennan Center for Justice.
4:45 p.m. -5:00 p.m.	**Closing & Evaluation**
7:00 p.m.	**NACDL Foundation for Criminal Justice 2014 Awards Dinner (Ticketed event).**