



**SUPERHEROES UNITE  
HOUSTON COURT  
REPORTERS ASSOCIATION**

**AND**

**HARRIS COUNTY OFFICIAL COURT  
REPORTERS ASSOCIATION**

**JOIN FORCES TO PRESENT TO YOU**

**WE ARE STENO**

**STENO IS MY SUPERPOWER. WHAT'S YOURS?**

**TX Program # CSR20220567  
CE Program ID: HOUTX091722**

**Saturday, September 17, 2022  
7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.**

**The Vault  
202 Fannin, Houston, Texas 77002**

**7:00 A.M. TO 7:30 A.M.  
REGISTRATION AND BREAKFAST**



## SEMINAR AGENDA

### SESSION 1: ETHICS

1.5 CE HRS

**7:30 A.M. TO 9:00 A.M.**

#### ***THE POWER OF STENOGRAPHERS***

**PRESENTED BY: CAROLYN CORONADO AND LETICIA SALAS**

When you are looking for greatness, start with ethics. Carolyn and Leticia will give us first-hand and real-time experiences in ethical situations that will help the court reporter become powerful in all situations of their career, not just behind the writer.

### SESSION 2: ETHICS

1.0 CE HR

**9:00 A.M. TO 10:00 A.M.**

#### ***INSIGHT FROM THE POWERS THAT BE***

**PRESENTED BY: FORMER JUDGE ALICIA F. YORK  
AND FAMILY LAW ATTORNEY DOUGLAS R. YORK**

Come and listen to former district court judge Alicia York give us ethical examples of what she looked for from court reporters from the bench. Doug York will give us ethical examples of what he looks for in a court reporter from an attorney's point of view.



## SESSION 3

1.0 CE HR

**10:00 A.M. TO 11:00 A.M.**

### **PERSONAL PROTECTION IS MY SECOND SUPERPOWER**

**PRESENTED BY: JOHN HAZESLIP**

The strength and ability to protect yourself is in your hands. John will give us some practical tips to show you how to protect yourself in your environment and reveal to you that you do not need to call a superhero to protect you; you are that person.

**BREAK AND VENDOR BOOTH VISIT - 11:00 A.M. TO 11:15 A.M.**

## SESSION 4

1.5 CE HRS

**11:15 A.M. TO 12:45 P.M.**

### **STENO FLIES FROM OUR FINGERTIPS**

**CONCURRENT SESSIONS CASE CATALYST**

**PRESENTED BY: RENE WHITE**

**ECLIPSE PRESENTED BY KEITH VINCENT**

No matter which software you use, we will be refreshed on the latest updates and features in how to utilize our software to the fullest so we can produce transcripts that save the day.

**LUNCH BREAK AND VENDOR BOOTH VISITS**

**12:45 P.M. TO 1:30 P.M.**



## SESSION 5

1.5 CE HRS

**1:00 P.M. TO 2:30 P.M.**

### **TIPS TO BRING OUT THE HERO IN YOU**

**PRESENTED BY: KIM XAVIER**

Kim will motivate us, lead us, and empower us into becoming not only the court reporter we were meant to be but the employee, the colleague, and the friend this profession calls us to be.

## SESSION 6

1.0 CE HR

**1:30 P.M. TO 3:00 P.M.**

### **REED'S RULES - PET PEEVES IN LANGUAGE USAGE**

**PRESENTED BY: NANCY R. REED**

Periods, commas, semicolons – they are not evil villains. Nancy, an English teacher from Mark Kislingbury's school, will help us to enhance our skill on paper. She will share with us new punctuation rules, format rules, and help us to produce transcripts that are punctuated true to the spoken testimony.

**BREAK AND VENDOR BOOTH VISITS**

**4:00 P.M. TO 4:15 P.M.**



## SESSION 7

1.0 CE HR

**4:15 P.M. TO 5:15 P.M.**

### **POWERFUL STENOGRAPHS COME FROM EVERYWHERE**

**PRESENTED BY: RYAN WHEELER AND MEKAILAH MCCHRISTON**

Meet Ryan Wheeler.

He is a stenographer from California who now practices in Texas.

Meet Mekailah McChriston.

She is a stenographer from Dallas who now practices in Houston.

Ryan and Mekailah will share their experiences on what it was like to move their court reporting practice from one place to another. They will share with us the bravery and strength it takes to do it.

**BREAK - 5:15 P.M. TO 5:30 P.M**

## SESSION 8

1.5 CE HRS

**5:30 P.M. TO 7:00 P.M.**

### **STENO INTO THE FUTURE AND BEYOND**

**PRESENTED BY: BARRY BRAZIL**

Barry brings us technology tips, cyber security tips, and court reporting firm tips to guide the court reporter from assignment to assignment no matter your reporting style.