



**DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
THE JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL'S SCHOOL**

OCT 23 2013

MEMORANDUM FOR DEFENSE ORIENTATION COURSE 14-A ATTENDEES

FROM: The Judge Advocate General's School

SUBJECT: Defense Orientation Course Narrative Schedule, 28 October – 1 November 2013

This schedule is designed to assist you in preparing for each hour of instruction. All joint sessions and attorney-only sessions will be conducted at the Judge Advocate General's School (JAG School), Bldg 694, Room 105, Large Auditorium. All defense paralegal-only sessions will be held in room 121. Seminar rooms are indicated on the narrative schedule and will be held in those rooms unless otherwise announced. Classes will start promptly at the times indicated. Students must be seated and prepared for each period. Any absences must be reported immediately to the course director or the JAG School front office at 334-953-2802.

MONDAY, 28 OCTOBER 2013

0800-0830	WELCOME REMARKS AND ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS Colonel Kenneth M. Theurer, Commandant, JAG School Capt Alex J. Rose, Instructor, Military Justice Division, JAG School
0830-0850	THOUGHTS AND INTRO Colonel Daniel J. Higgins, Chief, Trial Defense Division, JB Andrews NAF, MD
0850-0900	BREAK
0900-0950	JOINT LECTURE: 10 KEYS FOR SUCCESS Instructor: Lt Col Thomas M. Rodrigues, Chief Senior Defense Counsel, Travis AFB, CA Student Evaluators: D3-D4; P3-P4
0950-1000	BREAK
1000-1050	JOINT LECTURE: ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIONS - DISCHARGES, LORs, LOAs AND LOCs Instructor: Capt Trae Patterson, Instructor, Civil Law Division, JAG School Student Evaluators: D7-D8; P1-P2
1050-1100	BREAK

TUESDAY, 29 OCTOBER 2013

- 0800-0850 **JOINT GUIDED PANEL: FIRST CLIENT (ART 15s)**
Instructors: Maj Hall; Capt Marcus and TSgt Crain
Student Evaluators: D5-D6; P5-P6
- 0850-0900 **BREAK**
- 0900-0950 **JOINT LECTURE: AREA DEFENSE ELECTRONIC REPORTING (ADER)**
Instructor: Mr. Brian Suckman, Attorney Advisor, JAS,
Maxwell AFB, AL
Student Evaluators: D5-D6; P11-P12
- 0950-1000 **BREAK**
- 1000-1050 **JOINT LECTURE: INVESTIGATIONS AND ARTICLE 32 HEARINGS**
Instructor: Maj Hall
Student Evaluators: D9-D10; P3-P4
- 1050-1100 **BREAK**
- 1100-1150 **JOINT LECTURE: CLEMENCY & POST-TRIAL RESPONSIBILITIES (VTC)**
Guest Speaker: Ms. Paula McCarron, Chief, Clemency, Corrections and Officer
Review Division, JB Andrews NAF, MD
Student Evaluators: D8-D9; P13-14
- 1150-1300 **LUNCH**
- 1300-1400 **JOINT GUIDED PANEL: COMMANDERS AND FIRST SERGEANTS**
Instructor: Capt Rose
Student Evaluators: D3-D4; P7-P8
- 1400-1410 **BREAK**
- 1410-1500 **JOINT LECTURE: CIVILITY IN PRACTICE & DEFENSE STANDARDS
FOR CRIMINAL JUSTICE**
Instructor: Capt Rose
Student Evaluators: D5-D6; P9-P10
- 1500-1510 **BREAK**
- 1510-1600 **JOINT LECTURE: DISCOVERY ISSUES**
Instructor: Maj Hall and Capt Marcus
Student Evaluators: D7-D8; P11-P12
- 1600-1610 **BREAK**

1610-1630 **JOINT LECTURE: SUICIDE PREVENTION**
Instructor: Lt Col Rodrigues
Student Evaluators: D9-D10; P13-P14

WEDNESDAY, 30 OCTOBER 2013

0800-0850 **JOINT LECTURE: TRIAL STRATEGY AND PREPARATION**
Instructor: Lt Col Rodrigues
Student Evaluators: D1-D2; P15-P16

0850-0900 **BREAK**

0900-0950 **JOINT LECTURE: SPEEDY TRIAL AND PLEAS**
Instructor: Capt Marcus
Student Evaluators: D3-D4; P1-P2

0950-1000 **BREAK**

1000-1050 **ADC LECTURE: EVIDENTIARY MATTERS &
COURTROOM EXECUTION**
Instructor: Maj Hall
Student Evaluators: D5-D6

DP LECTURE: PERFORMANCE REPORTS
Instructor: MSgt Cave
Student Evaluators: P3-P4

1050-1100 **BREAK**

1100-1150 **JOINT LECTURE: MOTION PRACTICE**
Instructor: Maj Hall and Capt Marcus
Student Evaluators: D7-D8; P5-P6

1150-1300 **LUNCH**

1300-1350 **JOINT LECTURE: CARE INQUIRIES**
Instructor: Capt Nichole Torres, Instructor, Military Justice Division, JAG School
Student Evaluators: D9-D10; P7-P8

1350-1400 **BREAK**

1400-1450 **JOINT LECTURE: SENTENCING – PREPARATION, PROCEDURE, &
EVIDENCE**
Instructors: Maj Hall and Capt Marcus
Student Evaluators: D1-D2; P9-P10

1450-1500 **BREAK**

1500-1550 **SEMINAR: SENTENCING & OPEN FLOOR DISCUSSIONS**
Instructors: Lt Col Rodrigues, Maj Hall, Capt Marcus, MSgt Cave,
TSgt Crain, MSgt Alexius J. Reid, Instructor, JAG School,
SSgt Renwick Caldwell, Defense Paralegal, SSgt Angelieque Richardson,
Instructor, JAG School, Maxwell AFB, AL
Students D 1-3 and P 1-5; Room 117
Students D 4-6 and P 6-11; Room 118
Students D 7-10 and P 12-16; Room 119
Student Evaluators: D3, D4, D7; P3, P11, P12

1550-1600 **BREAK**

1600-1650 **JOINT LECTURE: ALTERNATIVE DISPOSITIONS AND COLLATERAL
CONSEQUENCES**
Instructor: Capt Torres
Student Evaluators: D1-D2; P5-P6

THURSDAY, 31 OCTOBER 2013

0800-0850 **JOINT LECTURE: DEFENDING DRUG CASES**
Instructor: Maj Hall
Student Evaluators: D5-D6, P15-P16

0850-0900 **BREAK**

0900-0950 **JOINT LECTURE: DEFENDING OFFICER CASES**
Instructors: Capt Marcus
Student Evaluators: D9-D10; P1-P2

0950-1000 **BREAK**

1000-1150 **JOINT LECTURE: SEXUAL ASSAULT CURRENT ISSUES**
Instructor: Col Higgins
Student Evaluators: D1-D2, P4-P5

1150-1300 **LUNCH**

1300-1350 **JOINT LECTURE: DEFENDING SEXUAL ASSAULT CASES**
Instructor: Capt Marcus and Maj Hall
Student Evaluators: D3-D4; P6-P7

1350-1400 **BREAK**

1400-1520 **JOINT LECTURE: COMPUTER FORENSICS**
Guest Speaker: Mr. Kevin Peden, Global CompuSearch LLC,
Spokane, WA
Student Evaluators: D5-D6; P8-P9

1520-1530

BREAK

1530-1630

JOINT LECTURE: DEFENDING COMPUTER CASES

Instructor: Maj Hall

Student Evaluators: D7-D8; P10-P11

FRIDAY, 1 NOVEMBER 2013

0800-0850

**ADC LECTURE: CASE LAW EVERY ADC SHOULD KNOW
(TOP 10 CASES)**

Instructor: Capt Adam Bentz, Instructor, Military Justice Division,
JAG School

Student Evaluators: D9-D10

DP LECTURE: CRAFTING RESPONSES (Room 117)

Instructors: TSgt Crain

Student Evaluators: P12-P13

0850-0900

BREAK

0900-0950

ADC LECTURE: APPELLATE UPDATE (VTC)

Instructor: Maj Zaven T. Saroyan, Appellate Defense Counsel,
AFLOA/JAJA, JB Andrews NAF, MD

Student Evaluators: D1-D2

**DP LECTURE: CONTINUITY BOOKS, FILE PLANS,
BUDGET & FINANCE (ROOM 117)**

Instructor: MSgt Cave and TSgt Crain

Student Evaluators: P14-P15

0950-1000

BREAK

1000-1050

ADC LECTURE: PRESERVING ISSUES FOR APPEAL

Instructor: Capt Rose

Student Evaluators: D3-D4

DP LECTURE: WESTLAW LEGAL RESEARCH (Room 117)

Instructor: Ms. Caroline Strawbridge, Westlaw Government
Research Specialist

Student Evaluators: P16 and P1

1050-1100

BREAK

1100-1130

JOINT LECTURE: INEFFECTIVE ASSISTANCE OF COUNSEL

Instructor: Capt Rose

Student Evaluators: D5-D6; P2-P3

1130-1200

VICTORY IS WHERE YOU FIND IT: THINGS I WISH I HAD KNOWN

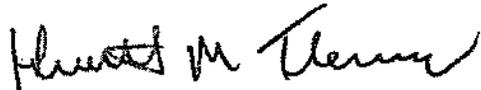
Instructor: Colonel Higgins

Student Evaluators: D7-D8; P4-P5

1200-1215

CLOSING COMMENTS AND END-OF-COURSE CRITIQUES

Instructor: Capt Rose

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kenneth M. Theurer". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "K" and "T".

KENNETH M. THEURER, Colonel, USAF
Commandant