

2016 CHILDREN'S LAW CONFERENCE

- 8:15 – 9:00 **Registration**
- 9:00 – 9:15 **Welcome and Introductions**
- 9:15 – 10:15 **Keynote Presentation: Three Little Words**
Ashley Rhodes Courter
- 10:15 – 10:45 **BOOK SIGNING, EXHIBITS, & BREAK**
- 10:45 – 12:00 **Workshop Session I**
- (a) **Demystifying Psychological Evaluations for Court**
Kate Kleinfelter, PhD
 - (b) **Seen and Heard: The Value of Child Participation in Abuse and Neglect Proceedings**
Melissa Carter, JD
 - (c) **Kinship Care from Placement to Permanency**
Josh Gupta-Kagan, JD
 - (d) **Helping Older Youth in Foster Care Achieve Independence**
Terri Pope, MSW
- 12:00 – 12:30 **LUNCH**
- 12:30 – 1:15 **General Session**
- Legal Update (12:30 – 12:45)**
Amanda Adler, JD
 - A View from the Bench (12:45 – 1:15)**
The Honorable Jerry D. Vinson, Jr.
- 1:15 – 1:30 **BREAK**
- 1:30 – 2:45 **Workshop Session II**
- (a) **Educational Options for Youth in Transition**
Andrea Lauricella; Dr. David Stout, EdD; Dr. John L. Thompson II, EdD
 - (b) **Child Witnesses: In-Court Testimony and Out-of-Court Statements**
Candice Lively, JD; Dottie Ingram, JD
 - (c) **Juvenile Re-Entry: Establishing Community Connection for Youth Success**
Dr. Aleksandra Chauhan, JD; Tracey Tucker, JD, MSW; Mike Mathison, JD
 - (d) **Real Life Heroes: Resiliency-focused Treatment for Children and Families with Complex Trauma**
Richard Kagan, PhD
- 2:45 – 3:00 **BREAK**
- 3:00 – 4:00 **Closing Plenary: Human Trafficking: A Multi-Disciplinary Approach**
Shannon Piller
- 4:00 – 4:15 **Closing Remarks**