



Bureau of Indian Affairs – Office of Justice Services Division of Tribal Justice Support



TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT:

Training Program: Tribal Court Trial Advocacy Training Program

Training Date: July 22 – 25, 2013

Training Location: Peppermill Hotel in Reno

Course Description: Through lecture and practical exercises, the course will provide classroom instruction as well as breakout sessions instructing on Trial Preparation, Opening Statements, Direct Examination, Exhibits and Evidentiary Foundations, Cross Examination, Impeachment, Closing Arguments, Opposing Strategies, and Sentencing Considerations. This program's training emphasis will be on: Illegal Narcotics.

There will be a ½ day Roundtable discussion on the newly re-authorization on Violence Against Women's Act (VAWA). The discussion will include staff members from both BIA and DOJ.

The Target Training Audience is: Tribal Court Judges, Tribal Court Prosecutors, and Tribal Court Public Defenders, and other tribal court personnel.

The training staff will include: Former Tribal Prosecutors, BIA Division of Courts, DOJ U.S. Attorney's Offices, DOJ Access to Justice Initiative and the United States Office of Defender Services with Federal Public Defenders Office.

Cost: TUITION IS FREE, Travel-Lodging-Per Diem is the responsibility of each participant's agency.

Training Registration Process: All applicants must submit an application via fax (505-563-3090). Applicants will receive a selection letter from the BIA to confirm the applicant has been registered to attend this training program. Scanned applications may be sent via e-mail to: veronica.toersbijns@bia.gov

Lodging Recommendations: Peppermill Hotel in Reno, 2707 S. Virginia Street, Reno, Nevada 89502. A block of rooms have been set aside under BIA-OJS-Tribal Justice Support – Group Code: GBIAT13 at a room rate of \$89 (Peppermill North/West) and \$109 (Peppermill Tower) plus tax. Please call (800) 648-6992 for reservations. The block will be released on July 8, 2013.

Contact Information: Questions regarding this training program can be made to:
Wanda Brunson - Office of Tribal Justice Support at (202)513-7649 or wanda.brunson@bia.gov

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* To ensure receipt of training updates please provide legible information

Name of Training Course: _____ Date of Course: _____

Location of Training: City _____ State _____

Name of Applicant: _____ Title: _____

Mailing Address: _____

E-Mail Address (Please Print): _____ Telephone Number: _____

Name of Department: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Telephone Number: _____