



Constitution Day *Make it special!*

The LCLCE is currently pairing classrooms with judges and attorneys for in-class presentations for Constitution Day, Tuesday, September 17.

Teachers:

Let the LCLCE set up a presentation for your school or classroom!
[Teacher Enrollment Form](#)

Legal Professionals:

Volunteer to visit a school near you!
[Judge and Attorney Enrollment Form](#)

Enroll by either faxing or mailing an enrollment form to the LCLCE office. Or simply contact Kandis Showalter directly by phone at (504) 619-0141 or by email Kandis.Showalter@LSBA.org.

Lawyers in the Classroom/Judges in the Classroom
A partnership of the Louisiana State Bar Association, Louisiana District Judges Association and the LCLCE



Justice Catherine D. Kimball Summer Institute



Justice Catherine D. Kimball Summer Institute Attendees:
Dwayne Alexander, Ellis Bonaventure, Angela Buzbee, Robert Chauvin, Valerie Courville, Mel Didier, Cynthia Edmonston, Matthew Edwards, Alicia Ferguson, Camile Gautreaux, Gwen Grass, Frank Hendrick, Mark Hernandez, Suzie Johnson, Damian Joseph, Renee Martin, Keshia McClendon, Tina McCormick, Patrick McGinity, Wanda Murphy, Carla Powell, David Ramsey, Patsy Scates, Walee Shakur, Jane Silvie, Alice Snee, Monica Speyrer, Dawn Varnado and Sondra Vedros.

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Justice John Weimer, La. Supreme Court; Judge Harry Randow, President, La. District Judges Association; Judge Madeleine Landrieu, La. Court of Appeal; Judge Ernestine Gray, Orleans Parish Juvenile Court; Leon Cannizzaro, Jr., Orleans Parish District Attorney; Judge Frances Bouillion, City Court of Lafayette; Judge Bernadette D'Souza, Orleans Civil District Court; Judge Sheral Kellar, Chief Judge, La. Department of Labor; Judge Peter Beer, U.S. District Court; Judge James Dennis, U.S. Court of Appeals; Tim Averill, Judicial Administrator, La. Supreme Court; Joe Stahl, Attorney at Law; Val Exnicios, Liska, Exnicios & Nungesser; Jack Benjamin, Sr., Gainsburgh Benjamin; Kim Boyle, Phelps Dunbar; Nakisha Ervin-Knott, Gainsburgh Benjamin; Frank Simoneaux, Gordon Arato; Chris Totaro, Haynes Academy for Advanced Studies; Liz Tullier, Director, Northside Academy for Legal Studies; and Judy Zimmer, Deputy Director, Street Law.



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2013 Civics in Action Student Award



The Civics in Action Award was presented to the 2013 recipient, Alex Naquin, a June 2013 graduate of South Lafourche High School, by Louisiana Supreme Court Associate Justice John L. Weimer at the Justice Catherine D. Kimball Summer Institute in July.

The Civics in Action award recognizes an outstanding middle or high school student who has demonstrated outstanding civic virtue and involvement in his community - a student who exemplifies what it means to be an engaged citizen.

For more information about this award, visit the LCLCE website [here](#).

Thank You for Your Generous Contributions

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List of 2013 Contributors

Louisiana Council for the Social Studies Conference
"Let the Good Times Roll with Social Studies"
November 7-8, 2013

This year's conference will be held at the Hotel Acadiana in Lafayette. Download the conference registration form [here](#).

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<http://www.facebook.com/groups/267069490070/>

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ABA American Voter Program

Teachers!

This American Bar Association program is an excellent resource on voting. Includes videos and a 74 page resource packet. It can be viewed and downloaded [here](#).

8th Global Youth Justice Training

Information on upcoming Global Youth Justice International Training Institutes on Teen Court/Youth Court/ Peer Court/Student Court/Peer Jury, can be found [here](#).

**The Con-Source-Harlan Institute
Virtual Supreme Court Competition**

When the U.S. Supreme Court's term begins on October 1, 2013, students from around the country will be invited to participate in the ConSource-Harlan Institute Virtual Supreme Court Competition. By participating in this competition, high school students will gain experience in researching contemporary constitutional issues, crafting persuasive appellate briefs on their classroom blogs, and presenting convincing oral arguments to legal experts in a virtual courtroom over Google+ Video Hangouts.

Click [here](#) to learn more.

Attorney Job Positions - Law Office Positions

The Louisiana State Bar Association has a current listing of job opportunities in the legal field. To view these opportunities click [here](#).