







# National Conference of Appellate Court Clerks

53<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting · August 2 - 6, 2026 · Austin, TX








## Saturday, August 1, 2026

	9:30 AM – 12:00 PM	Executive Committee Meeting & Breakfast
	2:00 – 5:00 PM	Registration



## Sunday, August 2, 2026

	9:30 AM. – 12:30 PM	Registration
	12:30 – 1:00 PM	New Members and First Time Attendees Orientation
	12:30 – 1:00 PM	Family and Guest Orientation
	1:15 – 3:00 PM	Roll Call of the States and Business Meeting (Session I) (MEMBERS ONLY)
	BREAK: 15 MINUTES	
60	3:15 – 4:15 PM	Welcome to Austin – Speaker TBD
	BREAK: 45 MINUTES	
	5:00 – 6:30 PM	Reception
	6:30 – 8:00 PM	Education Fund Auction & Morgan Thomas Slideshow
	8:00 – 9:00 PM	Dessert & Bat Watching
	9:00 PM – 12:00 AM	Hospitality Room Opening Night

## Monday, August 3, 2026

	7:00 – 8:15 AM	Breakfast (MEMBERS ONLY)
	8:20 – 8:30 AM	Morning Announcements
90	8:30 – 10:00 AM	*OPPERMAN SPEAKER* - <i>The People Priority Talk Every Leader Needs to Hear – Learning to LEAN IN</i> - Julie Schniers
	BREAK: 15 MINUTES	
75	10:15 – 11:30 AM	Ask the Experts – Panel: Tim Gudas, Greg Hilton, Jenny Kitchings (MEMBERS ONLY)
	11:45 AM – 1:00 PM	LUNCH
90	1:15 – 2:45 p.m.	<i>A Clerk's Conscience and the Impeachment of a Chief Justice</i> - Joe Steinfield ***Ethics***
	BREAK: 15 MINUTES	
90	3:00 – 4:30 PM	US Supreme Court – Scott Harris
	BREAK: 90 MINUTES	
	6:00 – 9:00 PM	Thomson Reuters – Bob Bullock Museum
	9:00 PM – 12:00 AM	Hospitality Room

## Tuesday, August 4, 2026

	7:00 – 8:15 AM	Breakfast (MEMBERS ONLY)
	7:00 – 8:50 AM	Past President's Breakfast
	8:20 – 8:30 AM	Morning Announcements
75	8:30 – 9:45 AM	Arizona Avatar – Alberto Rodriguez

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	⌚	BREAK: 10 MINUTES	
60		9:55 – 10:55 AM	<b>Webpage Design – Jason Bobertz/John Yee</b>
	⌚	BREAK: 5 MINUTES	
20		11:00 – 11:20 AM	<b>Vendor Introductions &amp; Opening of Vendor Show</b>
	⌚	BREAK: 10 MINUTES	
30		11:30 AM – 12:00 PM	<b>Vendor Showcase</b>
	🍽️	12:00 – 1:20 PM	<b>Vendor Box Lunch</b>
	🗣️	12:20 – 1:20 PM	C-Track Users Group Meeting
30		1:20 – 1:50 PM	<b>Vendor Showcase</b>
30		2:00 – 2:30 PM	<b>Vendor Showcase</b>
	⌚	BREAK: 15 MINUTES	
90		2:45 – 4:15 PM	<b>Judge Scott Schlegel</b>
	🏠	6:30 – 9:30 PM	LexisNexis – Circuit of the Americas
	🍹	9:00 PM – 12:00 AM	<b>Hospitality Room</b>

### Wednesday, August 5, 2026

	🗣️	7:00 – 8:15 AM	<b>Breakfast (MEMBERS ONLY)</b>
		8:20 – 8:30 AM	<b>Morning Announcements</b>
75		8:30 – 9:45 AM	<b>Self-Represented Litigants – Katherine Alteneider Mills &amp; Zoe Dolan</b>
	⌚	BREAK: 15 MINUTES	
75		10:00 AM – 11:30 PM	<b>Crisis Management – Mark Weaver</b>
	🗣️	12:00 – 1:30 PM	<b>Awards Luncheon</b>
		3:00 – 7:00 PM	
		7:00 – 9:00 pm	<b>Game Night</b>
	🍹	9:00 PM – 12:00 AM	<b>Hospitality Room</b>

### Thursday, August 6, 2026

		6:30 – 7:30 AM	<b>Fun Run/Walk</b>
	🗣️	7:00 – 8:15 AM	<b>Breakfast (MEMBERS ONLY)</b>
		8:20 – 8:30 AM	<b>Morning Announcements</b>
75		8:30 – 9:45 AM	<b>Court Statistical Reporting – NCSC</b>
	⌚	BREAK: 15 MINUTES	
		10:00 -11: AM	<b>What's Bugging You</b>
	🏠	11:15 AM – 12:00 PM	<b>Business Meeting (Session II) (MEMBERS ONLY)</b>
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60		2:30 – 3:30 PM	<b>Critique Session</b>
	🍹	9:00 PM – 12:30 AM	

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