

## **COMMITTEES OF THE SUPERIOR COURT**

### **GENERAL COURT COMMITTEE'S INTERIM ASSIGNMENTS<sup>1</sup>**

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT**

1. Judge Anthony Epstein
2. Judge Alfred Irving, Deputy Presiding Judge, Civil Division

#### **COMMITTEE ON AMENITIES & MISFORTUNES**

1. Judge Michael O'Keefe, Co-Chair
2. Judge Yvonne Williams, Co-Chair
3. Judge Sherri Beatty-Arthur
4. Judge Tyrona De Witt
5. Judge Shana Frost Matini
6. Judge John McCabe
7. Judge Kenia Seoane-Lopez
8. Judge Stephen Rickard
9. Judge Charmetra Jackson Parker

#### **COMMITTEE ON ART INSTALLATION**

1. Judge Kelly Higashi, Chair
2. Judge Errol Arthur
3. Judge Andrea Hertzfeld
4. Judge Leslie Meek
5. Judge Shelly Mulkey
6. Judge Ebony Scott
7. Dr. Cheryl Bailey, Interim Executive Officer
8. William Agosto, Director, Criminal Division
9. Dana Friend, Director, Capital Projects
10. Zabrina Dempson, Clerk of the Court

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<sup>1</sup> In light of the formation of the Standing Committee on Fairness and Access to the DC Courts and Language Access Advisory Committee, the Committee formerly known as the Committee on Court Interpreters is converted to a work group to be convened when the need arises.

Similarly, the committee formerly known as the Building and Grounds Committee was previously converted to a work group.

**COMMITTEE ON JUDICIAL EDUCATION & TRAINING**

1. Judge Hiram Puig-Lugo, Chair
2. Judge Errol Arthur
3. Judge Kendra Briggs
4. Judge Andrea Hertzfeld
5. Judge Kelly Higashi
6. Judge John McCabe
7. Judge Adrienne Noti
8. Judge Judith Pipe
9. Judge Jason Park
10. Judge Stephen Rickard
11. Judge Michael Ryan
12. Judge Ebony Scott
13. Judge Sean Staples
14. Judge Raquel Trabal
15. Judge Donald Tunnage
16. Judge Steven Wellner
17. Crystal Banks, Director, Center for Education & Training
18. Rita Blandino, Director, Domestic Violence Division

**SUBCOMMITTEE ON LAW CLERK TRAINING**

1. Judge Steven Wellner, Co-Chair
2. Judge Kelly Higashi, Co-Chair
3. Judge Sherry Trafford, Presiding Judge, Magistrate Judges
4. Judge Errol Arthur

**SUBCOMMITTEE ON EVIDENCE TRAINING**

1. Judge Danya Dayson
2. Judge Jason Park

**COMMITTEE ON SELECTION AND TENURE OF MAGISTRATE JUDGES**

1. Judge Michael O'Keefe, Chair
2. Judge Kimberley Knowles, Presiding Judge, Domestic Violence Division
3. Judge Erik Christian
4. Judge Julie Becker
5. Judge Laura Cordero, Presiding Judge, Probate and Tax Divisions
6. Judge Danya Dayson
7. Judge Marisa Demeo, Presiding Judge, Criminal Division

8. Judge Alfred Irving, Deputy Presiding Judge, Civil Division
9. Judge Peter Krauthamer
10. Judge Heidi Pasichow
11. Judge Hiram Puig-Lugo
12. Judge James Crowell

**MAGISTRATE JUDGE ADVISORY PANEL**

1. Natalia Wilson, Esq., Chair
2. Akhi Johnson
3. Kimberly L. Daulton, LICSW, LCSW-C
4. Henry Floyd, Esq.
5. Tyra Moore
6. Tanya Trice
7. Ariel Xue

**COMMITTEE ON JURY INSTRUCTIONS**

1. Judge Maribeth Raffinan, Chair
2. Judge Jason Park
3. Judge James Crowell
4. Judge Danya Dayson
5. Judge Juliet McKenna
6. Judge Michael O'Keefe
7. Judge Robert Okun
8. Judge Hiram Puig-Lugo
9. Judge Stephen Rickard

**COMMITTEE ON JURY MANAGEMENT**

1. Judge Marisa Demeo, Chair, Presiding Judge, Criminal Division
2. Judge Rainey Brandt, Deputy Presiding Judge, Criminal Division
3. Judge Todd Edelman, Presiding Judge, Civil Division
4. Judge Alfred Irving, Deputy Presiding Judge, Civil Division
5. Judge Shana Matini
6. Judge Peter Krauthamer
7. Dr. Cheryl Bailey, Interim Executive Officer
8. Herbert Rouson, Interim Deputy Executive Officer
9. Zabrina Dempson, Clerk of the Court

10. Karla Saguil, Director, Director, Special Operations
11. William Agosto, Director, Criminal Division
12. Lynn Magee, Director, Civil Division
13. Willa Obel, Special Counsel to the Chief Judge

**COMMITTEE ON PRO BONO AND AFFORDABLE COUNSEL**

1. Judge Carmen McLean, Deputy Presiding Judge, Probate and Tax Division, Co-chair
2. Judge Robert Okun, Co-chair
3. Judge Deborah Israel
4. Judge Noel Johnson
5. Judge Lloyd Nolan
6. Judge Carl E. Ross
7. Judge Ebony Scott
8. Judge Sherry Trafford, Presiding Judge, Magistrate Judges
9. Judge Steven Wellner
10. Paul Lee, Pro Bono Counsel, Steptoe & Johnson
11. Willa Obel, Special Counsel to the Chief Judge
12. Paul Di Blasi
13. Jodi Feldman, Pro Bono Program Manager

**COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC EDUCATION AND COURT INDEPENDENCE**

1. Judge Rainey Brandt, Deputy Presiding Judge, Criminal Division, Co-Chair
2. Judge Yvonne Williams, Co-Chair
3. Judge Julie Breslow
4. Judge Laura Crane
5. Judge Craig Iscoe
6. Judge Shana Matini
7. Judge Leslie Meek
8. Judge Shelly Mulkey
9. Judge Charmetra Jackson Parker
10. Judge Tanya Jones Bosier
11. Judge Carl E. Ross
12. Judge Ebony Scott
13. Judge Kenia Seoane Lopez
14. Judge Raquel Trabal
15. Judge Heidi Pasichow
16. Judge Judith Pipe

17. Paulette Chapman, Council for Court Excellence
18. Willa Obel, Special Counsel to the Chief Judge
19. Angela Naylor, representative of the Center for Education & Training
20. Coleman Caldwell, representative of the Center for Education & Training

### **COMMITTEE ON SECURITY**

1. Judge Jennifer Anderson, Co-Chair
2. Dr. Cheryl Bailey, Interim Executive Officer, Co-Chair
3. Judge Kendra Briggs
4. Judge James Crowell
5. Judge Deborah Israel
6. Judge Shelly Mulkey
7. Judge Michael O’Keefe
8. Judge Maurice Ross
9. Zabrina Dempson, Clerk of the Court
10. Thomas Hedgepeth, Chief Security Officer
11. Herb Rouson, Interim Deputy Executive Officer
12. U. S. Marshal and designees
13. Representatives of the DC Courts’ Divisions as may be appointed by the Executive Officer.

### **COMMITTEE ON SUPERIOR COURT RULES <sup>2</sup>**

1. Judge Neal Kravitz, Chair
2. Judge Jennifer Di Toro, Presiding Judge, Family Court
3. Judge Julie Becker
4. Judge Erik Christian
5. Judge Marisa Demeo, Presiding Judge, Criminal Division
6. Judge Anthony Epstein
7. Judge Andrea Hertzfeld
8. Judge Kimberly Knowles, Presiding Judge, Domestic Violence Division
9. Judge Robert Okun
10. Judge Jason Park
11. Judge Yvonne Williams
12. Judge Alfred Irving, Deputy Presiding Judge, Civil Division

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<sup>2</sup> Any member of the Committee on Superior Court Rules may attend any Division Advisory Rules Committee meeting. In addition, no Division Advisory Rules Subcommittee may forward a proposed rule or amendment to the full Rules Committee unless a majority of judicial officers appointed to the Advisory Subcommittee vote in favor of the proposed rule or amendment.

13. Judge Carmen McLean, Deputy Presiding Judge, Probate and Tax Division
14. Representative, Office of the General Counsel

### **IT STEERING COMMITTEE**

1. Dr. Cheryl Bailey, Interim Executive Officer, Co-Chair
2. Judge Catharine Easterly, Court of Appeals, Co-Chair
3. Judge Lynn Leibovitz, Co-Chair
4. Judge Jason Park
5. Judge Steven Wellner
6. Ron Berry, Acting Director of IT and designees
7. Julio Castillo, Clerk of the Court of Appeals
8. Zabrina Dempson, Clerk of the Court
9. Marie Robertson, Acting Deputy Clerk of the Court of Appeals
10. Herb Rouson, Interim Deputy Executive Officer
11. Division Directors

### **SUPERIOR COURT COMMITTEE ON COMMUNITY WELLNESS**

1. Judge Jennifer Di Toro, Presiding Judge, Family Court
2. Judge Craig Iscoe
3. Magistrate Judge Janet Albert
4. Dr. Cheryl Bailey, Interim Executive Officer
5. Zabrina Dempson, Clerk of the Court
6. Terri Odom
7. Cleonia Terry
8. Katara Watkins-Laws
9. Dr. Barbara Bazron, Department of Behavioral Health
10. Katherine Earnest, United States Attorney's Office
11. Lorenzo Hopkins, Court Services and Offender Supervision Agency
12. Tiffany Manley, Pretrial Services Agency
13. Chad Tillbrook, Department of Behavioral Health
14. Jemine Trough, Office of the Attorney General

### **LIASON COMMITTEE – JUDICIAL DISABILITIES & TENURE COMMISSION**

1. Chief Judge Anita Josey-Herring
2. Judge Peter Krauthamer

**JOINT COMMITTEE ON JUDICIAL ADMINISTRATION**

1. Chief Judge Anita Josey-Herring
2. Judge Marisa Demeo, Presiding Judge, Criminal Division
3. Judge Peter Krauthamer

**STANDING COMMITTEE ON FAIRNESS AND ACCESS TO THE DC COURTS (Term Position)**

1. Judge Phyllis Thompson, Court of Appeals, Chair
2. Judge Errol Arthur
3. Dr. Cheryl Bailey, Interim Executive Officer
4. Judge Danya Dayson,
5. Zabrina Dempson, Clerk of the Court
6. Judge Robert Okun
7. Judge Alfred Irving, Deputy Presiding Judge, Civil Division
8. Judge Neal Kravitz
9. Judge Hiram Puig-Lugo
10. Judge Kenia Seoane-Lopez
11. Judge Darlene Soltys
12. Herb Rouson, Deputy Executive Officer

**LANGUAGE ACCESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

1. Judge Neal Kravitz, Chair

**STANDING COMMITTEE ON STRATEGIC PLANNING LEADERSHIP COUNCIL**

1. Judge Marisa Demeo, Presiding Judge, Criminal Division, Co-Chair
2. Judge Phyllis Thompson, Court of Appeals, Co-Chair
3. Judge Kelly Higashi
4. Judge James Crowell
5. Judge Michael Ryan
6. Judge Adrienne Noti

**COMMISSIONS AND APPOINTMENTS**

**COMMISSION ON SELECTION AND TENURE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES (Term Position)**

1. Judge Robert Rigsby

**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA SENTENCING COMMISSION**

1. Judge Marisa Demeo, Presiding Judge, Criminal Division, Chair
2. Judge Rainey Brandt, Deputy Presiding Judge Criminal Division
3. Judge Milton Lee
4. Frederick Cooke
5. William Martin
6. Nazgol Ghandnoosh, Ph.D.

**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA ACCESS TO JUSTICE COMMISSION**

1. Judge Vanessa Ruiz, D.C. Court of Appeals
2. Judge Phyllis Thompson, D.C. Court of Appeals
3. Judge Maribeth Raffinan
4. Rebecca K. Troth, D.C. Bay
5. Stacey L. Brustin, D.C. Consortium Representative
6. Katherine Zeisel, Esq., D.C. Consortium Representative
7. Peter B. Edelman, At Large Member
8. Judge Sharon E. Goodie, At Large Member
9. Mark Herzog, Esq., At Large Member
10. Sheldon Krantz, At Large Member
11. James J. Sandman, Esq. At Large Member
12. Judge Anthony Epstein
13. Paul S. Lee, Esq, D.C. Bar Representative
14. Elizabeth Dewey, Esq., D.C. Bar Foundation Representative
15. Deborah P. Lindenberg, Esq., D.C. Bar Foundation Representative
16. Chinh Q. Le, Esq., D.C. Consortium Representative
17. Koube E. Ngaaje, D.C. Consortium Representative
18. Karen M. Dale, At Large Member
19. Susan M. Hoffman, At Large Member
20. Dean Renee McDonald Hutchins, At Large Member
21. Ariel Levinson-Waldmann, Esq., At Large Member



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22. Harrison Newton, At Large Member
23. Karen A. Newton Cole, Esq., At Large Member
24. Abel Nunez, At Large Member
25. Dr. Cheryl Bailey, Acting Executive Officer

## **CIVIL DIVISION COMMITTEES**

### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON CIVIL RULES**

1. Judge Todd Edelman, Presiding Judge, Civil Division, Co-Chair
2. Judge Alfred Irving, Deputy Presiding Judge, Civil Division, Co-Chair
3. Judge Donald Tunnage
4. Judge Juliet McKenna
5. Judge Shana Frost Matini
6. Judge Hiram Puig-Lugo
7. Judge Carl E. Ross
8. Judge Ebony Scott
9. Lynn Magee, Director, Civil Division
10. Representative, Office of the General Counsel
11. Representatives of agencies or organizations or attorneys who practice in the Civil Division or who are knowledgeable about Civil Rules, to be appointed by Presiding Judge.

### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON LANDLORD TENANT RULES**

1. Judge Alfred Irving, Deputy Presiding Judge, Civil Division, Co-Chair
2. Judge Todd Edelman, Presiding Judge, Civil Division, Co-Chair
3. Judge Rahkel Bouchet
4. Judge Heide Herrmann
5. Judge Shana Frost Matini
6. Judge Hiram Puig-Lugo
7. Judge Robert Rigsby
8. Judge Maurice Ross
9. Judge Sherry Trafford, Presiding Judge, Magistrate Judges
10. Lynn Magee, Director, Civil Division
11. Representative, Office of the General Counsel
12. Representatives of agencies or organizations or attorneys who practice in Landlord Tenant Court or who are knowledgeable about Landlord Tenant Rules, as may be appointed by the Presiding Judge.

### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON SMALL CLAIMS RULES**

1. Judge Alfred Irving, Deputy Presiding Judge, Civil Division, Co-Chair
2. Judge Todd Edelman, Presiding Judge, Civil Division, Co-Chair
3. Judge Joseph Beshouri

4. Judge Rahkel Bouchet
5. Judge Shana Frost Matini
6. Judge Juliet McKenna
7. Judge Sherry Trafford, Presiding Judge, Magistrate Judges
8. Judge Jorge Vila
6. Lynn Magee, Director, Civil Division
7. Representative, Office of the General Counsel
8. Representatives of agencies or organizations or attorneys who practice in Small Claims Court or who are knowledgeable about Small Claims Rules, as may be appointed by the Presiding Judge.

### **MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE WORKING GROUP**

1. Judge Todd Edelman, Presiding Judge, Civil Division, Co-Chair
2. Judge Alfred Irving, Deputy Presiding Judge, Civil Division, Co-Chair
3. Judge Joseph Beshouri
4. Judge Rahkel Bouchet
5. Judge Heide Herrmann
6. Judge Shana Frost Matini
7. Judge Stephen Rickard
8. Judge Jorge Vila
9. Judge Donald Tunnage
10. Judge Sherry Trafford, Deputy Presiding Judge, Magistrate Judges
11. Lynn Magee, Director, Civil Division
12. Attorney Matt Cohen, represents plaintiffs/lenders
13. Attorney Veronica Harsley Dean
14. Attorney Jenny Joseph, Legal Aid Society
15. Attorney Michael Cantrell, represents plaintiffs/lenders
16. Attorney Joanne Savage, Legal Counsel for the Elderly
17. Elizabeth Scully, Council for Court Excellence
18. Attorney Marian Siegel, Housing Counselors

### **LANDLORD AND TENANT WORKING GROUP**

1. Judge Todd Edelman, Presiding Judge, Civil Division, Co-Chair
2. Judge Alfred Irving, Deputy Presiding Judge, Civil Division, Co-Chair
3. Judge Joseph Beshouri
4. Judge Rahkel Bouchet
5. Judge Donya Dayson

6. Judge Heide Herrmann
7. Judge Shana Frost Matini
8. Judge Stephen Rickard
9. Judge Jorge Vila
10. Judge Sherry Trafford, Presiding Judge, Magistrate Judges
11. Lynn Magee, Director, Civil Division
12. Attorney Edward Cordone, plaintiffs' representative
13. Attorney Antoinece Goodson, plaintiffs' representative
14. Attorney Gwendolyn Roy Harrison, represents landlords/plaintiffs
15. Attorney Rebecca Lindhurst, Bread for the City
16. Samantha Koshgarian, Legal Aid Housing Supervising Attorney
17. Attorney Gabriella Lewis, DC Bar Pro Bono Program
18. Attorney Aaron Sokolow, plaintiffs' representative
19. Misty Thomas, Exec. Director, Council for Court Excellence
20. Attorney Sunny Desai, Legal Counsel for the Elderly

#### **SMALL CLAIMS WORKING GROUP**

1. Judge Todd Edelman, Presiding Judge, Civil Division, Co-Chair
2. Judge Alfred Irving, Deputy Presiding Judge, Civil Division, Co-Chair
3. Judge Joseph Beshouri
4. Judge Rahkel Bouchet
5. Judge Shana Frost Matini
6. Judge Juliet McKenna
7. Judge Stephen Rickard
8. Judge Jorge Vila
9. Judge Sherry Trafford, Presiding Judge, Magistrate Judges
10. Lynn Magree, Director, Civil Division
11. Attorney Shirien Badawi, represents plaintiffs (creditors and debt collectors)
12. Attorney Milt Theologou, plaintiffs' representative
13. Attorney Anitra Ash-Shakoor, DC Bar Pro Bono Program
14. Attorney Deanna Hackworth, represents plaintiffs (creditors and debt collectors)
15. Attorney Kerry Diggin, Legal Counsel for the Elderly
16. Attorney Jenny Joseph, Legal Aid Society
17. Attorney Ariel Levinson-Waldman, Tzedek DC
18. Attorney Neal Markowitz, represents plaintiffs (creditors and debt collectors)
19. Attorney William Moore, represents plaintiffs (creditors and debt collectors)
20. Attorney John Blake, Neighborhood Legal Services Program

**CRIMINAL DIVISION COMMITTEES<sup>3</sup>**

**COMMITTEE ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACT (CJA) VOUCHERS**

1. Judge Michael O’Keefe, Chair
2. Judge Jennifer Anderson
3. Judge Andrea Hertzfeld
4. Judge Shelly Mulkey
5. Judge Heidi Pasichow
6. Judge Judith Pipe

**ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON CRIMINAL RULES**

1. Judge Marisa Demeo, Presiding Judge, Criminal Division, Co-Chair
2. Judge Rainey Brandt, Deputy Presiding Judge, Criminal Division, Co-Chair
3. Judge Laura Crane
4. Judge Anthony Epstein
5. Judge Lynn Leibovitz
6. Judge Lloyd Nolan, Deputy Presiding Judge, Magistrate Judges
7. Judge Michael O’Keefe
8. Judge Robert Okun
9. Judge Jason Park
10. Judge Sean Staples
11. Judge Stephen Rickard
12. William Agosto, Director, Criminal Division
13. Representative, Office of the General Counsel
14. Representatives of Superior Court Trial Lawyers Association, United States Attorney’s Office, Officer of the Attorney General, Public Defender Service and attorneys practicing in the Criminal Division and/or attorneys knowledgeable about Criminal Rules of Procedure, as may be appointed by the Presiding Judge.
15. Willa Obel, Special Counsel to the Chief Judge

**COMMITTEE ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACT PANEL ATTORNEYS, AND CONTINUING EDUCATION FOR PANEL ATTORNEYS**

1. Judge Rainey Brandt, Deputy Presiding Judge, Criminal Division, Co-Chair

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<sup>3</sup> The Committee on Pretrial Mental Examination and Urgent Care Clinic is converted to a work group to be convened at such times as the Presiding Judge of the Criminal Division deems appropriate.

2. Judge Jennifer Anderson, Co-Chair
3. Judge Errol Arthur
4. Judge Erik Christian
5. Judge Laura Crane
6. Judge Marisa Demeo, Presiding Judge, Criminal Division
7. Judge Andrea Hertzfeld
8. Judge Dorsey Jones
9. Judge Kimberley Knowles, Presiding Judge, Domestic Violence Division
10. Judge Milton Lee
11. Judge Renee Raymond
12. Judge Lloyd Nolan
13. Judge Maribeth Raffinan
14. Judge Michael Ryan
15. Judge Sean Staples

#### **COMMITTEE ON CJA INVESTIGATORS**

1. Judge Robert Okun, Chair
2. Judge Heide Pasichow
3. Judge Tanya Jones Bosier
4. Wallace Lewis, Defender Services Branch Chief
5. Claire Roth, PDS Special Counsel
6. Damon Catacalos, CJA Panel Member
7. Bryan Bookhard, CJA Panel Member

#### **COMMITTEE ON MENTAL HEALTH COMMUNITY COURT**

1. Judge Craig Iscoe, Chair
2. Judge Laura Crane
3. Judge Marisa Demeo, Presiding Judge, Criminal Division
4. Judge Deborah Israel
5. Judge Heidi Pasichow
6. Judge Michael Ryan
7. William Agosto, Director, Criminal Division
8. Representatives of Superior Court Trial Lawyers Association, United States Attorney's Office, Office of the Attorney General, Pretrial Service Agency, Court Social Service Division, Department of Behavioral Health, Urgent Care Clinic, Core Service Agencies, and other agencies and attorneys or representatives as may be appointed by the Presiding Judge.

## **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE DIVISION COMMITTEES**

### **COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE UNIT STRATEGIC PLANNING**

1. Judge Kimberley Knowles, Presiding Judge, Domestic Violence Division, Co-Chair
2. Judge Elizabeth Wingo, Deputy Presiding Judge, Domestic Violent Division, Co-Chair
3. Judge Jennifer Anderson
4. Judge Dorsey Jones
5. Judge Judith Pipe
6. Judge Kenia Seoane-Lopez
7. Rita Blandino, Director, Domestic Violence Division
8. Herb Rouson, Deputy Executive Officer
9. Representatives of Superior Court Trial Lawyers Association, Metropolitan Police Department, United States Attorney's Office, Office of the Attorney General, Public Defender Service, and other agencies, organizations and attorneys who practice in or are knowledgeable about Domestic Violence proceedings, as may be appointed by the Presiding Judge.

### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE RULES**

1. Judge Kimberley Knowles, Presiding Judge, Domestic Violence Division, Chair
2. Judge Jennifer Anderson
3. Judge Dorsey Jones
4. Judge Kenia Seoane-Lopez
5. Judge Elizabeth Wingo, Deputy Presiding Judge, Domestic Violent Division
6. Rita Blandino, Director, Domestic Violence Division
7. Representative, Office of the General Counsel
8. Representatives of Superior Court Trial Lawyers Association, United States Attorney's Office, Office of the Attorney General, and other agencies, organizations and attorneys who practice in or are knowledgeable about Domestic Violence proceedings, as may be appointed by the Presiding Judge.

## **FAMILY COURT COMMITTEES<sup>4</sup>**

### **COMMITTEE ON ABUSE AND NEGLECT PROCEEDINGS**

1. Judge Julie Breslow, Chair
2. Judge Jennifer Di Toro, Presiding Judge, Family Court
3. Judge Darlene Soltys, Deputy Presiding Judge, Family Court
4. Judge Janet Albert
5. Judge Tara Fentress
6. Judge Philip Medley
7. Judge Adrienne Noti
8. Avrom Sickel, Director, Family Court Operations Division
9. Representatives of Child and Family Services, Family Court Trial Lawyers Association, Office of the Attorney General, Children's Law Center and other agencies and attorneys who practice in or are knowledgeable in Neglect and Abuse proceedings as may be appointed by the Presiding Judge of the Family Court.

### **COMMITTEE ON ADOPTION DAY**

1. Judge Tara Fentress, Co-Chair
2. Judge Darlene Soltys, Deputy Presiding Judge, Family Court, Co-Chair
3. Judge Julie Breslow
4. Judge Jennifer Di Toro, Presiding Judge, Family Court
5. Judge Steven Wellner
6. Judge Noel Johnson
7. Representatives of Child and Family Services, Family Court Trial Lawyers Association, Office of the Attorney General, Children's Law Center and other agencies and persons who participate in Adoption Day may be appointed by the Presiding Judge of the Family Court.

### **COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC RELATIONS PROCEEDINGS**

1. Judge Kelly Higashi, Chair
2. Judge Julie Becker
3. Judge Adriane Marblestein-Deare
4. Judge Jonathan Pittman

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<sup>4</sup> The Family Court Strategic Planning Committee, formerly the Family Court Implementation Committee, and the Committee on Mayor's Liaison Office are converted to work groups to be convened by the Presiding Judge when the need arises.



5. Judge Rupa Ranga
6. Judge Veronica Sanchez
7. Judge Steven Wellner
8. Judge Katherine Wiedmann
9. Avrom Sickel, Director, Family Court Operations Division
10. Representatives of Family Court Trial Lawyers Association and other agencies and attorneys who practice in or are knowledgeable in Domestic Relations proceedings as may be appointed by the Presiding Judge of the Family Court.

### **COMMITTEE ON FAMILY COURT BENCH BOOKS**

1. Judge Jennifer Di Toro, Presiding Judge, Family Court, Co-Chair
2. Judge Darlene Soltys, Deputy Presiding Judge, Family Court, Co-Chair
3. Judge Janet Albert
4. Judge Julie Becker
5. Judge Julie Breslow
6. Judge Tyrona De Witt
7. Judge Noel Johnson
8. Judge Philip Medley
9. Judge Jonathan Pittman
10. Judge Veronica Sanchez
11. Bill Ecenbarger, Supervisory Attorney, Family Court

### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON FAMILY COURT RULES**

1. Judge Jennifer Di Toro, Presiding Judge, Family Court, Co-Chair
2. Judge Darlene Soltys, Deputy Presiding Judge, Family Court, Co-Chair
3. Judge Janet Albert
4. Judge Sherri Beatty-Arthur
5. Judge Julie Becker
6. Judge Julie Breslow
7. Judge James Crowell
8. Judge Tyrona De Witt
9. Judge Philip Medley
10. Judge Robert Salerno
11. Judge Raquel Trabal
12. Avrom Sickel, Director, Family Court Operations Division
13. Representatives of Office of the General Counsel, CCAN Trial Lawyers Association

**COMMITTEE ON JUVENILE PROCEEDINGS**

1. Judge Jennifer Di Toro, Presiding Judge, Family Court, Co-Chair
2. Judge Darlene Soltys, Deputy Presiding Judge, Family Court, Co-Chair
3. Judge James Crowell
4. Judge Robert Salerno
5. Judge Lloyd Nolan, Deputy Presiding Judge, Magistrate Judges
6. Avrom Sickel, Director, Family Court Operations Division
7. Representatives of Family Court Trial Lawyers Association, Office of the Attorney General, Court Social Services and other agencies, organizations and attorneys who practice in or are knowledgeable in Juvenile proceedings, as may be appointed by the Presiding Judge of the Family Court.

**COMMITTEE ON FAMILY COURT ATTORNEY PANELS**

1. Judge Jennifer Di Toro, Presiding Judge, Family Court, Co-Chair
2. Judge Janet Albert, Co-Chair
3. Judge Sherri Beatty-Arthur
4. Judge Julie Breslow
5. Judge James Crowell
6. Judge Tyrone De Witt
7. Judge Tara Fentress
8. Judge Noel Johnson
9. Judge Adriane Marblestein-Deare
10. Judge Philip Medley
11. Judge Darlene Soltys, Deputy Presiding Judge, Family Court
12. Bill Ecenbarger, Supervisory Attorney, Family Court

**COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH COMMISSIONERS**

1. Judge Jennifer Di Toro, Presiding Judge, Family Court, Co-Chair
2. Judge, Darlene Soltys Deputy Presiding Judge, Family Court, Co-Chair
3. Judge Janet Albert

**COMMITTEE ON PARENTAGE AND SUPPORT PROCEEDINGS**

1. Judge Noel Johnson, Chair
2. Judge Tyrone De Witt, Co-Chair

3. Judge Raquel Trabal, Co-Chair
4. Representatives of the Office of the Attorney General, Court Social Services and other agencies, organizations and attorneys who practice in or are knowledgeable in Parentage and Support proceedings, as may be appointed by the Presiding Judge of the Family Court.

**FAMILY COURT TRAINING COMMITTEE**

1. Judge Jennifer Di Toro, Presiding Judge, Family Court, Co-Chair
2. Judge Adrienne Noti Co-Chair
3. Judge Sherri Beatty-Arthur
4. Judge Tyrone De Witt
5. Judge Kelly Higashi
6. Judge Veronica Sanchez
7. Judge Raquel Trabal
8. Judge Katherine Wiedmann
9. Judge Steven Wellner
10. Judge Darlene Soltys, Deputy Presiding Judge, Family Court
11. Avrom Sickel, Director, Family Court Operations Divisions
12. Crystal Banks, Director, Center for Education & Training
13. Representatives of agencies, organizations and attorneys who practice in or are knowledgeable in Family Court proceedings, as may be appointed by the Presiding Judge of the Family Court.

## **PROBATE AND TAX DIVISIONS COMMITTEES**

### **COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION**

1. Judge Laura Cordero, Presiding Judge, Probate and Tax Divisions, Chair
2. Judge John McCabe
3. Judge Carmen McLean, Deputy Presiding Judge, Probate and Tax Divisions
4. Judge Charmetra Jackson Parker
5. Nicole Stevens, Register of Wills
6. Representatives or agencies or lawyers who practice in the Probate and Tax Divisions or who are knowledgeable about Probate and Tax Rules as may be appointed by the Presiding Judge.

### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON PROBATE AND FIDUCIARY RULES**

1. Judge Laura Cordero, Presiding Judge, Probate and Tax Divisions, Co-Chair
2. Judge Carmen McLean, Deputy Presiding Judge, Probate and Tax Divisions, Co-Chair
3. Judge John McCabe
4. Judge Leslie Meek
5. Judge Charmetra Jackson Parker
6. Nicole Stevens, Register of Wills
7. Louis Jenkins, Auditor-Master
8. Representative, Office of the General Counsel
9. Representatives or agencies or lawyers who practice in the Probate Division or who are knowledgeable about Probate Rules as may be appointed by the Presiding Judge.

### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON TAX RULES**

1. Judge Laura Cordero, Presiding Judge, Probate and Tax Divisions, Co-Chair
2. Judge Carmen McLean, Deputy Presiding Judge, Probate and Tax Divisions, Co-Chair
3. Judge John McCabe
4. Judge Charmetra Jackson Parker
5. Representative, Office of the General Counsel
6. Representatives or agencies or attorneys who practice in the Tax Division or who are knowledgeable about Tax Rules as may be appointed by the Presiding Judge.

### **ESTATE ADMINISTRATION WORKING GROUP**

1. Judge Laura Cordero, Presiding Judge, Probate and Tax Divisions, Co-Chair
2. Judge Carmen McLean, Deputy Presiding Judge, Probate and Tax Divisions, Co-Chair

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3. Nicole Stevens, Register of Wills
4. Nancy Drane, Access to Justice
5. David Cox, Council for Court Excellence
6. Tina S. Nelson, DC Bar
7. Gina Lynn, DC Bar
8. Keeva Terry, DC Bar
9. Jennifer Goode, DC Bar
10. Misty Thomas, Council for Court Excellence
11. Representative of the Council for Court Excellence

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