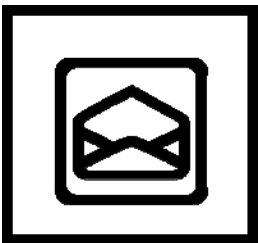

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This program is designated for both newly admitted and experienced attorneys of the Tompkins County Assigned Counsel Program, the Schuyler County Assigned Counsel Program and the Schuyler County Public Defender's Office. Course may be open to public space permitting.

Pre-registration by Thursday, June 7, 2018 is required.

To register, please email Julia Hughes at jhughes@tompkins-co.org



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Tompkins County Public Library
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PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Thursday, June 21, 2018

12:30pm-1:30pm Alternative Forms of Bail–
Joshua Norkin

1:30pm-1:40pm Break

1:40pm-2:40pm The Writ of Habeas Corpus–
Joshua Norkin

2:40pm-2:50pm Break

2:50pm-3:30pm How to Build an Application for
Alternative Bail– Joshua Norkin
and Lance Salisbury

3:30pm-4:00pm Alternative Bail in an Upstate
County– Lance Salisbury



PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

This presentation will cover the complexities of New York's bail statute, from arraignment through appeal of the denial of the writ of habeas corpus. Few realize that New York actually has one of the most progressive bail statutes in the country. Several statutory forms of alternative bail do not require any, or very little, money be paid up front. Joshua Norkin will present on the alternative forms of bail in the current Criminal Procedure Law, how to effectively build a bail application around them, and how to challenge a denial of an alternative bail application. The program will cover how to draft an application for the alternative forms of bail, how to preserve arguments for appeal, and how to file a legal challenge to excessive bail on constitutional grounds.

Lance Salisbury will discuss the practical details of an alternative bail application he recently made in Tompkins County.

SPEAKERS

Joshua Norkin is the staff attorney and founder of the Decarceration Project at the Legal Aid Society. For two years the Decarceration Project has been litigating bad bail decisions throughout New York City. The Project has been recognized as an Exemplary and Innovative Project in Indigent Defense by the American Bar Association. Josh is a graduate of SUNY Albany and Denver University's Sturm College of Law. He began his work in Legal Aid's Bronx trial office 2011, and moved to the appeals bureau in 2015.

Lance Salisbury is the Supervising Attorney for the Assigned Counsel Programs in Tompkins and Schuyler Counties. He has his undergraduate degree from the University of Iowa and advanced degrees from both the University of Iowa and Cornell University. He received his law degree from Cornell Law School and is a member of the New York State Bar. His practice areas since returning to New York State in 2001 have focused on criminal law and education law. In addition to his private practice he is an Adjunct Professor of Law in the Clinical Program at Cornell Law School. He has been the Supervising Attorney for the Tompkins and Schuyler County Assigned Counsel Programs since 2016.