



24 January 2022

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

INVITATION TO APPLY FOR SAJEI JUDICIAL SKILLS FOR ASPIRANT REGIONAL MAGISTRATES COURSE TO BE HELD AT MANKWENG, LIMPOPO

You are kindly invited to apply for a SAJEI Judicial Skills for Aspirant Regional Magistrates Course focusing on Criminal Court adjudication to be held in Mankweng over a period of 5 Saturdays starting on 19 February to 26 March 2022. The dates for compulsory attendance are: 19 Feb, 26 Feb, 5 March, 12 March & 26 March 2022. A draft program is attached for ease of reference.

Please find the selection criteria and application form that must reach the office of the Regional Court President by 11 February 2022. Kindly note that no late or incomplete applications will be considered. **The applications must be forwarded to:** Ms Grace Masebe, email: GMasebe@justice.gov.za

Please note that only 30 participants can be accommodated. The course will be intensive and interactive. Participants will be expected to write and deliver multiple judgements, 100% attendance is compulsory.

Sincerely,

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PROGRAMME

TRAINING PROGRAM

Judicial Skills Course for Aspirant Regional Magistrates Program

Day 1: 19 February 2022

9h00 – 9h15:	Opening, Welcome
9h15 – 9h45:	Introduction, ground rules
9h45- 10h30	Judicial leadership & trial management in the regional court
10h30 – 11h00	Dealing with pre-trial aspects- ss77,78 & 79 s 342A orders
11h00 – 11h15	TEA BREAK
11h15 – 11h45	Transfers, Bail applications
11h45 - 13h15	Child Justice
13h15 – 13h45	LUNCH BREAK
13h45 – 14h45	Judgement writing
14h45 – 15h15	Sentencing & ancillary orders
15h15 – 15h30	Briefing on the next seminar's assignments





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Day 2: 26 February 2022

9h00 – 9h15:	Opening, Welcome
9h15 – 11h00	Section 105A
11h00 – 11h15	TEA BREAK
11h15 – 12h30	Violence crimes: murder, aspects of robbery, Fire Arms Control Act etc., & aspects of Adjudication
15h30 – 13h15	Dealing with admissibility of different types of evidence
13h15 – 13h45	LUNCH BREAK
13h45 – 15h00	Violent crimes: Judgements
15h00 – 15h15	Plenary
15h15 – 15h30	Briefing on next seminar's assignments





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Day 3: 5 March 2022

9h00 – 9h15:	Opening, Welcome
9h15 – 11h00	Sexual offences
11h00 – 11h15	TEA BREAK
11h15 – 13h15	Sexual Offences
13h15 – 13h45	LUNCH BREAK
13h45 – 15h00	Judgments – practical
15h00 – 15h15	Plenary
15h15 – 15h30	Briefing on the next seminar's assignment





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Day 4: 12 March 2022

9h00 – 9h15:	Opening, Welcome
9h15 – 11h00	Sexual offences: Dealing with child witnesses & procedural aspects
11h00 – 11h15	TEA BREAK
11h15 – 13h15	Sexual Offences: Dealing with evidentiary aspects, sentencing & consequential orders
13h15 – 13h45	LUNCH BREAK
13h45 – 15h00	Sexual offence: Judgments
15h00 – 15h15	Plenary
15h15 – 15h30	Briefing on the next seminar's assignment





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Day 5: 26 March 2022

9h00 – 9h15:	Opening, Welcome
9h15 – 11h00	Commercial Crimes, Corruption, Cybercrimes
11h00 – 11h15	TEA BREAK
11h15 – 13h15	Environmental crimes
13h15 – 13h45	LUNCH BREAK
13h45 – 15h00	Practical: Judgments
15h00 – 15h15	Plenary
15h15 – 15h30	Closing

