

ADVANCED DAY 1
Friday, September 18, 2026

Time	Presentation	Presenter(s)	CLE Credit
7:30-8:15	Registration & Breakfast		
8:15-8:30	Welcome	Amanda Love	
8:30-9:30	Law and Disorder: The Resist and Refuse Unit	Dr. Amy Holsten	1 hour
9:30-10:30	Smoke, Fire, or Fog? A Field Guide to Handling Abuse Allegations	Melody Swilling	1 hour
10:30-10:45	Break		
10:45-12:15	Narcissist or Just Annoying? Let's Talk Psychology	Dr. Christine Profito	1 hour 15 minutes
12:15-1:00	Working Lunch - Less Litigation, More Coordination (Parent Coordination)	Erica McCurdy	30 minutes
1:00-2:00	Not My Circus... Actually, It Is: A GAL's Guide to Boundaries	Steven Cayton	1 hour *Profession-alism
2:00-3:00	Look What You Made Me Do: Reputation-Proofing Your GAL Report	Tracy Rhodes	1 hour
6:00-9:30 p.m.	Castle Brews and Lakeside Views	Space limited - first come, first served. RSVP ASAP	

ADVANCED DAY 2
Saturday, September 19, 2026

Time	Presentation	Presenter(s)	CLE Credit
8:00-8:30	Breakfast & Morning Announcements	Brandy Daswani	
8:30-9:30	Interviewing Children - The Guardian's Guide to Not Screwing Up a Child Interview	Dr. Amy Holsten	1 hour
9:30-10:30	Interviewing Witnesses - The Good, the Bad, and the Completely Unnecessary Witness	Amanda Love, Brandy Daswani, Steven Cayton, Jonathan Stoye, Wendy Posey	1 hour
10:30-10:45	Break		
10:45-11:45	Mic Drop Moments: Mastering Cross-Examination and Evidence as a GAL (Trial hour)	Max Fishman Shanna Pennywell	1 hour *Trial
12:00-1:00	Judge's Panel	Jonathan Stoye – Moderator Judge Clint B. Bearden Judge Alice Benton Judge Tyler Browning Judge Keith Gallagan Judge Melissa Hise Judge B. Alison Sosebee	1 hour