

2014 Domestic Violence Court Conference

Faculty

CLAUDIA J. BAYLIFF
NATIONAL JUDICIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM (NJEP)
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Claudia J. Bayliff is an attorney and educator with almost twenty-six years of experience working on issues related to sexual assault. She is currently serving as the National Judicial Education Program's (NJEP) Project Attorney, developing judicial educational materials about sexual assault and helping to implement a nationwide, comprehensive plan for judicial education about sexual assault.

She was the first Chief of the United States Air Force's worldwide, \$18 million+ Sexual Assault Prevention and Response Program. There, she was responsible for administering the new Air Force program, including developing and implementing the Air Force's sexual assault prevention and response policy. She has also consulted with the Department of the Navy, the Navy, the Marine Corps and the Coast Guard to help them develop their sexual assault prevention strategy and with United States Army Criminal Investigation Division (CID) to assist them in their efforts to improve how they investigate sexual assault cases.

Prior to that, she was NJEP's Project Attorney for its *Understanding Sexual Violence* grants from October 1996 to August 2005. Under those grants, Ms. Bayliff was part of the NJEP expert faculty that has educated judges throughout the country on the dynamics of sexual assault cases.

Ms. Bayliff served as the Assistant Director of the Boulder County Rape Crisis Team from 1989 to 1993. She also taught classes on women and the law at the University of Colorado in Boulder and Denver for 11 years. She taught for the Law School, the Graduate School of Public Affairs, the Women Studies Department, and the Political Science Department. She served as faculty for the Colorado Ending Violence Against Women Project (EVAW), a statewide multidisciplinary team. In addition, she presents to various professional organizations and conferences across the United States, and in Canada and Europe, about violence against women.

JEFFRIE K. CAPE LMSW ACSW CAADC
DIRECTOR OF CHARRON SERVICES LLC
ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN

Jeffrie Cape has been the director of Charron Services LLC since 2000. She started HEAL (Helping Explore Accountable Lifestyles) a 52 session Batterer intervention program and WEAVE (Women Exploring Accountably Violent Encounters) in Oakland County, Michigan. She provides training and curriculum development on HEAL on a national level.

Jeffrie also is employed part time at ADA (Alternatives to Domestic Aggression) in Washtenaw County, where she facilitates groups, trains, supervises staff, develops and refines curriculum for community and prison based programs.

Jeffrie has over 25 years of clinical experience and has a private practice with varied clientele, including substance use, mental health, trauma etc.. She was appointed to the Michigan Domestic and Sexual Violence and Prevention and Treatment Board by Governor Snyder in 2011.

She helped develop local standards for batterer intervention programs and was a member of the governor's task force to develop state standards in 1998. She was active in the development and formation of BISCMI in 1995. She served on that board until April 2011 and was chair in 2001-2002. She also was instrumental in creating the Batterer Intervention Provider Standards Compliance Council (BIPSCC) and was the initial chair.

She participates in a variety of state and local task forces and collaborations (sobriety and veteran courts) as well as providing training and supervision for agencies and individuals who work with individuals involved in domestic violence.

DAVID J. H. GARVIN MSW, LMSW
ALTERNATIVES TO DOMESTIC AGGRESSION PROGRAM
ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN

David Garvin currently serves as the Chief Operating Officer of Catholic Social Services of Washtenaw County in Ann Arbor, Michigan where he founded, supervised and directed the Alternatives to Domestic Aggression Program (ADA). Mr. Garvin has been directly involved in the anti-domestic violence movement since 1986 when he founded the ADA Program.

Mr. Garvin is a co-founder and current Chair of the Batterer Intervention Services Coalition of Michigan (BISC-MI). Mr. Garvin was selected to serve as the co-chair of the Michigan Governor's Taskforce on creating standards for batterer intervention programs. Mr. Garvin has conducted trainings, consultations, conferences, workshops, in-services around the country and has been featured on local, state and national television, in magazines, professional journals and newspapers.

Mr. Garvin has been a member of the Ann Arbor Domestic Violence Coordinating Board and the St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Domestic Violence Advisory Council. Mr. Garvin served on the Michigan Judicial Institute PPO CD-I Advisory Council and was the Chair of the Ypsilanti Domestic Violence Coordinating Board. Mr. Garvin is a frequently requested speaker throughout the state of Michigan and around the country. Mr. Garvin has been an administrative/clinical supervisor and consultant to individuals and programs who have chosen to begin working in the field of batterer intervention.

In May 1997 Mr. Garvin was appointed by Governor John Engler (Michigan) to Co-Chair the Governor's Task Force on Batterer Intervention Standards. In 1998 Mr. Garvin was appointed to the Domestic Violence Benchbook Advisory Committee of the Michigan Judicial Institute. Mr. Garvin has served as a faculty member to the Michigan Judicial Institute, the Michigan Coalition Against Domestic and Sexual Violence and the National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges.

Mr. Garvin was named the 2009 National Association of Social Workers-Michigan (NASW-MI) Social Worker of the Year. He earned the prestigious honor for his work in the areas of domestic violence, mental health and adoption.

In 2011 David became an Adjunct Lecturer with The Eastern Michigan University, School of Social Work and serves in that role to this present date. In 2011 David began serving on the National Advisory Board to Futures Without Violence, formerly Family Violence Prevention Fund.

MIRIAM GOODMAN
TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROVIDER
CENTER FOR COURT INNOVATION

Miriam Goodman is the coordinator of trafficking programs at the Center for Court Innovation. Miriam is involved in many trafficking projects including: helping create the Human Trafficking Intervention Courts in NY State; provide training to judges, lawyers and clinicians on trauma and working with trafficking survivors; and beginning to work with family court on this issue. Miriam's focus is in trauma work and she has trained extensively in evidence-based practices for working with trauma survivors.

Miriam previously worked as a therapist at Safe Horizon's Counseling Center, where she provided trauma-focused therapy for crime victims. She received her B.A. in Sociology from Dickinson College and her M.S.W. from the Silver School of Social Work at New York University.

JAMES HENDERSON
TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROVIDER
BATTERED WOMEN'S JUSTICE PROJECT

Jim Henderson is a technical assistance provider for the US Department of Justice Office on Violence Against Women through the Battered Women's Justice Project. From 1991-2008 Jim was a probation officer responsible for overseeing the policies and practices of Intensive Probation for Domestic Violence offenders in Ann Arbor, MI. He was assigned to the Washtenaw County Domestic Violence Unit as part of the Judicial Oversight Demonstration Initiative from 1999 to 2005 and works from a system perspective to enhance victim's safety and defendant accountability. He has provided batterer intervention within the Detroit metropolitan area since 1995. Before joining the criminal justice system in 1993, he worked as the clinical director of Straight, Inc., a family oriented substance abuse program for drug using young people and their families.

In 1998, Jim was appointed by the Mayor of Ann Arbor to serve on the Ann Arbor Domestic Violence Coordinating Board. He has served two terms as a Regional Representative for the Batterer Intervention Services Coalition of Michigan and has been active with them since 1997. He has also been an active member of the Arab American Domestic Violence Coalition from 2001-2006. In 2002 he received a certificate of appreciation for outstanding service on behalf of crime victims from the Washtenaw County Prosecutors office. Jim has designed and conducted trainings on the effective interviewing of domestic violence offenders and victims. He has endeavored to change the focus of the victim interview from that of "information gatherer" to that of "information provider." Jim trains on the utilization of probation group reporting to gain better compliance, using the community to assist in the monitoring of batterers, thus enhancing the safety of those victimized by the violence. Jim has been faculty for several organizations including the multiple probation and parole associations, The National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges Association, VERA institute of Justice, the Michigan Judicial Institute, Batterer Intervention Services Coalition of Michigan, Greenbook, The Battered Women's Justice Project, American Probation & Parole Association, The National Association of Pretrial Services Agencies, the American Prosecutors Research Institutes National Institute on the Prosecution of Domestic Violence.,

The National Collage of District Court Attorneys Domestic Violence Conference, Praxis International, and The Presidents Family Justice Centers.

Jim is on the national advisory board or acts as a consultancy team member for the Family Justice Center Alliance, The Battered Women's Justice Program, and The Center for Court Innovation. Jim has been a Certified Addition Counselor II since 1987 and an Internationally Certified Alcohol and Drug Counselor since 1990. He received his Master's degree in social work from the University of Michigan in 1995.

ROSIE HIDALGO
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC POLICY
CASA DE ESPERANZA

Rosie Hidalgo is the Director of Public Policy at Casa de Esperanza, a national Latina organization whose mission is to mobilize Latinas and Latino communities to end domestic violence. Casa de Esperanza also coordinates the National Latin@ Network for Healthy Families and Communities, a national resource center with a focus on providing training and technical assistance, research, and policy advocacy. Rosie has worked in the movement to end domestic violence for the past 20 years. She previously worked as an attorney at legal services programs for low-income families in New York City and in Northern Virginia.

Rosie also lived in the Dominican Republic for four years where she helped establish and coordinate a community-based domestic violence prevention and intervention network and worked as a consultant for the World Bank on social services reforms. She serves on the Steering Committee of the National Task Force to End Sexual and Domestic Violence and has served on the American Bar Association Commission on Domestic and Sexual Violence since 2010.

Rosie received her undergraduate degree from Georgetown University and her law degree from New York University School of Law.

JUDGE ELIZABETH POLLARD HINES
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COURT JUDGE
ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN

Elizabeth Pollard Hines was elected Judge of the 15th District Court in Ann Arbor, Michigan in 1992. She was appointed by the Michigan Supreme Court as Chief Judge and is the former Presiding Judge of the District Court Division of the Washtenaw County Trial Court when all courts in the county were unified. She presides over criminal and civil cases including a specialized domestic violence docket. Judge Hines helped create and launch "*Street Outreach Court*", a community project of the Washtenaw County criminal justice system and advocates for the homeless.

Judge Hines received her BA, with honor, from the University of Michigan in 1974, and her JD from the University of Michigan Law School in 1977. In 1987, she was appointed as the first Chair of Ann Arbor's *Domestic Violence Coordinating Board*. She represented her colleagues on the Executive Committee managing a *Judicial Oversight Demonstration Initiative* ("JODI") sponsored by the US Department of Justice Office on Violence Against Women from 1999 to 2004, one of three sites in the country selected to see what works best in cases of domestic violence. She helps train new judges on DV through the Michigan Judicial Institute. She was appointed to serve on the *Governor's Task Force on Children's Justice* and the *Governor's Task Force on Batterer Intervention Standards*. She was appointed by the Michigan Supreme Court to the *Committee on the Rules of Criminal Procedure* to review rules of criminal

procedure used by all Michigan courts. She currently serves on the *State Planning Body*, addressing legal services in Michigan, was a member of the *Access to Justice Committee* of the Michigan State Bar's *Judicial Crossroads Task Force*, and was appointed by the Chief Justice of the Michigan Supreme Court to serve on the *SOS (Solutions on Self-Help) Task Force*, looking at ways to better accommodate self-represented litigants. She is a member of the *National Domestic Violence Court Technical Assistance Consultancy Team* for the Center for Court Innovation and the National Center for State Court's *Advisory Committee* for its *Problem-Solving Justice Toolkit*.

Judge Hines is a member of the *Executive Committee* of the American Judges Association (AJA), current Chair of the *AJA Domestic Violence Committee*, past Chair of the *AJA Access to Justice Committee*, and past member of the AJA Board of Governors. She is active in her community and has received numerous awards including the "*Patriot Award*" from the Washtenaw County Bar Association, and the "*2008 Distinguished Service Award*" from the National Center for State Courts. In 2011, she was elected to serve on the Board of Directors of the National Center for State Courts. In August of 2011, she was awarded the first annual "*Judicial Excellence Award*" by the Michigan District Judges Association. In 2012, the American Judges Association, a non-profit organization run through the National Center for State Courts, created the "*Judge Elizabeth Hines Award*" to honor each year a judge in the US or Canada who has taken innovative steps to reduce domestic violence. Judge Hines was presented with the first award at the AJA annual conference in October of 2012.

JENNIFER LANDHUIS
DIRECTOR OF SOCIAL CHANGE
IDAHO COALITION AGAINST SEXUAL AND DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Jennifer Landhuis has been an advocate and educator on the issues of stalking, domestic violence, and sexual assault for the last 18 years. Jennifer spent over a decade as a community-based advocate providing victims with advocacy and support, including on-scene advocacy with law enforcement and hospital personnel. As a trainer, Jennifer designs and facilitates research-based local, state and national trainings to build the capacity of criminal justice, social justice and healthcare systems to ensure safety and social and emotional well-being of victims and accountability for offenders. Jennifer is currently the Director of Social Change at the Idaho Coalition Against Sexual & Domestic Violence. In this capacity she oversees state-level multi-disciplinary collaboratives including the Idaho Coordinated Response to Sexual & Domestic Violence and the Idaho Victims Assistance Academy which seek broader systems outcomes and enhanced interagency response. She is also a consultant with the Stalking Resource Center of the National Center for Victims of Crime. Jennifer has her Masters of Science degree in Criminal Justice from the University of Cincinnati.