

Forensic Didactic Core Curriculum Seminar

2007-2008

This seminar is conducted at Tulane's Department of Psychiatry in the Tidewater Building from 10:00AM to 11:00AM on Fridays in Room 1055 (unless otherwise noted). This Seminar is chaired by the Fellowship Director and includes didactic presentations by Tulane forensic and child psychiatry faculty, Tulane neurology faculty, consulting faculty, and visiting faculty.

Lectures cover the following topics:

Background and Historical Topics, Malingering, Criminal Law, Civil Law, Child Forensic Psychiatry, Legal Regulation of Psychiatry, Neuropsychiatry, Special Issues in Curriculum, and Components Specific to Correctional Psychiatry.

Didactic Seminar pre-lecture reading assignments are (unless otherwise specified) from *Principles and Practice of Forensic Psychiatry*, 2nd Edition, Richard Rosner, M.D.

Didactic Topics marked with an asterisk (*) are topics that the fellow should prepare to present to first year psychiatry residents.

Date	Lecturer	Didactic Seminar (10-11)
July 6	LeBourgeois	The Roles, Responsibilities, and Ethics of the Forensic Psychiatrist [Rosner, Ch. 1, 2, 8]
July 9 11AM †	LeBourgeois	The Louisiana Forensic System.
July 13	LeBourgeois	Criminal Responsibility Report Writing / Testifying [AAPL Guideline for Conducting Criminal Responsibility Assessment]
July 16 11:30†	Smith	Brief Overview of ELMHS Sex-Offender Treatment Program.
July 20	DeLand	Release of Insanity Acquittes / Community Forensic Services
July 27	Snow	Alternatives to Insanity Defense: Diminished Capacity, Aid to Sentencing [Rosner, 27]
July 30 11AM †	LeBourgeois	The Louisiana Forensic System (recap).
Aug 3	Thompson	Psychiatric Evaluations, Report Writing [Simon, The Forensic Examination and Report]
Aug 10	Kelly	History of the Insanity Defense [Rosner, Ch. 3, 25]
Aug 17	Thompson	Post-Hinckley Insanity Reforms [Rosner, Ch. 26]
Aug 24	Mattes 10-12	Criminal Procedure: "Bail to Jail" – Katherine Mattes <i>Attorney Lecture Series</i>
Aug 31	DeLand	Competence to Stand Trial (with Historical Perspectives), Competence to Enter a Plea and Testify, Voluntariness of Confessions [Rosner, 11, 24]
Sept 7	Keefe 10-12	The Law from 30,000 Feet; What Psychiatrists Need to Know about the Law – Brian Keefe
Sept 14	Nicholl	Violence and Epilepsy Head Trauma [Rosner, Ch. 60, 77]
Sept 21	Culver 10-12	Malingering: Part I* [Thompson, LeBourgeois, Black: Malingering]
Sep 28	Culver 10-12	Malingering: Part III
Oct 5	Mattes /	MOCK TRIAL with TULANE LAW 9AM-Noon

	LeBourgeois	
Oct. 12		<i>Institute on Psychiatric Services, New Orleans</i>
Oct. 19	DeLand	Testamentary Capacity and Geriatric Psychiatry [Rosner, Ch. 34, 35, 67]
Oct. 26		AAPL Meeting
Nov. 2	LeBourgeois	PTSD [Rosner, Ch. 32]
Nov. 9	Mire	Violence Risk Assessment Instruments: Part I [reading TBA]
Nov. 16	Mire	Violence Risk Assessment Instruments: Part II
Nov. 23		Thanksgiving Break
Nov. 30	Wilson	Confidentiality and Privilege * [Rosner, Ch. 18]
Dec 7	Thompson	Forensic Hypnosis, Amnesia, Amytal Interview, and Polygraphy [Rosner Ch. 65, 66]
Dec 14	LeBourgeois	Bias, Objectivity and the Expert Witness.
Dec 21		Christmas Break
Dec 28		New Year's Break
Jan 4	Winstead	Seclusion and Restraints * [Rosner, Ch. 58]
Jan 11	DeLand	Psychopharmacology of Aggressive Behavior [Rosner Ch. 59]
Jan 18	Hammond 10-12	Civil Commitment of Juveniles / Juvenile Competence to Stand Trial
Jan 25	Artecona	Forensic Aspects of Substance Abuse
Feb 1	Vyas	Approaches to Treatment of Incarcerated Persons; Suicide Prevention [Rosner, Ch. 50, 51]
Feb 5 9-11A†	Stanley/ Smith	Assessment of Sex Offenders [Rosner, Ch. 74, 79]
Feb 8	Artecona	Voluntary and Involuntary Hospitalization * [Rosner, 14, 15]
Feb 15	Bailey	Permanency Planning (Child Abuse and Neglect, Child Custody / Parental Competence) [Rosner, Ch. 36, 37, 38]
Feb 22	Mallik	Psychiatric Disability Determinations and Personal Injury Litigation [Rosner, 29, 30]
Feb 29	Thompson	Psychiatric Negligence and Malpractice, Professional Liability * [Rosner, Ch. 9, 20, 21, 28]
Mar 4 9-11A†	Stanley/ Smith	Treatment of Sex Offenders [Rosner, Ch. 71, 73]
Mar 7	Gandle	The Child as Witness [Rosner, Ch. 43]
Mar 14	Vyas	Physically and Sexually Abused Children; Adolescent sexual offenders [Rosner, 39, 45]
Mar 21		Good Friday
Mar 28	Wills	PTSD in Children; Suicide and Homicide in Children [Rosner, 41, 42]
Apr 4	Vyas	Juvenile Evaluations / Juvenile Delinquency / Violent Adolescent Offenders [Rosner, 40, 44]
April 11		French Quarter Symposium
April 18	Stanley	Stalking [Rosner, Ch. 76]
April 25	Soong	History of Correctional Psychiatry [Rosner, Ch. 47, 48, 49]
May 2	Snow	Crime Classification, Profiling, Psychological Autopsy [Rosner, Ch. 12]
May 9	Thompson	Right to Treatment, Right to Refuse Treatment, Informed Consent * [Rosner Ch 13, 16, 17]
May 16	Thompson	Video: The Trial of Jeffrey Dahmer
May 23	Bianchini	Forensic Neuropsychology [Rosner, Ch. 61, 62]

May 30	Bianchini	Forensic Neuropsychology
June 6	Thomas	Psychopathy and Dangerousness* [Rosner, 56, 57]
June 13	Thompson	Competence to be Executed [Rosner, Ch. 10]
June 20	Chen	Terrorism, Torture, and Brainwashing [Rosner, Ch. 68,69]

† Didactic to be held at ELMHS, Bienville Building.