



CASINO NIGHTS – HERE'S THE DEAL

SEPTEMBER 11-15, 2023 | GALVESTON, TX

Monday, September 11

7:30am **Registration For Participants** *GICC Foyer*

Sunrise **Fishing Tournament**

9:00am **Galveston County Jail Tours** *GICC Foyer*

8:30-11:30am PRE-CONFERENCE BREAKOUT SESSIONS

I Embracing & Navigating The Inconvenient Truths About Leadership *Grand Ballroom A*
Kimberly Miller

II TDCJ - Classification Overview *Grand Ballroom B*
Tim Fitzpatrick & Brittney Losack

III Human Resources (HR) Related Matters for Supervisors: A Guide to Hiring/Firing/Discipline and Supervision *Galleon I & II*
Lorie Floyd & Darren Jackson

IV Becoming a Person of Influence - Are You Building Sandcastles, or a Lasting Legacy? *Galleon III*
Mark Warren

V Crime Scene Response within the Correctional Facility *Yacht*
Renee Luna

Monday, September 11 *continued*

11:30am–1:00pm Lunch (On Your Own)

2:00pm **Galveston County Jail Tours**

GICC Foyer

1:00–4:00pm PRE-CONFERENCE BREAKOUT SESSIONS

I Managing Change: Becoming a Superhero at WORK! *Grand Ballroom A*
Nancy Baird

II Sensibly Navigating the Perilous Waters of Legal and Liability Concerns for Jails *Grand Ballroom B*
Thomas Kerss & Robert Davis

III Turning Conflict Into Conversation *Galleon I & II*
Kimberly Miller

IV The Essence of Professionalism, Diversity, and Valuing Differences *Galleon III*
Mark Warren

V Think Like Leader *Yacht*
Chris Champion

4:00–5:30pm **Welcome Reception & Opening of the Exhibits**

Exhibit Hall

Tuesday, September 12

7:30am–3:00pm **Exhibit Hall Open**

Exhibit Hall

7:30am **Registration for Participants**

GICC Foyer

8:00am **Welcome**

Grand Ballroom

8:30–11:30am KEYNOTE SESSION *Grand Ballroom*
**Personal Wellness:
You Are The Problem & The Solution**
Kimberly Miller

9:45–10:15am Break — Visit with Exhibitors

10:15–11:30am KEYNOTE SESSION (continued)

Grand Ballroom

11:00am–3:30pm **Blood Drive**

Schooner

11:30am–1:00pm Lunch (On Your Own)

Tuesday, September 12 *continued*

1:00–2:30pm **BREAKOUT SESSIONS** (choose one)

- I Small Jail Issues** *Grand Ballroom A*
Misty Diaz, Mike Starkey, Thomas Kerss,
Botie Hillhouse, Jason Jouett
- II The Importance of Why** *Grand Ballroom B*
Amy Blaustein
- III Autism Realities in Criminal Justice** *Galleon I & II*
Anne Jackson & Tres Jackson
- IV Is Your Inmate's Medical Emergency an Overdose?** *Galleon III*
CJ Glover
- V Destination Retirement** *Yacht*
Richard Ashcraft

2:30–3:00pm Break — Visit with Exhibitors

3:00–4:30pm **BREAKOUT SESSIONS** (repeated from 1:00pm)

Wednesday, September 13

7:30–10:30am **Exhibit Hall Open**

8:00am **Jail Administrator's Photo** *GICC Foyer*

8:15am **Sheriff's Photo** *GICC Foyer*

8:30–11:30am **BREAKOUT SESSIONS** (choose one)

- I Why They Leave...What Jailers Are Telling Us** *Grand Ballroom A*
Ray Scifres
- II Empathetic Leadership** *Grand Ballroom B*
Heath Crossland
- III The 21st Century Manager:
Leader, Coach, Teacher and Mentor** *Galleon I & II*
Nancy Baird

Wednesday, September 13 *continued*

IV DNA Collections and Cold Case Resolution

Orlando Salinas, Wende Wakeman, and Jennifer Pollock

Galleon III

V Leadership Motives

Ryan Braus

Yacht

11:30am–1:00pm Lunch (On Your Own)

1:00–4:00pm BREAKOUT SESSIONS (repeated from 8:00am)

Thursday, September 14

8:00am–9:30am BREAKOUT SESSIONS (choose one)

I Mental Health and Jails: Collaborative Cross-System Strategies to Support County Jails

Jennie Simpson and Liz Conville

Grand Ballroom A

II Hot Topics

Brandon Wood, Ricky Armstrong, Jason Jouett, Martin Arnold, Michael Gravitt, Mike Garrett, Todd Allen

Grand Ballroom B

III Crisis Negotiations in a Jail Setting

Jess Christensen

Galleon I & II

IV The Real Risk of Doing Nothing - Corrections Risk Management & The Inspection Process

Steven Wentrcek

Galleon III

V Preventing Sexual Harassment in the Workplace

Mario Cotton

Yacht

9:30–10:00am Break

10:00–11:30am BREAKOUT SESSIONS (choose one)

I Operant Conditioning: A Pathway to Violence and Redemption

Philip J. Swift

Grand Ballroom A

Thursday, September 14 *continued*

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| II The Stress of Life: Balance in the Workplace
Michael Buckley | <i>Grand Ballroom B</i> |
| III The Interdiction for the Protection of Children
Dedrick J. Wimberly | <i>Galleon I & II</i> |
| IV How to Prepare for Promotions and Interview Boards
Frances Dembowski & Edwardo Jackson | <i>Galleon III</i> |
| V The Burnout is REAL!
Jon Luna | <i>Yacht</i> |
| VI Stop the Bleed
Kristin Salinas, Melissa Jack, Katherine Samuel, Josh Yonker | <i>Schooner</i> |

11:30am–1:00pm Lunch (On Your Own)

1:00–2:30pm BREAKOUT SESSIONS (repeated from 8:00am)

2:30–3:00pm Break

3:00–4:30pm BREAKOUT SESSIONS (repeated from 10:00am)

7:00pm–12:00am **Casino Boogie**
Dinner, Casino Night and Cornhole

Grand Ballroom - GICC

Friday, September 15

8:30–11:30am CLOSING SESSION Drug Cartels, Gangs and the New Trends of Human Trafficking and Border Violence Ray Del Bosque	<i>Grand Ballroom at the San Luis Resort</i>
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