

EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE COMMITTEES

External Committees

Local Rules Advisory Committee

Experienced civil and criminal lawyers from throughout the district in both private and government practice serve on the Local Rules Advisory Committee. The committee studies and suggests amendments to the rules, and it also reviews and comments on local-rule amendments under consideration by the Court.

Donald J. Aho (Chair)

Ibrahim Berro

Alice K. Corker

Gerald L. Ewell, Jr.

Nakeisha Jackson

Jerry W. Laughlin

Leah McClanahan

Kyle J. Wilson

Jeffrey M. Ward

Katie Philyaw Grayson

Chris Field, *ex officio*

Kimberly Sarlo, *ex officio*

Committees on Attorney Admissions

A standing Committee on Attorney Admissions serves each division of the Court. Each committee reviews the qualifications of new applicants seeking admission in that division and reports to the Court pursuant to Local Rule 83.5.

Chattanooga

Harry R. Cash (Chair)

Ariel Anthony

Jenna W. Fullerton

Russell W. Gray

Zac H. Greene

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Steven M. Jacoway

John Jackson

C. Scott Johnson

Myrlene Marsa

Richard C. Rose

Steven E. Smith

Carrie A. Stefaniak

Travis R. Thompson

Greeneville

F. Braxton Terry (Chair)

E. Lynn Dougherty

Olen G. Haynes, Jr.

Corey Shipley

J. Russell Pryor

Bryce W. McKenzie

Knoxville

Wade E. Davies (Chair)

R. Kim Burnette

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Steve Cook

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Adam M. Priest

N. Craig Strand

Criminal Justice Act Panel-Selection Committees

A committee in each division reviews and considers applications from attorneys seeking to serve on the Criminal Justice Act Panel for that division. The committee also assesses whether attorneys will continue to serve on the CJA Panel.

Chattanooga

Hon. Charles E. Atchley, Jr.
(Chair)

Hon. Christopher H. Steger

Gianna Maio

Forrest Wallace

Daniel J. Ripper

Chris Field, *ex officio*

Kimberly Sarlo, *ex officio*

Greeneville

Hon. Clifton L. Corker
(Chair)

Hon. Cynthia R. Wyrick

Gianna Maio

Forrest Wallace

Corey B. Shipley

Chris Field, *ex officio*

Kimberly Sarlo, *ex officio*

Knoxville

Hon. Katherine A. Crytzer
(Chair)

Hon. Debra C. Poplin

Gianna Maio

Forrest Wallace

Rachel L. Wolf

Chris Field, *ex officio*

Kimberly Sarlo, *ex officio*

Court Technology Advisory Committee

Attorneys from across the district and from diverse practices serve on the Court Technology Advisory Committee. The committee advises the Court on how technology can most effectively promote the administration of justice; helps the Court devise policies governing the use of technology within the courthouses; and supports the Court's efforts to educate the bar concerning its use of technology.

David Disney (Chair)

Hon. Christopher H. Steger

John C. ("Jack") Burgin, Jr.

Michael Curtis Collins

Jeremy Dykes

Chris Field

Cameron Kuhlman

Lane E. McCarty

Clinton P. Sanko

LeAnna R. Wilson

Civics-Education and Outreach Committee

Representatives of the Court, bar associations, and practicing attorneys serve on the Court's Civics-Education and Outreach Committee to promote civics education, with a focus on the role and function of the federal judiciary in our democracy. The committee works to advance the civics-education mission set forth by the Sixth Circuit's Civics Education and Outreach Committee.

Hon. Curtis L. Collier (Chair)

Hon. Clifton L. Corker

Hon. Charles E. Atchley, Jr.

Hon. Katherine A. Crytzer

Hon. Debra C. Poplin

Hon. Suzanne H. Bauknight

Ashley G. Arnold

David Disney

LeAnna R. Wilson

Carrie A. Stefaniak

Jenifer Ferrell (Liaison)

Weldon E. Patterson (ABOTA)

FBA Chapter Presidents:

Travis Thompson

Emma Steel

Luke McLaurin

Internal Committees

Budget Committee

The Court's Budget Committee develops an annual spending plan, reviews special requests for expenditures, and ensures that expenditures are appropriate under the law.

District Court

Hon. Clifton L. Corker (Chair)	USDC
Hon. Travis R. McDonough	USDC
Hon. Debra C. Poplin	USDC
LeAnna R. Wilson	USDC
Chris Field	USDC
David Disney	USDC
Joyce Merrell	USDC

Probation

Hon. Clifton L. Corker (Chair)	USDC
Hon. Travis R. McDonough	USDC
Hon. Debra C. Poplin	USDC
Adrienne Simpson-Brown	TNEP
Karrie Evans	TNEP
Starr Rhodes	TNEP
David Sease	TNEP

Court Security Committee

The Court Security Committee considers security issues and makes recommendations about how to improve safety for the Court, its staff, and participants in court proceedings.

Hon. Thomas A. Varlan (Chair)	USDC
Hon. Suzanne H. Bauknight	USBC
Hon. Cynthia R. Wyrick	USDC
LeAnna R. Wilson	USDC
Christopher Call	USBC
Jeffrey Kestner	GSA
Trevor Erdmann	USMS
Damon Reynolds	FPS
Trey Hamilton	USAO
David Jolley	USMS
Paul Trask	USAO

ADR Programs Committee

This committee administers mediation and arbitration programs pursuant to LR 16.4 and 16.5.

Hon. Christopher H. Steger (Chair)

Hon. Jill E. McCook

Paul Sarlo

Kimberly Sarlo

Information Technology Committee

This committee facilitates training on new projects and technology and helps to disseminate related information throughout the Court and its staff.

Hon. Cynthia R. Wyrick (Chair)

LeAnna R. Wilson

Chris Field

David Disney

Amy Hickerson

David Sease

Travis R. Thompson

Detention Management Committee

This committee addresses issues related to pretrial detention in the Eastern District of Tennessee.

Hon. Michael J. Dumitru (Chair)	USDC
Hon. Jill E. McCook	USDC
Kimberly Wester	TNEP
Grace Rivera	USMS
Chris Field	USDC
Kyle Wilson	USAO
Gianna Maio	FDSET
Forrest Wallace	CJA
Rotating (<i>ex officio</i>)	USAO
Rotating (<i>ex officio</i>)	USAO
Rotating (<i>ex officio</i>)	FDSET

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FDSET

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CJA