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2018 MOCK TRIAL TEAM REGISTRATION FORM

Due with registration fee at the address below (postmarked) by October 2, 2017

Instructions: Complete the information below, including the following pages, and mail it along with the registration fee to the Mock Trial office. Please confirm the accuracy of all lines and make any necessary changes. Most communication will come through email with the Primary Teacher Coach, so please include a correct email address. Please keep a copy of this completed form for your records. All deadlines, registration procedures and fees apply.

Fees: **\$125** – If this form and registration fee is both postmarked by **October 2**.

\$225 – If this form and registration fee is postmarked **AFTER October 2**. Incurs \$100 late fee.

No team registration forms or fees will be accepted if postmarked AFTER NOVEMBER 1.

Payment: A check or money order should be made payable to the **State Bar of Georgia**. To pay by credit card, contact the Mock Trial office for instructions. No purchase orders accepted. Unless paying by credit card, the registration form must be submitted with payment—do not mail/fax separately. **Registration and/or late fees are non-refundable.**

MAKE CHECKS/MONEY ORDERS PAYABLE TO: *State Bar of Georgia*
MAIL FORM AND FEE TOGETHER TO: *Mock Trial Office; 104 Marietta Street NW, Suite 100; Atlanta, GA 30303*
Mock Trial Website: www.georgiamocktrial.org
QUESTIONS? *Contact State Coordinator Michael Nixon at 404/527-8779 or mocktrial@gabar.org*

TEAM INFORMATION SECTION

*Educational Institution: _____

**Team Name: _____ Mock Trial Team

School Street Address (no PO box): _____

City, State and Zip Code: _____

School Phone: _____

PRIMARY Teacher Coach: _____

PRIMARY Teacher Email: _____

PRIMARY Teacher Cell Phone: _____

Assistant Teacher(s) Name(s): _____

Assistant's Email(s): _____

Assistant's Cell Phone: _____

** All team members must be drawn from the educational institution listed above. The Team Member List for this team (with age data of ALL team members) must be submitted in advance of the regional competition, as required by the rules. The Team Roster/Code of Ethical Conduct form will be available on the website after 1 November and will be due at the competition site.*

*** Rule 7e prohibits team names containing these terms: school, high, academy, institute, campus or center.*

By completing all sections of this form and by submitting the registration fee, I hereby register the above team to participate in the 2017-2018 Georgia High School Mock Trial Competition. I have made members of my team and coaching staff, as well as the administration at my school, aware of competition dates at all levels of the Mock Trial competition. I hereby affirm that to my knowledge at this time, my team has no conflict with the published dates and will participate at each level of the competition as we are assigned and/or as we advance. Additionally, by registering the above team in this voluntary, extra-curricular activity during the 2017-2018 Mock Trial season, our team and coaches agree to abide by all competition rules, policies and the Code of Ethical Conduct as outlined in Rule 1(b) of the GHSMTTC Rules of the Competition.

Signature of Primary Teacher or Attorney Coach: _____

Continue to the second section of the team registration form on the next page...

ATTORNEY COACH INFORMATION SECTION

ALL TEAMS MUST INDICATE THE NAMES OF ALL CURRENT ATTORNEY COACHES FOR THIS TEAM.
NO TEAM WILL BE ALLOWED TO REGISTER FOR THE 2018 SEASON WITHOUT FIRST SECURING AT
LEAST ONE ATTORNEY COACH.

DO NOT SUBMIT YOUR TEAM'S REGISTRATION FORM WITHOUT PROVIDING CORRECT, UP-TO-DATE
ATTORNEY COACH INFORMATION IN THE SPACE BELOW. THANK YOU.

IF YOU HAVE DIFFICULTY FINDING AN ATTORNEY COACH, CONTACT THE MOCK TRIAL OFFICE BY
SEPTEMBER 22.

Indicate ALL attorney volunteers who have agreed to serve as a coach for your team. It is the responsibility of the team to recruit attorney assistance; however the Mock Trial office will facilitate communication between interested attorneys and teacher coaches by allowing interested teams to post contact information on our website. The Mock Trial office does not recruit or assign coaches to teams.

The primary attorney coach is the **PRIMARY SPONSOR** of a high school mock trial team in Georgia and **must** be a member in good standing of the **State Bar of Georgia** (*See Rule 7(b)*). Other coaches (including attorneys who are members in good standing with other state Bar associations, paralegals, law students, etc.) may assist under the supervision of the primary attorney coach. If additional attorney coaches are admitted in a state other than Georgia, please list the state and their Bar number below.

After registration, you will have another opportunity to amend/add to your coaching staff list with a special form that will be found on the HSMT website.

The following attorneys have agreed to serve as a coach for this mock trial team
(Please list full, proper/given names; no nicknames and no initials. Thank you!)

PRIMARY ATTORNEY COACH INFORMATION

Name: _____
SBG Bar Number: _____

(#2) ATTORNEY COACH INFORMATION

Name: _____
SBG Bar Number: _____

(#3) ATTORNEY COACH INFORMATION

Name: _____
SBG Bar Number: _____

(#4) ATTORNEY COACH INFORMATION

Name: _____
SBG Bar Number: _____

Continue to the final section of the team registration form on the next page...

2018 REGIONAL COMPETITION DATE & LOCATION SECTION

Indicate a PREFERRED Regional Competition Date/Location

The Mock Trial office will consider regional assignment requests on a first come/first served basis as one of the considerations in making assignments; those preferences will be ranked as team registration forms are received.

Indicate a "1" by your team's first choice of regional location/date and a "2" by your team's second choice. The Mock Trial office cannot guarantee that your team's first choice of date/location will be available by the time your team's registration form/fee is received, but we will make every effort to honor each team's request.

- _____ Region 1 (Albany) –Saturday, January 27
- _____ Region 2 (Athens) – Saturday, January 27
- _____ Region 3 (Atlanta) – Saturday, January 27
- _____ Region 5 (Cartersville) – Saturday, January 27
- _____ Region 6 (Dalton) – Saturday, January 27
- _____ Region 7 (Decatur) – Saturday, January 27
- *** _____ ***Region 8 (Jonesboro) ***– Friday evening & Saturday, January 26 & 27
- _____ Region 9 (Lawrenceville) – Friday evening & Saturday, January 26 & 27
- _____ Region 10 (Macon) – Saturday, January 27
- _____ Region 11 (Marietta) – Saturday, January 27
- _____ Region 12 (McDonough) – Saturday, January 27
- _____ Region 13 (Douglasville) – Saturday, January 27
- _____ Region 14 (Savannah) – Saturday, January 27
- _____ *** Region 16 (Atlanta) *** – Rounds 1 & 2: Sunday afternoon, January 28
Final Round: Tuesday evening, January 30
- _____ Region 17 (Cumming) – Friday evening & Saturday, January 26 & 27
- _____ Region 19 (Valdosta) – Saturday, January 27

*** Competition Rounds will be held on Sunday afternoons (no earlier than noon) at the Regional level (Region 16 only) and at the District level (involving Region 8 and Region 16). Teams with an established publicized school policy prohibiting organized school activities on Sundays should **not** request Region 8 (Jonesboro) if the District competition schedule creates a conflict with this policy.

Team travel at the regional level is **NOT SUBSIDIZED** by the Mock Trial office, except as provided for participation in Region 16 for teams volunteering to travel more than 85 miles to the Region site. Information is posted on our website regarding the competition policies related to Region 16.

Georgia HSMTC District Competitions

The District level competitions will be held the weekend of **Saturday, February 17, 2018** at locations around the state. (The District Competition for Region 8 (Jonesboro) and Region 16 (Atlanta) will take place on a Thursday/Sunday schedule.) More detailed information regarding Districts will be posted to our website, will be published in the Coaches' Manual (by October 1) and will be provided to teams advancing to the District level after the Regional competitions conclude in late January.

Georgia HSMTC State Finals Tournament

The State Finals tournament will be held **Saturday, March 3, 2018** at the Gwinnett Justice Center in Lawrenceville. More detailed information regarding State will be posted to our website, will be published in the Coaches' Manual (by October 1) and will be provided to teams advancing to the State level after the District competitions conclude in mid-February.

National High School Mock Trial Championship

The National High School Mock Trial Championship will be held the weekend of **May 10-12, 2017** in **Reno, Nevada**. Participation by the Georgia State Champion team in the national tournament is VOLUNTARY. The Georgia High School Mock Trial Committee reserves the right to recognize the state finalist team to represent the program at nationals should the State Champion team be unable to participate for any reason. More detailed information regarding Nationals is provided online, will be published in the Coaches' Manual (by October 1) and will be provided to the State Champion team after State Finals in March.

***Please submit all three completed pages of this registration for with the registration fee.
Thank you!***



The Georgia High School Mock Trial Competition is a project of the Young Lawyers Division of the State Bar of Georgia

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