



**SUPREME COURT OF ILLINOIS JUDICIAL COLLEGE
COMMITTEE ON TRIAL COURT ADMINISTRATOR EDUCATION (TCAE) ROSTER**

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Circuit Court of Cook County

50 W. Washington Street, Rm. 2005 | Chicago, IL 60602

June 30, 2028 (Chair & Member)

Hon. Daniel Emge, Vice-Chair

Chief Circuit Judge

Twenty-Fourth Judicial Circuit

Washington County Courthouse

125 Elm Street | Nashville, IL 62263

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Suzanne Armstrong

Trial Court Administrator

Eighteenth Judicial Circuit

DuPage County Courthouse

505 N. County Farm Road

Wheaton, IL 60187

June 30, 2026

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Trial Court Administrator

Twelfth Judicial Circuit

Will County Courthouse

14 W. Jefferson Street, #439

Joliet, IL 60432

June 30, 2027

Molly Caughlan

Court Administrator

Eighth Judicial Circuit

Pike County Courthouse

100 E. Washinton Street

Pittsfield, IL 62363

June 30, 2028

Gabe McLeod

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Tenth Judicial Circuit

Peoria County Courthouse

324 Main Street

Peoria, IL 61602

June 30, 2028

Hon. John T. Gibbons

Associate Judge

Seventeenth Judicial Circuit

Winnebago County Courthouse

400 W. State Street

Rockford, IL 61101

June 30, 2026

John Murry

Trial Court Administrator

First Judicial Circuit

Williamson County Courthouse

200 W. Jefferson Street

Marion, IL 62959

June 30, 2028

Lori Hansen

Court Administrator

Sixth Judicial Circuit

101 E. Main Street

Urbana, IL 61802

June 30, 2027

Hon. Jorge Ortiz

Circuit Judge

Nineteenth Judicial Circuit

Lake County Courthouse

18 N. County Street

Waukegan, IL 60085

June 30, 2027



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Eleventh Judicial Circuit
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June 30, 2027

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Circuit Court of Cook County
2600 S. California, Rm. 101
Chicago, IL 60608
June 30, 2027

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Twenty-Second Judicial Circuit
McHenry County Government Center
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Woodstock, IL 60098
June 30, 2026

Hon. Carla E. Wheeler

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Eleventh Judicial Circuit
McLean County Law & Justice Center
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