



# National Association of Blacks in Criminal Justice

2020 National Training Institute

Royal Sonesta at New Orleans, Louisiana

July 12- July 16, 2020

**Sunday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm**

*The Road to Successful Reentry*

**Pryor, Divine**

President/CEO, Peoples Police Academy

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**Monday 10:15 am - 12:15 pm**

*Self Empowerment: Managing From Within*

**Amison, Jennie**

Offender Workforce Development Specialist, Virginia Department Of Corrections

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*The Minority Report: Collateral Consequences of Drug Policies in Vulnerable Communities*

**Drake, Jasmine**

Assistant Professor, Texas Southern University

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*Getting Back to Business: Re-Integrating Formerly Incarcerated into the Workforce Successfully*

**Garnes, Charlotte**

CEO, Innovative Staffing Solutions

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*CSEC: Using Therapeutic Arts For Engagement & Healing*

**Houston, Meredith Harper**

Founder/Executive Director, The Swan Within: Healing Through Ballet

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*Dying While Black*

**McGirt, Ashley**

Mental health therapist, speaker, author, McGirt Counseling & Services LLC

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*Black Lives Matter*

**Owens, Rafer**

Deputy, L.A.County Sheriff Dept. Compton

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**Monday 1:15 pm - 3:15 pm**

*Overcoming Adversity: Living Within Your Gift and Helping Others Do the Same*

**Chambers-Smith, Annette**

Director, Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction

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*Restorative Practices: Restoring One Soul at a Time*

**Edmonds, Wendy M.**

Assistant Professor, Bowie State University

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*(1)“NABCJ Improving Criminal Justice by Using the Three R’s-Review, Restructure and Reform”*



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*Future Leaders in the Criminal Justice Systems*

**Hampton, E Ronald**

Law Enforcement Officer, Retired, Law Enforcement

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*Bringing Innovation Into Your Workforce: How Hiring Formerly Incarcerated Citizens Gives Your Business An Edge*

**Lowe, Nzinga V.**

Founder and President, Global Women Empower

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*MTM Experience "Walk A Month" in the Life of a Returning Citizen*

**Murphy, Sheila**

Chief Mobilizer, Mission to Mobilization LLC

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**Monday 1:15 pm - 3:15 pm**

*The Intersectionality of Trauma and Mental Health*

**Turner, Robin**

Lead Organizer, Ohio Organizing Collaborative

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**Monday 3:30 pm – 5:30 pm**

*Success Focused Leadership*

**Ashe, William**

Owner/CEO, DOTEI, LLC

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**Monday 3:30 pm – 5:30 pm**

*Ban The Box/Fair Chances in Higher Education: Local Movement Building Strategies and Support*

**Davis, Zaria**

Policy Specialist, Operation Restoration

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*East Coast Bloods*

**Duke, Michael**

Statewide Gang Unit Coordinator, Virginia Department Of Corrections

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*Of Crimes and Punishments: The Corruption of Officers*

**Nance-Bush, LaSheria**

Law Enforcement Officer, Forensic Investigator, Lone Star College Police Department

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**Monday 3:30 pm – 5:30 pm**

*Correcting Cultural Astigmatism: Using the Science of Emotional Intelligence in the Criminal Justice System*

**Perkins, Robert K.**

Associate Professor, Norfolk State University

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**Monday 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm**

*Recognizing and Learning How to End Domestic Violence Workshop*

**Sharps, Sylvia**

President, Worldwide Community Alliance, Inc.

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**Tuesday 10:15am- 12:15 pm**

*The Boomerang Effect*

**Bowie State University: Student Chapter of NABCJ**

Executive Board, Bowie State University

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*Concrete Methods for Advancing Equity and Opportunity for People Impacted by the Criminal Justice System*

**Boyd, Lettisha**

Associate Director of Technical Assistance, College and Community Fellowship

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**Tuesday 10:15am- 12:15 pm**

*Transformation Collage*

**DiOrion-Rooney, Kimberly**

CREATORS Trainer, PeaceLove Studios

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**Tuesday 10:15 am - 12:15 pm**

*Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion (LEAD): Centering Law Enforcement in the Criminal Justice Reform*

*Movement*

**Morris, Najja**

Director, LEAD National Support Bureau, Public Defender Association

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*Who's Looking Out for Me?*

**Mumuni, Titilayo**

Correctional Officer, Ohio Reformatory for women (ORW)

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*Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI): A Strategic Approach for the Institutionalization of Inclusion and Equity In Correctional Organizations, and the Populations We Serve*

**Robinson, Denise M.**

President/CEO, Alvis, Inc.

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*New Justice, New Peace: A 21st Century Approach to Policing*

**Bulluck, Jesse**

Graduate Student, North Carolina Central University

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**Tuesday 1:15 pm-3:15 pm**

*Making History*

**Christian, Carlos**

President, The Starts Within Organization

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**Tuesday 1:15 pm-3:15 pm**

*How Black People Train Police*

**Pratt-Harris, Natasha C.**

Associate Professor and Criminal Justice Program Coordinator, Morgan State University

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**Tuesday 1:15 pm-3:15 pm**

*Transforming Juvenile Justice Through Enhanced Curriculum: Lessons Learned from Participation in the Quality Education for Minorities (QEM) Network HBCU Cohort, Expert Roundtable Discussions and the Student Experience*

**Rice II, Johnny**

Assistant Professor, Coppin State University, College of Behavioral and Social Sciences, Department of Criminal Justice

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**Tuesday 1:15 pm-3:15 pm**

*Effective Juvenile Justice Practices - Unique Programs for Unique Youth*

**Taylor, Roger**

Probation Services Manager, Dallas County Juvenile Department

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*Understanding Adverse Childhood Experiences and Resiliency Scores*

**Washington, Frances**

Owner-- Training Specialist, Country Mile Productions, LLC

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**Tuesday 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm**

*Exodus Planner - A Modern Approach to Reentry*

**Dickson, Kevin**

Director of Justice Agency Engagement, The Securus Foundation

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*Warning: Kids See Everything!*

**Hernandez, Katia**

Juvenile Supervision Officer, Fort Bend County Juvenile Detention

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*The Gentrification of HBCUs: Is the Uniqueness Gone?*

**Okere, Gloria**

Rehab Clinician, The Harris Center

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*Why Law Enforcement Should Oppose Menthol Bans*

**Pegues, Corey**

Deputy Inspector (Fmr.), New York Police Department

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*JUSTICE, or Just Us? A Reflection of the Past 50 years of the Criminal Punishment System and What Practitioners Can Do About It*

**Taifa, Nkechi**

Convener, Justice Roundtable

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**Tuesday 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm**

*Incarcerated Fathers Have Families too: FREE Resources and Tips from the National Responsible Fatherhood Clearinghouse (NRFCH) on Staying Connected*

**Worthy, James**

Outreach Lead, National Responsible Fatherhood Clearinghouse

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**Wednesday 8:00 am – 10:00 am**

*Building Statewide Partnerships to Integrate EBPIs into Communities and Reentry Systems Across Ohio*

**Baker, Dennis A.**

Executive Director, Mansfield Urban Minority Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Outreach Program (UMADAOP)

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**Wednesday 8:00 am – 10:00 am**

*Ready, Set, Work: Empowering*

**Day-Davis, Sheryl**

Chief Consultant, Reach One Re-entry Programming Consultants

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*"The War Hidden in Plain Sight"*

**Liggins, Janice**

Executive Director, The Clarion Call

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*Post Traumatic Prison. Disorder Shawanna W76337*

**Shawanna Vaughn**

Director, Silent Cry Inc

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*Understanding Your Federal Benefits/Retirement Training*  
**Tarkington, Michael**  
Retired Deputy Chief of Benefits, Federal Bureau of Prison

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*Leadership Development*  
**Thornton, Andre**  
Keynote speaker, Whitman Consulting

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**Wednesday 10:15am- 12:15 pm**

*School To Prison: How Did We Get Here?*  
**James, Tatianna**  
Student, North Carolina Central University

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*Mental Health and Teen Depression - Is it in their DNA?*  
**Jones, Robin**  
Sr. Partner, Children's Advocacy Center

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*Transformative Reentry During/After Prison, Probation, and Parole*  
**Kearse, Randy**  
Founder, Reentry Strategies

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*Improving Criminal Justice through Correctional Education for Returning Citizens*  
**Lee, Tomi**  
Regional Tester and Evaluator, VADOC

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*PREA Staffing Plan 2.0 - How to Ensure Your PREA Staffing Plan is Audit-Ready*  
**Wheeler, Ramona**  
Managing Director/PREA Coordinator, Alvis, Inc.

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**Wednesday 1:30 pm – 3:30 pm**

*PeaceLove Expressive Arts*  
**Butler, Tresalyn**  
Deputy Sheriff, Franklin County Sheriff's Office

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*Community Justice: On Being Made Whole*  
**Harris, David J**  
Managing director, Charles Hamilton Houston Institute for Race and Justice at Harvard Law School

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*: Restoring Public Trust in Law Enforcement*  
**Potters, Bobby A**  
Assistant Professor, University of Indianapolis

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*Are We Training Our Staff to Fail; Revisioning Staff Development Training*  
**Shuford, John A**  
Training Coordinator, Collaborative Resolution Services, Inc.

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*Bulletproof Spirit: Trauma, PTSD, and the Process of Healing*  
**Willis, Dan**  
Captain (ret), La Mesa Police (CA)

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