

2020 Self-Represented Litigant (SRL) Service Provider Summit

January 31, 2020 – St. Bernard, LA

Who: The summit is presented by the Louisiana Access to Justice Commission and the Louisiana District Judges Association. All state judges, clerks of court, judicial administrators, law clerks, legal aid and local bar organizations, and other “Access to Justice Partners” are invited to attend.

What: Sessions will provide resources and direct assistance to courts and organizations serving self-represented litigants. This includes a review of best-practices, distributable materials, training resources, new technologies, form templates, and much more.

Where: Jackson Barracks (6400 St. Claude Ave. New Orleans, LA 70117)

When: Friday January 31, 2020 10 -3.30pm
(Lunch provided)

Why: Self-represented litigants appear in every municipal and district court in Louisiana. Serving these people without providing advice can be tricky for court staff. Similarly, an increasing number of people are confused after purchasing invalid forms online or from a local notary. This summit will display the innovative programming currently in place in Louisiana to assist the public, delve into common hurdles faced by these programs, highlight the many free and reliable resources available to courts and the public, and improve coordination and communication among local and statewide service providers.

TOPICS INCLUDE:

- Standardized Forms, Brochures, and other Distributable Materials
- Public Library Partnerships
- Websites, Apps, and other Technologies
- Training Resources
- Self-Help Center Best Practices
- English as a Second Language
- Remote Statewide Services
- Issues e.g. domestic violence
- Vulnerable populations e.g. veterans
- *In Forma Pauperis*

- *and much more!*

Space is limited!
Reserve your spot today
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