

#### Membership Eligibility

Any person involved with or interested in judicial branch education is eligible for membership in NASJE.

Members in good standing have one vote in NASJE affairs, can hold office in the organization, attend meetings, serve on committees and participate in discussions at meetings.

Membership dues are set by the Board. Current rates are posted at nasje.org.

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## OUR MISSION

The National Association of State Judicial Educators (NASJE) advances the administration of justice by providing support, education, and resources to educators who develop quality continuing education for judicial officers and judicial branch personnel.

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In advancing the administration of justice through excellence in judicial branch education.

## WHAT IS NASJE?

The National Association of State Judicial Educators (NASJE) is a member-based association that strives to improve the justice system through judicial branch education.

Founded in 1975 as a non-profit, NASJE is a leader in defining the practice of judicial branch education and in gathering and sharing resources among educators.

NASJE's purpose includes the following:

- Furthering the professional education, growth, and experience of judicial branch educators.
- Developing standards for the professional development of judges and court staff.
- Maintaining a clearinghouse for the exchange of materials, techniques, and information.
- Providing a forum for the development of progressive theories of judicial education.
- Promoting judicial education research and development.
- Representing and advancing the interests of judicial education providers.



### WHY JOIN NASJE?

NASJE's membership includes judicial branch educators and others interested in judicial branch education.

There are many benefits to joining NASJE including the following:

#### **Annual Conference**

The annual NASJE conference is designed to give judicial branch educators the tools to develop effective and exciting education programs in their states. While each conference is somewhat different, all offer opportunities for learning, exploring, analyzing, and networking.

#### <u>Website</u>

Connect to a large number of internet resources of interest and value to members @www.nasje.org.

- Member's Only Site- Members have access to additional web resources including conference materials, program templates, and faculty information.
- Resources NASJE's series of curriculum designs in 12 core competencies can be found on the website, along with a link to the Judicial Education Reference, Information and Technical Transfer (JERITT) Project monographs which address fundamental theories of adult education and their application to the judicial branch.
- NASJE News This online professional journal for members is an ever-expanding resource. It provides project ideas from other educators, substantive articles on adult education theory and practice, news updates, opinion pieces, product reviews, and much more.

#### **Networking and Collaborating**

NASJE offers national list serves and webinars, regional online meetings and training sessions and opportunities to network at the annual conference. NASJE supports other electronic networking through online tools such as LinkedIn and the Judicial Educators Group on Facebook. In addition, members call on each other for information and advice, developing professional relationships and friendships with colleagues who understand the challenges of their profession.

#### **Mentors for New Members**

NASJE matches experienced judicial branch educators with new members to help them navigate the challenges of their new positions and introduce them to the benefits of NASJE.

#### **NASJE Listserve**

The listserve allows members to receive and send communications to judicial educators throughout the United States and internationally. Inquiries cover topics such as prospective faculty, training topics, the latest news on technology and distance learning ,and curriculum development.

#### Service & Leadership

NASJE members offer valuable services to the judicial community by serving on standing and special committees. Opportunities range from annual conference planning to curriculum development to fundraising. Leadership opportunities are available through service as a committee chair or elected position on the NASJE Board. More information is available on the NASJE website.