



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

2009 Legislative Staff Training Program

SESSION 2

POLICY ANALYSIS AND LEGISLATING

AGENDA

Session Moderators: Russ Whitesel and John Stolzenberg, Legislative Council

Room 412 East
State Capitol

Monday
February 9, 2009

- 1:00 p.m. INTRODUCTION TO TODAY'S SESSION:
- Skills focus:
 - ◆ Assisting legislators in preparing, reviewing, and acting on legislation.
 - ◆ Assisting legislators in reviewing administrative rules.
 - ◆ Research, resources, and gathering of information.
- 1:05 p.m. PARTS OF A BILL AND BASIC QUESTIONS TO ASK IN REVIEWING A BILL OR RULE:
- Terry C. Anderson, Director, Legislative Council.
- 1:20 p.m. LEGISLATING -- FOLLOW A BILL:
- Workshop on "How a Bill Becomes a Law."
[Moderator: Mary Matthias, Senior Staff Attorney, Legislative Council.]
- 2:30 p.m. BREAK.
- 2:45 p.m. ADMINISTRATIVE RULES PROMULGATION:
[Moderator: Ronald Sklansky, Senior Staff Attorney, Legislative Council.]
- 3:10 p.m. POLICY ANALYSIS:
- Information resources and research tips.
[Moderator: Scott Grosz, Staff Attorney, Legislative Council.]
- 3:40 p.m. SESSION WRAP-UP:
- Additional questions.
- 3:45 p.m. ADJOURNMENT.