

Court Interpreter Training and Certification Testing

2010 SCHEDULE

<u>Date</u>	<u>Workshop or Exam</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Registration Fee</u>
May 7 & 8	Court Interpreter Orientation Workshop for All Languages (<i>pre-requisite to the written screening exam, the skill-building workshop, and the certification exam</i>)	Ada County Courthouse in Boise	\$100.00 (Idaho resident) \$200.00 (out-of-state)
June 25	Written Screening Exam for All Languages (<i>pre-requisite to the skill-building workshop and certification exam</i>)	Boise, Coeur d'Alene, Pocatello, and Twin Falls	\$50.00 (Idaho resident) \$100.00 (out-of-state)
July 23 & 24 and August 13 & 14	Court Interpreter Skill-Building Workshop for the Spanish Language (<i>enrollment limited to 20 participants</i>)	Ada County Courthouse in Boise	\$250.00 (Idaho resident) \$500.00 (out-of-state)* *Due to limited enrollment, Idaho residents will be given first preference for registration.
September 3	Phase I: Certification Exam for the Spanish Language: Simultaneous Interpreting	Idaho Supreme Court Building in Boise	\$100.00 (Idaho resident) \$250.00 (out-of-state)
October 1	Certification Exam for Languages Other than Spanish: Oral Exam on the Three Modes of Interpreting	Idaho Supreme Court Building in Boise	\$200.00 (Idaho resident) \$500.00 (out-of-state)
October 15	Phase II: Certification Exam for the Spanish Language: Sight Translation and Consecutive Interpreting	Idaho Supreme Court Building in Boise	\$100.00 (Idaho resident) \$250.00 (out-of-state)

All court interpreters and those interested in court interpretation are strongly encouraged to pursue certification by attending the orientation workshop, taking the written screening exam, and taking the certification exam. If an individual speaks a language for which there currently is no certification exam, it is strongly recommended that the individual attend the orientation workshop and take the written screening exam.

The workshops are sponsored by the Idaho Supreme Court, the United States District Court for the District of Idaho, and Ada County District Court. The Administrative Office of the Courts, through its membership in the Consortium for State Court Interpreter Certification, has access to certification exams for the following languages:

Arabic, Modern (<i>Sight & Simultaneous only</i>)	Hmong	Russian
Arabic, Egyptian (<i>Consecutive only</i>)	Ilocana	Somali
Cantonese	Korean	Spanish
French	Laotian	Turkish (<i>abbreviated Exam</i>)
Haitian-Creole	Mandarin	Vietnamese
	Polish	
	Portuguese	

To register for the orientation workshop and the written screening exam, please submit the appropriate registration form (attached) to Kim Woods; c/o Administrative Office of the Courts; Idaho Supreme Court; P.O. Box 83720; Boise, Idaho 83720-0101; or FAX to (208) 947-7416. Please contact Kim Woods with any questions at (208) 947-7417 or kwoods@idcourts.net. To obtain additional information about the program, please see the Idaho Supreme Court website located at www.isc.idaho.gov.

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REGISTRATION FORM

Registration deadline: April 16, 2010

Name: _____

Address: _____

Street Address or P.O. Box

City, State, and Zip Code

Phone Number: _____ **Language:** _____

E-mail: _____

Programs:

Cost:

- May 7 and 8 / Orientation Workshop (Boise) \$100.00*
- June 25 / Written Screening Exam (Boise, Coeur d'Alene, Pocatello, Twin Falls) \$50.00*
- (Please circle choice of city above where you prefer to sit for the written exam)

*The cost listed above is for Idaho residents. Please see the 2010 Schedule for out-of-state registration fee amounts.

Amount Enclosed:

\$

Make checks payable to the Idaho Supreme Court. Please send check and registration form to:

Idaho Court Interpreter Program
Administrative Office of the Courts
Idaho Supreme Court
P.O. Box 83720
Boise, Idaho 83720-0101

Registration form and **non-refundable** payment is due no later than **April 16, 2010**.

You will receive a confirmation letter and additional information in advance of the orientation workshop and the written screening exam. Candidates who pass the written screening exam will be given an opportunity to register for the skill-building workshop and the certification exam. Please contact Kim Woods with any questions at (208) 947-7417 or kwoods@idcourts.net.