



***WESTERN REGION JAIL ASSOCIATION  
27TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE & VENDOR FAIR***

October 3-4, 2023  
Holiday Inn Valley View  
Roanoke, Virginia

Lunches Provided by WRJA

Registration Fee of \$10 Per Day, Per Attendee

**TRAINING SESSIONS:**

**Tuesday- October 3, 2023**

**Session 1**

Instructor- Capt. Joseph Thacker-Deputy Director New River Criminal Justice Training Academy  
Topic- Leading and Teaching a Young Generation, Part One

**Session 2**

Instructor- Capt. Joseph Thacker-Deputy Director New River Criminal Justice Training Academy  
Topic- Leading and Teaching a Young Generation, Part Two

**Wednesday- October 4, 2023**

**Session 1**

Instructor- Commonwealth Attorney, Pulaski County, VA  
Topic- Legal Updates

**Session 2**

Instructor- Michael Fatula, Statewide Substance Use Disorder Program Manager for the Virginia Department of Corrections (VADOC)  
Topic- Chasing the Dragon: The Disease of Addiction - MAT in Corrections

**SPECIAL EVENTS:**

- Pig Pickin' and Casino Night – October 3, 2023
- Women in Corrections Breakfast – October 4, 2023
- 21<sup>st</sup> Annual Robert H. Denham Golf Tournament – October 2, 2023

Register online at: [www.mywrja.org](http://www.mywrja.org)  
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