

2025 Elder Abuse Roundtable Speaker Biographies

Andrew Booth

Bath Police Chief Andrew Booth began his career at Bath Police Department in 2002. He has held the rank of patrol officer, patrol corporal, detective, detective sergeant, deputy chief, and now chief. He is a military veteran, having retired as a Lieutenant Colonel after serving 24 years in the Army National Guard, including two overseas combat deployments. As a law enforcement officer, Chief Booth has participated in a number of investigations working alongside Adult Protective Services, financial institutions, and medical professionals on a variety of different types of elder abuse topics. Chief Booth is a member of his local area's TRIAD organization and Co-chair of the Maine Council for Elder Abuse Prevention.

Ed Myslik

Ed Myslik has over 35 years of experience in the consumer credit industry with a specialization in mortgage lending and mortgage servicing. Over the past two years, one of Ed's primary areas of focus has been the investigation of cases involving elderly consumers who have been the victims of scams involving crypto currency, including crimes that have been facilitated through Bitcoin ATM machines. Ed has been an examiner with the Bureau of Consumer Credit Protection since 2011.

Tracy Thompson

Tracy Thompson manages the Attorney General's Consumer Information & Mediation Service, which provides information to consumers about Maine consumer law and resources, and also accepts complaints from consumers regarding fraud, identity theft, and scams. The Service also provides a free, voluntary, non-binding mediation service to try to resolve consumer complaints, with the help of voluntary mediators working with Attorney General staff. With the assistance of Tracy and her team of four Assistant Complaint Examiners, the Mediation Service results in approximately \$500,000 refunded to consumers every year. Prior to becoming the Consumer Information & Mediation Service supervisor (Complaint Examiner) in 2019, Tracy was an Assistant Complaint Examiner in the program for seven years.

Debbie Whalen

Debbie began her career at Maine Savings (formerly Barco Federal Credit Union) in 1998 as Head Teller. Her dedication and leadership have led her to serve in various roles, including Assistant Vice President and Vice President. Currently, she is VP of Fraud Mitigation, where she researches and analyzes fraud trends to protect members and works closely with victims, offering compassionate support and guidance.

With over 45 years of banking experience, Debbie was the first recipient of the Cecil C. Porter Award in 2005, recognizing her exceptional service and performance. She lives in Searsport with her husband and mother, cherishing time with their three children and six grandchildren, and enjoys traveling throughout Maine with family and friends.

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