

DEATH PENALTY ACTION

Advisory for May 25, 2023 at 10am CDT

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Oklahoma Investigator To Detail Evidence of Innocence of Anthony Sanchez (Execution date 9/21/23) Victim Family Member Witnessed Last Oklahoma Execution, Now Calls For Abolition

Oklahoma City - David Ballard, President of Valour Investigations LLC, of Norman, will detail the results of investigations he has personally conducted, including alternative DNA interpretation as well as multiple other issues, which leads him to assert the innocence of Anthony Sanchez, who is scheduled to be executed in Oklahoma on September 21, 2023 in revenge for his alleged 1996 murder of Juli Buskin. This presentation will take place in a press conference in the rotunda on the second floor of the Oklahoma State Capitol at 10am CDT on Thursday, May 25, 2023. This event will officially launch the #FreeAnthonySanchez campaign, whose goal is exactly that: Halt the execution and free an innocent man who has been on Oklahoma's death row nearly 20 years for a crime he did not commit.

The event will be live streamed via Zoom. [Click here to register.](#)

Also Participating or Present:

- Lyndsey Barnett, Granddaughter of the victims (The Cantrells) of the last person executed, Scott Eizember. She witnessed the execution of the killer of her grandparents, for whom there is no question of his guilt, and is now calling for a halt to all executions.
- Abraham Bonowitz, Executive Director, Death Penalty Action
- Rev. Dr. Jeff Hood, Anthony Sanchez's Spiritual Advisor, covener of Clergy United Against the Death Penalty and head of the #FreeAnthonySanchez campaign
- Multiple family members and friends of Anthony Sanchez

Additional information is at
<https://www.freeanthonysanchez.org>

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