

## PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENT

The Advocacy Institute Is Pleased to Present

## Harry Potter and the Lawyers' Curse

December 8, 2021 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

## WEBINAR

### Program Summary

Twenty years ago, the world first met Harry Potter. Although at that time, young Harry was living under a staircase, over the next ten years Muggles everywhere watched him grow up to be the Rules of Professional Conduct's "citizen with a special responsibility for the quality of justice." In this program, travel with the young wizard through J.K. Rowling's popular series and encounter Harry's lessons on rules, justice, forgiveness, honor, and the magic in practicing law.

With humor and insight, Professor Greg Randall Lee analogizes lawyers to wizards and explains:

- How we can use our "magic" to make the word a better place.
- Why words matter.
- Why no opportunity to do good should ever be wasted.
- Why lawyers bear responsibility for community.
- Why we should be inspired by others, but also be a source of inspiration.
- Why we should be personally involved in our clients' matters, but not take things personally.
- Why we should stand with people who have no one else to stand with them and understand that the world you save, is a world worth saving.
- Why the mechanisms of justice should be used as a means to restore, rather than to extract revenge.

#### Eligibility

This program is open to attorneys in the Department of Law and Public Safety and county prosecutors' offices. Registrants will receive the course materials prior to the program date.

#### Faculty

**Professor Greg Randall Lee** teaches Constitutional Law, Professional Responsibility, and Torts at the Widener University Commonwealth School of Law in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. He has been selected as Widener's Outstanding Law Professor by both students and alumni. Professor Lee has served as the chair of both the Association of American Law Schools' Section on Professional Responsibility and the law school subcommittee of the Pennsylvania Bar Association Professionalism Committee. He has given over three hundred talks in a host of different forums and published over 50 law-related articles. He holds an undergraduate degree from Butler University and a J.D. from Harvard Law School.

#### CLE Credit

**NJ CLE Credit:** This program has been approved by the Board on Continuing Legal Education of the Supreme Court of New Jersey for 2.0 hours of Alternative Verifiable Learning Format (AVF) total CLE credit. Of these, 2.0 qualify as hours of credit for ethics/professionalism.

#### Registration

Those who are eligible to apply should use the Zoom Webinar registration link in the Program Announcement email. Students who are registered will receive a confirmation email with a link to access the program.

# Students must download Zoom before the webinar in order for the AGAI to record polling responses that are required for attendance verification and CLE credit.

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