

PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENT

The Advocacy Institute Is Pleased to Present

Defending Inmate Appeals

March 6, 2023 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

WEBINAR

Program Summary

This course will provide an introduction to defending inmate-filed civil appeals of final actions of the Department of Corrections. The presenter will discuss pertinent regulations and detail the components of defending inmate appeals, including the Statement of Items Comprising the Record, opposition briefs and appendices.

Eligibility

Registration for this program is limited to Deputy and Assistant Attorneys General in the State Police, Employment & Corrections Section of the Division of Law.

Faculty

DAG Christopher Josephson is a member of the State Police, Employment and Corrections Section in the Division of Law, where he represents the Department of Corrections and the State Parole Board in defending inmate appeals. He has also handled inmate litigation in the federal courts. DAG Josephson previously served as a clerk in in the Monmouth and Mercer County Superior Courts. He was a judicial clerk to the Honorable F. Patrick McManimon. DAG Josephson holds a B.A. in political science from the University of Delaware and a J.D. from Rutgers Law School, Camden.

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 1.2 hours of Alternative Verifiable Learning Format (AVF) total CLE credit. Of these, 1.2 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.

The AGAI will be unable to verify attendance or grant CLE credit to students who have not downloaded Zoom before the webinar.