



PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENT

The Advocacy Institute Is Pleased to Present

Criminal Code Issues

**October 10, 2024
2:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.**

WEBINAR

Program Summary

This interactive seminar will teach students how to analyze cases at the investigatory stage, the charging stage, and the trial stage. Students will learn both how to spot issues and the proper method for handling them. They will be presented with hypotheticals with changing fact patterns to expand their ability to analyze cases. The program will also feature real life examples from the presenter's experience as a prosecutor.

Eligibility

This program is mandatory for new assistant prosecutors and Division of Criminal Justice deputies hired after October 2023 who have been selected to attend by each county prosecutor's office and the Division of Criminal Justice. Other assistant prosecutors and Division of Criminal Justice deputies are welcome to register.

Faculty

DAG Heather M. Hadley is the Bureau Chief for the Medicaid Fraud Control Unit in the Office of the Insurance Fraud Prosecutor. Prior to joining OIFP, DAG Hadley was an Assistant Prosecutor in the Mercer County Prosecutor's Office, where she served as the Chief Assistant Prosecutor for the Grand Jury, Human Trafficking, Bias Crime, Megan's Law and Insurance Fraud Units. She has tried homicide, Megan's Law, and Insurance Fraud cases and supervised complex homicide and human trafficking investigations. Before that, DAG Hadley worked for the Native American Rights Fund in Boulder, Colorado and the Washington D.C. office of the Mashantucket Pequot Tribal Nation, representing her Indian tribe, the Eastern Pequot Indians of Connecticut, and numerous other tribes on important State and Federal issues facing Native Americans. DAG Hadley clerked for the Honorable Robert Longhi (retired) and earned a B.A. from Fairfield University and a J.D. from Syracuse University School of Law.

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 total CLE credit. Of these, 1.2 qualify as hours of credit toward certification in criminal trial law, 1.2 qualify as hours of credit towards newly admitted lawyers' requirements/criminal trial preparation, and 0.0 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.

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