

Appellate Practice Selected Topics Summer 2025

July 29 and 30, 2025 - Webinar via Zoom

TUESDAY, JULY 29

9:45 a.m. Zoom waiting room opens

10:00 - 11:00 a.m. **WHAT'S NEW? - UPDATES IN CRIMINAL CASE LAW**
Newly Decided Cases and Cases Pending Review
Cheryl Lutz & Maria Morrison, Staff Attorneys

11:10 a.m. - 12:10 p.m. **A.I. IN THE PRACTICE OF LAW**
1 Hour Technology
What it Can (and Cannot) Do, an Overview
Rick Lennon & Dee Hayashi, Staff Attorneys

12:20 - 1:20 p.m. **ETHICAL CONSIDERATIONS**
1 Hour Ethics
With a focus on A.I.
Rick Lennon & Dee Hayashi, Staff Attorneys

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10:00 - 11:00 a.m. **LESS AGGRAVATION, MORE CLARITY**
Tips for Challenging Aggravating Factors on Appeal
Sydney Banach & Monique Hemli-Munoz, Staff Attorneys

11:10 a.m. - 12:10 p.m. **JUST DIVERT IT: DIVERSION, SENTENCING
ALTERNATIVES, AND ADVOCATING FOR YOUR
CLIENT'S NEEDS**
*Jennifer Peabody, Executive Director
& Olivia Meme, Staff Attorney*

REGISTRATION LINK

**Panel and staff attorneys from all appellate projects are welcome
and encouraged to attend.**

*This activity has been approved for 5 hours Minimum Continuing Legal Education (MCLE) credit by the State Bar of California, and includes 1 hour of Legal Ethics and 1 hour of Technology. The California Appellate Project (Provider #88) certifies that this activity conforms to the standards for approved education activities prescribed by the rules and regulations of the State Bar of California governing minimum continuing legal education