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LAW WEEK 2018
CELEBRATING THE RULE OF LAW
APRIL 30 - MAY 4, 2018

Free Appellate Law Classes and Workshops

Thursday, May 3:

Appeals: Avoiding Technical & Procedural Mistakes

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Are you thinking of appealing the trial court decision in your civil lawsuit? Do you know the purpose of an appeal? Do you know the basics of court procedure? Learn about the appeals process from clerks at the California Court of Appeal who have extensive experience providing assistance to unrepresented litigants.

Presented by: *Denyse Alexander, Assistant Deputy Clerk, Courts of Appeal, Second Appellate District*

Thursday, May 3:

Appeals: Making Your Case & Persuading the Court

3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Briefs are written legal arguments that present a party's position on appeal. In this class, learn to prepare a successful brief.

Presented by: *Tyna Orren, Certified Specialist, Appellate Law, Orren & Orren*

Friday, May 4:

Individualized Help Writing an Appellate Brief

1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

The heart of an appeal is a well-written brief. This workshop provides one-on-one assistance with writing, rewriting and formatting a brief and provides tips to avoid common mistakes in legal writing. Library resources for brief-writing will also be covered.

IMPORTANT NOTE: This workshop is exclusively for self-represented litigants who have reached the stage of an appeal where they are ready to draft a brief; only those who have been pre-screened by the Appellate Self-Help Clinic at the Court of Appeal may participate. To be admitted to the workshop attendees must present a written referral form from the Clinic.

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