

Key Advocacy and Adjudicative Skills in a Virtual World

Administrative Law



Webcast

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Over the last year the virtual world has shifted the focus on the legal and adjudicative skills required to manage your case through a Tribunal Hearing. Our stellar faculty will discuss the key skills necessary and provide you with first-hand insights on how to help improve your case management in a virtual reality as an advocate or adjudicator. Understand how to manage the human element of hearings from public spectators and witnesses to tribunal members, and how to effectively submit your arguments through oral and written advocacy. Join our experts as they provide you with the additional tools you need to expand your virtual advocacy or adjudicative toolkit.

9:00 am	Welcome and Opening Remarks
9:05 am	Discipline and Licensing Hearings: A Conversation with Both Sides of the Counsel Table Moderator: Jillian Siskind , Jillian M. Siskind & Associates Speakers: Jillian Siskind , Jillian M. Siskind & Associates Alexi Wood , St Lawrence Barristers <ul style="list-style-type: none">Supporting fair hearings in a virtual environment for both the prosecution and the defencePreparing for a virtual hearing: advocacy and document preparationAdapting your advocacy and adjudication role to a virtual world
9:55am	Virtual Hearings: An Adjudicator's View Moderator: Jill Cross , Law Society of Ontario Speakers: Dr. Melinda Davie , College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario Daphne Simon , Toronto Licensing Tribunal <ul style="list-style-type: none">Managing the Virtual Hearing SpaceSupporting parties in a virtual environmentThe human element: witnesses, spectators and counselEffective strategies for advocates – an adjudicator perspective
10:55am	Closing Remarks
11:00pm	Program Concludes

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