

Third Annual Appellate Skills Lecture

Client Counseling in Post-Trial

June 23
1-2 p.m.

1 CLE for ACU, CAFL Appeals, Criminal Appeals, Parole, YAD Appeals, SDP/SORB, MH Appeals

A conversation about building client partnerships from an appellate and post-trial perspective, including the concept of "critical counseling" and how issues of race and power can affect our client relationships.



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