



2022 APPELLATE DEFENDER TRAINING

Hybrid | New Orleans, LA

January 19-22

The 2022 National Appellate Defender Training (ADT) will be offered as an intensive, four-day virtual learning experience. ADT is designed specifically for Lawyers who represent clients in criminal, juvenile, and family defence appeals in both state and federal court. Offering a hybrid training program allows NLADA to meet you where you are, whether you are ready to return to In-person training or want to attend the training virtually. ADT's faculty are all present or former public defenders who are experienced appellate advocates and skilled facilitators. Throughout the program, the faculty will work with you to improve your writing.

REGISTRATION RATES:	Time Zone (CENTRAL)	TENTATIVE SCHEDULE			
		Wednesday January 19th	Thursday January 20th	Friday January 21st	Saturday January 22nd
VIRTUAL Members: \$600 Non Members: \$700 IN-PERSON Members: \$700 Non Members: \$800	9:00AM		Small Group Session {In-Person Only}	Small Group Session {In-Person Only}	Small Group Session {In-Person Only}
	10:00 AM				
ENROLLMENT is restricted to attorneys engaged in or about to become engaged in the appellate defense of criminal or delinquency cases. Public defenders, assigned counsel, contract defenders and CJA attorneys will receive priority.	11 :00 AM	Client Communication	Litigating Racial Discrimination	Editing	Oral Advocacy
	12:00 PM	Lunch/Break	Lunch/Break	Lunch/Break	Lunch/Break
NLADA will apply for continuing legal education credits in most states that have mandatory CLE requirements.	1:00 PM	Theory, Theme, and Brainstorming	Persuasive Brief Writing	Small Group Session	Small Group Session
	2:00 PM				Petitioning a Higher Court
	3:00 PM	Small Group Session	Small Group Session		
	4:00 PM				
	5:00 PM	Storytelling	Amicus Briefs	Developing Balance and Well-Being	
	6:00 PM	End ofday	End ofday	End ofday	

ADT objectives are: **1)** To assist appellate defense advocates in writing and delivering quality appellate briefs and writs in order to improve the quality of appellate advocacy in the United States Supreme Court and other state and federal courts, **2)** To provide a supportive national community for state and federal appellate advocates. This is the only appellate defender conference in the nation where participants work on their own real cases, not just hypothetical problems.

COVID PROTOCOLS
All attendees will be required to attest when they register that they will follow the following COVID Protocols on site: All attendees must be vaccinated and show proof of vaccination at on-site check-in. All attendees must wear mask in conference areas (unless eating or drinking). NLADA will provide masks. All attendees will maintain six feet distance from other attendees in sessions and other conference spaces.