



## Upcoming Continuing Professional Development Opportunities

### Famous and Frustrating: The Law of Hearsay

Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m.

Join us for the next session of our 5-Part Series led by Professor Robert J. Currie, K.C. Throughout this series, attendees have been invited to explore the intricate landscape of evidence law, and in this session, participants will have the opportunity to unravel the complexities of hearsay evidence and the rules that govern its admissibility.

Session 4 will begin by defining and identifying hearsay, followed by an analysis of the Supreme Court's "principled approach" to hearsay, highlighting the pivotal elements of necessity and reliability. Delving into hearsay exceptions, encompassing the "principled exception," attendees will develop a solid understanding of the intricate framework of regulations. Furthermore, we will juxtapose the handling of hearsay evidence in criminal and civil scenarios to discern similarities and disparities.

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### Free Webinar

### An Introduction to Intimate Partner Violence Intervention Court in Central, Western, and St. John's Metro

Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup> at 12:00 p.m.

The Intimate Partner Violence Intervention Court (IPVIC) is a specialized criminal court addressing intimate partner violence through intervention. Operating in St. John's, Stephenville, and Grand Falls-Windsor, with screening courts in Gander and Corner Brook, IPVIC emphasizes victim safety and offender accountability.

In a collaborative effort involving stakeholders like the Provincial Court of Newfoundland and Labrador, Public Prosecutions, and Legal Aid NL, the program aims

for treatment based solutions. Join the Law Society of Newfoundland and Labrador for this free one-hour presentation outlining IPVIC's objectives, outcomes, and client engagement process.

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## Evidence Law Refresher: 5-Part Series

Recordings are available for the completed portions of this series:

1. Back to Basics: Purposes, Sources & Fundamental Concepts of Canadian Evidence Law - *November 30, 2023*
2. Shortcuts to Proof: How to Avoid Leading Evidence (or Lead Less of It) - *January 18, 2024*
3. Opinion Evidence: Admissibility, Pitfalls - *February 20, 2024*
4. Famous and Frustrating: The Law of Hearsay - *March 19, 2024*
5. Documents, Electronic Documents, and Affidavits - *April 16, 2024*

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