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The Continued Professional Development Subcommittee presents a webinar on
Handling Expert Witnesses in Court

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Date: 1 July 2021 (Thurs)

Time: 4:00 pm to 6:30 pm

Webinar via Zoom

Registration Fees:

Members of the Bar - RM 60

Eligibility: Only for Members of the Bar



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Synopsis:

This webinar aims to provide the participants with exposure to handling expert witnesses which are called upon to testify in Civil, Commercial, and Criminal trials.

Topics:

- Circumstances requiring expert witnesses
- Identification of the appropriate expert, including the requisite qualifications, consultation with expert witnesses, preparation and articulation of the scope of the expert's report, leading of evidence-in-chief of experts, best practices and matters to take into account when cross-examining expert witnesses in court.

The Speakers:



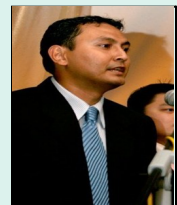
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