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The 31st COLLEGE OF TRIAL ADVOCACY (CIVIL)

April 15– May 16, 2015

Weekday Sessions, 6:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. / Saturday Sessions, 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

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2015 COURSE OUTLINE:

Wednesday, April 15: Introduction, Ethics & Professionalism, Preparation for Trial, Courtroom Presentation Skills, Expedited Jury Trial

Wednesday, April 22: Law & Motion & Voir Dire

Wednesday, April 29: Opening Statement

Tuesday, May 5: Direct & Cross Examination

Thursday, May 14: Closing Argument

Saturday, April 25: Voir Dire Workshop

Saturday, May 2: Opening Statement Workshop

Saturday, May 9: Direct & Cross Examination Workshop

Saturday, May 16: Closing Argument Workshop

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