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ACTIVITY BROCHURE

## **Activity Title: Professionalism in the Courtroom**

### **Course Sponsor**

Law Office of Tim Riley

### **Time Schedule/Agenda**

The video course is available online on-demand at website [MCLEapproved.com](http://MCLEapproved.com).  
The video lasts 60 minutes of instructional time.

### **Overall Objective and Purpose**

This course is dedicated to improve attorneys' courtroom professionalism

### **Topics and Description**

A Superior Court Judge and an experienced trial attorney discuss ways to improve courtroom professionalism – civility, appearance and effectiveness.

### **Course Faculty / Presenters**

Tim Riley is an experienced trial attorney licensed in New York and California  
John E. Dobroth is a Superior Court Judge (retired), Ventura County, California

### **Interactivity**

We provide an interactive Blog so attorney participants may interact with the instructor or other participants in the same program, and post their evaluations, comments or ask questions. Attorney participants may also ask questions by phone and email, and will, within 24 hours, receive a response from the course provider.

### **Verification and Documentation of Attorney Attendance**

We verify attorney attendance by embedding code within the video program. After watching the video, participants are required to submit the embedded code word by email as proof of attendance. Within 24 hours of our independent verification of the accuracy of the participant's submission, we email the participant a Certificate of Attendance, and electronically report attendance directly to State Bar associations when required. We also maintain and submit records of attendance and evaluations as required; and pay fees when required.

# Credentials of Course Presenters

## Course Faculty / Presenter

### Tim Riley, Attorney

- Admitted to Practice Law in California and New York
- Juris Doctor Degree, Cardozo School of Law, Yeshiva University, NY, NY, 1982;
- Bachelor of Professional Studies Degree, with Distinction, Pace University, NY, NY, 1979;
- Appointed to faculty, Adjunct Professor of Law, Pepperdine University School of Law, Malibu, CA 1985;
- Among first 500 Certified Members, Million Dollar Advocates Forum: "The Top Trial Lawyers in America;"
- Admitted to practice law in all New York State Courts, 1983;
- Admitted to practice law in the Federal Court for the Southern District of New York, 1983;
- Admitted to practice law in all California State Courts, 1984;
- Admitted to practice law in the Federal Court for the Central District of California, 1985;
- Admitted to practice law in the Federal Court for the Northern District of California, 1997;
- Admitted to practice law in the United States Supreme Court, 1999;
- Co-author of Chapter 9, Volume 1, *Forensic Sciences*, editor Cyril Wecht, publisher Matthew Bender
- Produced & Directed the film, *The Risks and Danger of LNG*, An Official Selection of Malibu Film Festival

## Course Faculty / Presenter

### Judge John E. Dobroth (retired), Superior Court, Ventura County, CA

- Judge Superior Court, Ventura County, CA 1998-2011
- Named Judge of the Year by Ventura County Trial Lawyers Association 2002
- Named Juvenile Court Judge of the Year by California Judges Association 2004
- Judge Municipal Court, Ventura County, CA 1987-1998
- JD, UCLA School of Law 1971
- Deputy District Attorney, Ventura County 1972-1986
- Director of California District Attorneys Association 1974