

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO
DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE
INTERDEPARTMENTAL MEMO

DATE: June 16, 2020

TO: All Deputy District Attorneys

FROM: Morris Maya, Deputy District Attorney

SUBJECT: HOW TO AVOID PROSECUTORIAL MISCONDUCT IN
CLOSING ARGUMENT

On **Thursday, June 18, 2020, from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.**, via live stream, the San Mateo County District Attorney's Office will present a training entitled:

PEOPLE V. RODRIGUEZ & HOW TO AVOID
PROSECUTORIAL MISCONDUCT IN CLOSING
ARGUMENT

This training will focus on several problems encountered by prosecutors related to claims of prosecutorial misconduct in closing argument with an emphasis on the California Supreme Court's recent opinion in People v. Rodriguez (2020) 9 Cal.5th 474. This training will be presented by Morris Maya.

This training is designed for all deputy district attorneys,

PARTICIPANTS WILL RECEIVE 1.00 HOUR OF ETHICS MCLE CREDIT

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