

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR THE BUFFALO NIAGARA TRIAL COMPETITION

One of the largest competitions in the nation needs
volunteer Judges and Evaluators!

October 16 - 18, 2026

Competition Schedule

- * **Friday, Oct. 16**, Erie County Court, 25 Delaware
 - 1st round, 8:30 a.m. | 2nd round, 1:00 p.m.
- * **Saturday, Oct. 17**, Erie County Court, 25 Delaware
 - 1st round, 8:30 a.m. | 2nd round, 1:00 p.m.
- **Sunday, Oct 18**, School of Law
- Semi-final, 8:30 a.m. | Final at 12:00 p.m.

Note that start times refer to the start of the Judges and Evaluators' Meeting.

Trials run approximately 3 hours. Time ranges are estimates.

** Our greatest need is for all day **Friday** and **Saturday**.*

Benefits

- Qualified volunteers can earn **3.0 NYS CLE** credits (non-transitional) in Skills per session.
- Pre-round briefings will be provided.
- Light commitment, **lots of fun!**

Optional Zoom CLE Preview Session

Friday, Oct. 9, 12p.m. - Preview and learn the case's legal and evidentiary issues. Qualified volunteers can earn an additional **1.5 NYS CLE** credits (transitional and non-transitional).

Questions?

Contact **Jennifer Scharf** at jrscharf@buffalo.edu.

To participate, scan to register
or visit <https://bit.ly/volunteer-bn-competition>.

