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ETHICAL AND EFFECTIVE IN-HOUSE COUNSEL SHORT LEARNING PROGRAMME

Becoming an In-House Counsel: A Lawyer's Career Move.

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Closing of applications:

25 April 2021 (Please note that a limited number of participants can be accommodated during each offering. Apply as soon as possible.)

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- **Offered by:** The University of the Free State (UFS) and the ILI – South African Centre for Excellence (ILI-SACE) have collaborated in academic areas of mutual interest to, amongst others, present academically high-quality and practice-relevant short learning programmes.
- **Name of the programme:** Becoming an In-House Counsel: A Lawyer’s Career Move. (Competency-based programme on an academic level 8.)
- **Intended audience:** Private lawyers (especially practicing lawyers interested in a career move) and government lawyers, government parastatals transitioning to the international public sector, law graduates and law students as well as corporate secretaries, with potential interest in the In-House Counsel.
- **Programme coverage:** This short learning programme is aimed at empowering persons (prospective in-house counsel) with the necessary skills and knowledge required to ensure performance as an ethical and effective in-house counsel of any company (including a SME). Topics include:
 - Introduction: The world of the in-house counsel.
 - The purpose and role of the in-house counsel department in private and public corporations.
 - The substantive law and hard skills involved.
 - The “client conundrum”.
 - How in-house counsel departments fit into the broader corporate culture.
 - The soft skills necessary to establish yourself as an in-house counsel.
 - Work-life balance and opportunities.
 - How to look for an in-house counsel job that is right for you.
- **Pricing:** R15 000 (ZAR).
- **Mode and dates of delivery:** Eight sessions (5 – 7pm SAT / 11am – 1pm EST) on an online platform on the following dates:
 - Wednesday 5 May
 - Thursday 6 May
 - Wednesday 12 May
 - Thursday 13 May
 - Wednesday 19 May
 - Thursday 20 May
 - Wednesday 26 May
 - Thursday 27 May

The online delivery of the programme will include interactive online sessions, additional electronic material and recordings of sessions.

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- **Presenters:** The programme will be presented by the following present and former in-house counsel:
 - **Edward A. Ryan** (J.D. University of Pennsylvania Law School. Former Executive Vice-President and Global General Counsel, *Marriott International Inc.*)
 - **Jo Saxe Levy** (J.D. Harvard Law School. Vice-President and General Counsel Asia-Pacific and Japan, *Intel Corporation.*)
 - **Josie Lyon** (LL.B Exeter University and Guildford College of Law. Solicitor – Hong Kong, England and Wales. Former Vice-President and Regional Counsel, *Marriott International Inc.* Former Director, *Virgin Active South Africa.*)
 - **Gregg Brelsford** (J.D. Harvard Law School. Former General Counsel *Progexion, Far Cliffs Multimedia.* Former Division Counsel, *Agilent Technologies Inc.* Former Deputy General Counsel, *Objective Systems Integrators Inc.*)