

MEMBER PROFILE QUESTIONS

INTRO:

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QUESTIONS:

1- How did you get into criminal law?

I knew before undergrad, it was what I wanted to do. Inspired by watching ACF Petrone and Lee Baig.

2- What type of cases do you enjoy defending the most and why?

Anything without a 276, 278.92 etc...involved.

3- How did the practice of criminal law change you?

It's taken me from Mazda to Maserati in 33 short years.

4- If there is one thing only you would like to see change in criminal law, what would it be?

The proliferation of application records and Facta for the simplest of things in a case.

5- What advice would you give to your younger self when you first started practising criminal law?

Watch and listen as much as you can, sit on cases with experienced Counsel.

6- How do you deal with bad work days?

I remind myself that, over and above work, every day is a good day.

7- What do you think of Zoom court?

Amazing. We use it for most procedures and all administrative appearances. We did an entire murder prelim by zoom, in Brockville.

8- Any embarrassing court story you're willing to share?

I'm sure there are enough of them out there.

9- Who is your role model/inspiration in criminal law?

So many, John Rosen and David Humphrey stand out. And Norm Willans. (Aleh-Ha-Shalom)

10- What's your favourite song?

Changes every ½ hour right now? Voodoo Child (slight return) by Hendrix or S.R.V.

11- How do you maintain work life balance and how do you deal with the stress of the job?

Try to do the gym 3x a week – keep in touch with friends, reading and music.

12- What is your biggest legal inspiration?

See #9, SUPRA.

13- What do you do outside of the law?

Childish pranks & practical jokes & bad impressions (also do this outside of the law).

14- What would your defence bar colleagues be surprised to learn about you?

I'm not Jewish.