



NEWS ADVISORY

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Law Day 2025

ALBANY, NEW YORK—An annual celebration of our nation's rule of law, Law Day 2025 will be observed on **Thursday, May 1** at the New York State Court of Appeals. This year's theme, "The Constitution's Promise: Out of Many, One," reaffirms our collective responsibility as citizens to the common good.

Speakers will include **Chief Judge Rowan D. Wilson, New York State Attorney General Letitia James**, and **New York State Bar Association President Domenick Napoletano**.

Chief Administrative Judge Joseph A. Zayas will present the Court System's prestigious **Judith S. Kaye Service Awards**. Recipients will be honored in one of three categories: Exemplary Work Performance; Community Service and Humanitarian Pursuits; and Heroism. This year's honorees include non-judicial personnel from New York City, the Hudson Valley, and Western New York.

Winners of the Court System's **Law Day 2025 Art Contest** will also be announced.

WHEN: Thursday, **May 1, 2025 at 11:00am**

WHERE: Court of Appeals Hall
20 Eagle Street, Albany, New York 12207

The event will be **livestreamed** at
<https://nycourts.gov/ctapps/lawday.htm>

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