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FORT MYERS LITIGATION EXPERT MICHAEL CORSO DISCUSSES DRONES AT CAL POLY TECH

Fort Myers, Florida — Florida litigation expert Michael Corso presented "An Engineer's Legal Clinic, Bird's Eye View of Aviation Law, Including Drones" to students at the Aerospace Engineering Department at Cal Poly Tech in San Luis Obispo, California. The discussion explored the current state of the laws and future legal needs of the aviation community now that unmanned aircraft systems are becoming widely used in commercial applications, including in the engineering industry.

Corso has been Florida Bar Board Certified in Civil Trial Law for over 30 years and over 20 years in Business Litigation Law. He serves as chair of Henderson Franklin's Tort & Insurance Litigation department. Corso focuses his practice in matters involving product liability and the defense of non-medical professionals such as lawyers, accountants, architects, engineers and surveyors. He frequently speaks throughout the United States on issues regarding the defense of non-medical professionals, law office risk management issues, and drones.

Corso has received much recognition throughout his legal career, including the 2011 Outstanding Aerospace Engineer Award by Purdue University, the Florida Defense Lawyers Association President's Award, the Defense Research Institute's Exceptional Performance Citation, as well as being named to *Florida Super Lawyers*® and *Florida Trend* magazine's Legal Elite®. Corso is also AV-rated by Martindale-Hubbell. He is a member of the American Institute of Architects, Florida Engineering Society and past president of the Florida Defense Lawyers Association.



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