

**DEFENSE RESEARCH INSTITUTE FALL SWEEPSTAKES FUNDRAISER
FOR NATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR JUDICIAL EXCELLENCE
RULES, TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

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1. PROMOTION DESCRIPTION.

National Foundation for Judicial Excellence's (NFJE) supports a strong, independent, responsive judiciary by providing officers of the courts with educational programs and other tools that enable them to perform at their highest level. Defense Research Institute's ("DRI") supports NFJE's valuable mission and DRI is conducting this prize sweepstakes ("Promotion") to incentivize DRI members to provide much needed financial support to NFJE. The Promotion is an online entry, mail-in, and in-person entry prize drawing promotion that begins on July 1, 2022 at 12:00:00 AM CST, and ends on October 28, 2022 at 2:00 PM EST ("Promotion Period"), and is subject to these Prize Promotion Rules, Terms, and Conditions ("Rules").

2. ELIGIBILITY.

Open to DRI members, and registered attendees at DRI's 2022 annual meeting in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, where such members and attendees are in the fifty (50) United States and District of Columbia who: (a) are 18 years of age or older at time of entry, and (b) who have received an email or online invitation to participate in the Promotion.

NO PURCHASE IS NECESSARY TO PARTICIPATE.

Void where prohibited. The Promotion is not open to DRI or NFJE employees (collectively "Conflicted Individuals" or such Conflicted Individuals' immediate family members, and other participating partners in the Promotion.

3. SPONSOR.

The Promotion is being sponsored by DRI, a Wisconsin nonprofit corporation, with principal place of business at 222 South Riverside Plaza, Suite 1870, Chicago, IL 60606 in connection with DRI's annual meeting to be held at on October 25-28 at the Philadelphia Marriott Downtown Hotel in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

4. HOW TO ENTER - NO PURCHASE NECESSARY.

The number of available tickets and DRI's suggested donation for tickets is set forth on the Website. Participants donating to NFJE in connection with the promotion will receive a specific number of tickets based on the listed suggested donation, where such tickets will be designated as entries in the Promotion for a chance to win one of eight (8) prizes. Participants in the Promotion may enter in the following ways.

- a. **ONLINE.** You may enter during the Promotion Period when registering for the DRI Annual Meeting found located at <https://www.dri.org/education-cle/annual->

[meeting/2022am](#) (“Event Website”). Follow the on-screen instructions to enter participant information.

- b. MAIL-IN. You may enter during the Promotion Period by completing a mail-in Annual Meeting registration form and related request for tickets. Please legibly enter your name, address, phone-number, and email address, and send your completed entry to DRI/NFJE Promotion, at 222 South Riverside Plaza, Suite 1870, Chicago, IL 60606 no later than October 1, 2022. To participate after October 1, donations should be made through the online process.
- c. IN PERSON. You may enter during the Promotion Period in person at the DRI Annual Meeting on October 25 - October 28, 2022 to be held in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Entry forms will be located at the Philadelphia Marriot Downtown Hotel (1201 Market Street, 1200 Filbert St, Philadelphia, PA 19107) at the DRI Hub located on the DRI Annual Meeting Exhibit Showcase floor.

5. PARTICIPATION REWARDS AND PRIZE WINNER SELECTION.

a. DRAWINGS.

Drawings for each of the Prizes in Section 6 will be held on or about October 28, 2022 from all qualified online, mail-in, and in-person entries received. Incomplete entries will not qualify to be entered into the contest. Odds of winning based on the number of tickets submitted by participants. Purchases do not increase the odds of winning.

Potential winners will only be eligible to only win one prize. Potential winners will be notified by email and/or by phone. Potential winners will have three (3) days to respond with their complete mailing address and interest to become the winner or an alternate will be drawn. It is the entrant’s responsibility to keep the email address or phone number used to enter active until the end of the contest if entrant wishes to be notified as a potential winner.

A potential winners may be required to provide the DRI with government-issued identification to confirm the potential winner’s identity. A potential winner may also be required to provide the DRI with proof that the potential winner is the authorized account holder of the email address associated with the winning entry.

The potential winners will not be declared a confirmed winner until it is confirmed that all rules and regulations have been complied with. A potential winner is not a confirmed winner until the potential winner’s claim is validated and the potential winner receive official written notification from DRI. Potential winners who do not want their prize, will receive a receipt for donating the prize cash value to NFJE. All entries become the exclusive property of DRI and will not be acknowledged or returned except as provided herein. Entries which are incomplete, incorrect, incomprehensible, not received, or do not otherwise comply with these Rules will not be entered into the Promotion. Entries made by facsimile, overnight courier, third party entry service,

automated means, or in any other manner not specifically allowed under these Rules will not be entered into the Promotion.

6. PRIZES.

In keeping with the results of the Drawings, a total of eight (8) prizes (collectively the “Prizes”) will be given away, which is described as follows:

1. “Away” Carry-On Travel Luggage (Value \$295)
2. Yeti Tundra Cooler (Value \$325)
3. Oculus Quest 2 Advanced All-in-one VR Headset – 256 GB (Value \$349)
4. Blue Apron Meals Gift Card (Value \$500)
5. Ultimate “Work From Home” Clothing Package (Value \$500) – Includes Vuori Clothing and Aviator Nation
6. Christian Louboutin Shoes (Value \$800)
7. Broadway Theater Package (Value \$1,000) – Includes \$500 Broadway.com Gift Card and \$500 VISA/MasterCard Gift Card towards hotel, meals, or travel
8. Peloton Bike (Value \$1,200)

7. WINNERS’ LIST.

To view the winners’ list for this Promotion, please visit <https://www.dri.org/education-club/annual-meeting/2022am> . The winners’ list will be available after winner validation has been completed.

8. CONDITIONS OF ENTRY.

Acceptance of a Prize through this Promotion constitutes permission for DRI and its representatives to use winners’ names and likenesses for purposes of advertising and publicity in all media worldwide without further compensation or notice, unless prohibited by law. DRI reserves the right to substitute prize of equal or greater value. By participating in this Promotion, entrants agree to be bound by these Rules and the decisions of the judges.

Winners assume all applicable tax liability for their prizes. The IRS has taken the position that amounts paid for chances in raffles, lotteries or similar drawings for valuable prizes are not gifts, and consequently do not qualify as deductible charitable contributions.

Entrants agree DRI has the sole right to decide all matters and disputes arising from this Promotion and that a decision by DRI is final and binding.

9. DISCLAIMERS.

All applicable federal, state, and local laws apply.

WINNERS, BY ACCEPTANCE OF THE PRIZE, AGREE TO RELEASE, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS DRI AND OTHER PARTICIPATING PARTNERS IN THE PROMOTION,

AND EACH OF THEIR EMPLOYEES, REPRESENTATIVES, CONTRACTORS, SPONSORS AND ADVERTISERS, FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITY, LOSS, HARM, INJURY, DEATH, DAMAGE, COSTS OR CLAIMS RELATED TO ANY ALLEGATION REGARDING THE AWARD OF, THE RECEIPT OF, OR THE USE OF THEIR PRIZE. DRI IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR PERSONAL INJURY OF ANY WINNERS INCURRED IN CONNECTION WITH THE ACCEPTANCE OR USE OF THE PRIZE.

DRI assumes no responsibility for lost, late, misdirected, illegible, incorrect or inaccurate entry information whether caused by, among other things, an internet problem or the individual completing the entry. DRI reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to cancel or suspend this contest should a cause beyond the control of DRI corrupt the administration, security or proper operation of the contest. Any attempt by an individual to deliberately undermine the legitimate operation of the contest is in violation of criminal and civil laws.

Authorized Account Holder is defined as natural person who is assigned to an e-mail address by the Internet access provider, on-line service provider or other organization that is responsible for arranging e-mail address for the domain associated with the submitted e-mail address. Rules are subject to any requirements/limitations imposed by the FCC.

10. DISPUTES.

BY PARTICIPATING, ENTRANTS AGREE THAT (1) ANY AND ALL DISPUTES, CLAIMS AND CAUSES OF ACTION ARISING OUT OF, OR CONNECTED WITH, THIS PROMOTION OR ANY PRIZE AWARDED (IF APPLICABLE) SHALL BE RESOLVED INDIVIDUALLY, WITHOUT RESORT TO ANY FORM OF CLASS ACTION, AND EXCLUSIVELY BY THE APPROPRIATE COURT LOCATED IN IN THE COUNTY OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS; (2) ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, JUDGMENTS AND AWARDS SHALL BE LIMITED TO ACTUAL OUT-OF-POCKET COSTS INCURRED, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH ENTERING THIS PROMOTION BUT IN NO EVENT ATTORNEYS' FEES; AND (3) TO THE EXTENT ALLOWED BY APPLICABLE LAW, UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES WILL ENTRANT BE PERMITTED TO OBTAIN AWARDS FOR, AND ENTRANT HEREBY WAIVES ALL RIGHTS TO CLAIM, PUNITIVE, INCIDENTAL AND/OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES AND/OR ANY OTHER DAMAGES, OTHER THAN OUT-OF-POCKET EXPENSES, AND ANY AND ALL RIGHTS TO HAVE DAMAGES MULTIPLIED OR OTHERWISE INCREASED.

All issues and questions concerning the construction, validity, interpretation and enforceability of these Official Rules or the rights and obligations of any participant or DRI in connection with the Promotion shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the internal laws of the State of Pennsylvania without giving effect to any choice of law or conflict of law rules or provisions that would cause the application of any other state's laws.