



Member Spotlight



GETTING TO KNOW JULIAN GRAY, CELA

What drew you to the practice of special needs planning? What keeps you excited about it?

Within a month after graduating from law school, a family friend was facing a dire situation with dementia, which led me to Elder Law. Shortly thereafter, I realized that helping people of all ages with chronic disabilities was my passion. I remain excited to help people with disabilities (and their families) to navigate life and to lead as normal a life as possible, helping them to discover resources they need.

How do you describe your work to people who are unfamiliar with it?

I simply help people enhance the quality of their lives through holistic support beyond just preparing legal documents.

What advice do you have for members who are new to the SNA?

Get involved. The SNA is rich in expert, compassionate individuals who are willing to help clients and any SNA member. Don't ever hesitate to reach out to another SNA member because you will be a priority in this great organization of compassionate professionals.

What are you most passionate about?

Assisting clients who have suffered catastrophic injuries and providing dynamic solutions to enhance their quality of life.

What is your ideal way to spend a Saturday?

Hanging out with my sons at the pool, usually experimenting with some culinary creation.

What book, podcast or movie do you recommend to others?

Mel Robbins - *The Let Them Theory*. Read it (or listen to it) twice. It will positively change your life.