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# New York teacher receives award from American Bar Association

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 1, 2020 – The American Bar Association will honor longtime New York teacher David Scott with its [Isidore Starr Award for Excellence in Law-Related Education](#). The award recognizes individuals for outstanding achievements in teaching about the law in elementary and secondary grades.

The Starr Award will be presented to Scott in a virtual ceremony on Dec. 16. He will also receive the [Isidore Starr Award for Excellence in Law-Related Education](#), noted

many wonderful educators who go the extra mile," Tinker said in her nomination letter. "This year, I am proud to recommend one who really stands out."

Earlier this year, Scott was lauded for converting a student mock trial program into a virtual format in a matter of days at the beginning of the COVID-19 pandemic lockdown. Instead of a cancellation during an uncertain time, it became a bright spot of continued programming for his students.

To register for the ceremony, click [here](#).

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