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# **Professional Experience**

- Expert witness and consultation services for weather-related events
- Reconstructs the particular weather conditions at a specific location through site-specific forensic reports
- Provides site-specific weather warnings and forecasts to many Fortune 500 companies across North America utilizing real-time and forecasted meteorological data
- Analyzes past weather information for verification and quality control of weather warnings and forecasts

### AccuWeather Enterprise Solutions

- 2021 to present: Director of Forensic Services
- 2018 to 2020: Expert Senior Forensic Meteorologist
- 2017 to 2020: Senior Storm Warning Meteorologist
- 2014 to 2017: Lead Storm Warning Meteorologist
- 2010 to 2014: Storm Warning Meteorologist

### National Weather Service, Topeka, Kansas Office

2010: Student Volunteer

## Education

- National Center for Atmospheric Research, and the Insurance Institute for Business & Home Safety
  - August 2018: North American Workshop on Hail & Hailstorms
- University of Oklahoma
  - March 2015: Dual-Polarization Radar Training Course, Office of Weather Programs & Projects
- University of Kansas
  - 2010: B.S. Atmospheric Science

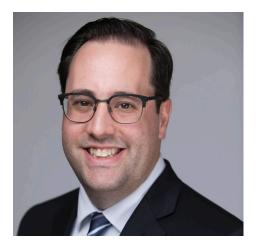
## **Specialties**

- Forecasting Meteorology
- Forensic Meteorology
- Applied Meteorology

## Honors and Accomplishments

- Awarded the nationally recognized Certified Consulting Meteorologist (CCM) designated by the American Meteorological Society.
- 2017 AccuWeather Champion of Excellence (ACE) Award Winner
- AccuWeather Employee of the Month
  - March 2013, May 2013, May 2014, June 2015, June 2016
- Professional Member, American Meteorological Society (AMS)





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- Board of Directors, Association of Certified Meteorologists (ACM)
- Professional Member, National Weather Association (NWA)
- Mentor for the AMS Board for Private Sector Meteorologist Mentorship Program
- Volunteer for the 2020 American Meteorological Society Short Course "How to Become a Great CCM"

## **Presented Courses and Seminars**

#### Lavin, J., Wistar S.

Continuous Legal Education (CLE) course entitled "Forensic Meteorology: Revealing Weather Related Truths" 2021-2023, presented to:

- The Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis
- Allegheny County, PA Bar Association
- Erie County, PA Bar Association
- Johnson County, KS Bar Association
- Idaho State Bar Association
- Federal Bar Association
- Idaho State Bar Association
- Nashville Bar Association
- Westmoreland County, PA Bar Association
- Kansas Bar Association

### Lavin, J.

Hail Site-Study Seminar. 2020

#### Lavin, J.

Winter Weather Seminar Part II: Radar Interpretation. 2017

- Bowers, D., Thompson, B., Adamson, R., Lavin, J.
  UFDB Severe Weather Verification Seminar. 2016
- Dewvall, T., Lavin, J.
  Dual-Pol Seminar. 2015
- Lavin, J.

Winter Seminar: East Coast Winter Storms. 2014

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Hurricane Seminar: Review of Hurricane Sandy and Hurricane Forecasting. 2013

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Synoptic Wind Seminar: Review of High Wind Prones in Western U.S. and Synoptic Wind Climatology for Wichita, KS. 2012

