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Meeting Location	Date	Time	Topic
King County Bar Association 1200 Fifth Avenue - Suite 700 Seattle, WA	Friday, June 2, 2017	12:10 PM to 1:30 PM	The Other Court: Where Divorce Meets Bankruptcy

AGENDA

- 12:10 PM** Introductions
- 12:20 PM** Presentation: ‘The Other Court: Where Divorce Meets Bankruptcy’, by Gloria Z. Nagler, Nagler Law Group, P.S.; and Michael Sperry, Nagler Law Group, P.S.
- 1:30 PM** Evaluations & Adjourn

SPEAKER BIOGRAPHY:

Gloria Z. Nagler, Nagler Law Group, P.S. – Gloria Z. Nagler is the managing shareholder in the law firm of Nagler Law Group P.S., where she practices with the able and amiable Michael Sperry. She has finished serving as Past Chair of the Creditor-Debtor Section’s Executive Committee. Gloria was elected by her peers to be a Fellow in the American College of Bankruptcy, and was awarded the Sidney Volinn Award of Merit by her fellow bankruptcy lawyers in 2013.

Her creditor-debtor practice includes Chapter 11 business reorganizations, Chapter 13 and Chapter 7 work, individual creditor representation in bankruptcy matters, and negotiating settlement of unsecured debt in lieu of bankruptcy. Her practice especially emphasizes clients with tax issues, small businesses in distress, and clients caught in complex divorce situations. Gloria served for five years as the Plan Trustee in the Spokane Catholic Diocese bankruptcy case and found that work novel and interesting. During the Recession, NPR’s “Morning Edition” featured parts of an interview with Gloria on bankruptcy in the current economy. Gloria clerked in the mid-1980’s for the now retired Honorable Robert W. Skidmore, U.S. Bankruptcy Judge for the Western District of Washington at Tacoma. She received her B.A. with distinction from the University of California at Berkeley and her J.D. from the University of Washington.

Michael Sperry, Nagler Law Group, P.S. – Michael Sperry graduated from Willamette University College of Law as a member of the Order of the Barrister. His practice focuses on Creditor-Debtor work including representation of debtors in out of court settlements, chapter 7 filings, chapter 13 filings, and representing parties in interest in Bankruptcy Court proceedings. Mr. Sperry is licensed in Washington State Court as well as the Federal Courts for the Western and Eastern Districts of Washington. He currently serves on the executive committee for the Creditor-Debtor section of the King County Bar Association as treasurer. He also serves on the legislative sub-committee of the Washington State Bar Association Creditor-Debtor Section. Mr. Sperry has presented at seminars for the both the Washington and King County Bar Associations, as well as programs through Seattle University's College of Law on topics regarding Creditor-Debtor issues.