

Ethics: Avoiding Bar Discipline

Joint Representation, Trust Accounts and Other Ethics Pitfalls

December 4, 2019

3:00-4:00pm

King County Bar Association, 1200 Fifth Avenue, Suite 700, Seattle

1.00 Ethics CLE Credit

Also available via webcast

OVERVIEW

- Practical tips to avoid grievances and discipline
- How to prevent one of the most common causes of discipline – thrust account rule violations
- Best practices for joint representations

AGENDA

- 2:45-3:00pm Registration and Coffee Service
- 3:00-4:00pm **Ethics: Avoiding Bar Discipline – Joint Representation, Trust Accounts and Other Ethics Pitfalls**
Anne Seidel, Law Office of Anne I. Seidel
- 4:00pm Evaluations & Adjourn

FACULTY

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Anne Seidel represents lawyers on legal ethics issues, bar grievances and disciplinary proceedings. Anne previously worked at the Office of Disciplinary Counsel of the Washington State Bar Association, eventually becoming Chief Disciplinary Counsel. She was a member of the WSBA's Special Committee for the Evaluation of the Rules of Professional Conduct that developed the revised RPCs adopted in 2006. She also served on the WSBA's Rules of Professional Conduct Committee from 2010-2012 and the WSBA's Committee on Professional Ethics from 2013-2019. Anne is the author of the confidentiality chapter of the Washington Legal Ethics Deskbook. She graduated magna cum laude from Harvard Law School where she was an editor of the law review.