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Meeting Location	Date	Time	Topic
King County Bar Association 1200 Fifth Avenue - Suite 700 Seattle, WA	<b>Thursday, March 2, 2017</b>	12:00 PM to 1:15 PM	Challenging Patentability at the PTO

#### AGENDA

**12:00 PM** Introductions/Lunch

- 12:10 PM** Presentation: ‘Challenging Patentability at the PTO’, by Candice Claire Decaire, Kilpatrick Townsend and Stockton
- Means by which to challenge patentability at the USPTO, focusing on challenging issued claims through post grant proceedings (Inter Partes Review, Covered Business Method patent review, and Post Grant Review).
  - Pros and cons of challenging patentability through Third Party Submissions during prosecution of a patent application.
  - Procedural basics, special strategic issues, and practical considerations, from the point of view of an entity seeking to assure its freedom to operate by challenging potentially problematic patent claims.

**1:15 PM** Evaluations & Adjourn

#### SPEAKER BIOGRAPHY:

**Candice Claire Decaire, Kilpatrick Townsend and Stockton** - Candice is a partner in the Seattle office of Kilpatrick Townsend and Stockton, where she practices intellectual property law with a special focus on intellectual property strategy, patent law, and trade secret protection. She works with clients to build and defend strong intellectual property portfolios and licensing programs. Her practice includes counseling and representation in patent litigation, arbitration, ITC investigations, and USPTO post grant proceedings concerning diverse technologies such as computer hardware and software, biologics, pharmaceuticals, mechanical devices, and medical devices.