

The 20th Anniversary Edition of the WSBA's Law of Lawyering



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DESCRIPTION

The 20th anniversary of the Law of Lawyering covers a new RPC Model Rule requiring lawyers to conduct client investigations, law firm mandatory reporting of beneficial ownership information under the Corporate Transparency Act, a comprehensive analysis of artificial intelligence and the law, a look back at race and justice by a legendary lawyer, and a review of 2023's significant ethics opinions and lawyer professional liability decisional authority.

AGENDA

1 "Semi" Confidentiality... Investigating, And Informing On, Our Clients

This important and timely segment will address the ABA's newly proposed adopted client investigation amendment to RPC 1.16 and the newly enacted Corporate Transparency Act reporting requirements which are applicable to lawyers.

Russell M. Aoki - Aoki Law PLLC, Seattle, WA

Douglas Ende - Washington State Bar Association, Seattle, WA

Benjamin Hutten - Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP, New York City, NY

John Wolfe - Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP, Seattle, WA

2 Artificial Intelligence and the Law

Learn from a preeminent lawyer-expert in the field of artificial intelligence and the law.

Anthony Davis - FisherBroyles LLP, New York City, NY

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3 **A Lion in Winter**

Lembhard G. "Lem" Howell, admitted to practice in 1966, (WSBA # 133) will reflect on issues of race and justice that he faced during his over five-decade career as a Plaintiffs' civil rights, police misconduct, and tort lawyer practicing in Seattle. Lem, a founder of the Loren Miller Bar Association, was the first black lawyer to hold a national office with the Association of Trial Lawyers of America (now the American Association for Justice). In addition to addressing race relations between Seattle bar and bench, he will discuss some of his landmark civil rights cases, including a 1969 lawsuit that ended Washington State's construction trade union's exclusion of African American workers and a case that upheld affirmative-action employment policies for Seattle firefighters.

Lembhard Howell - Lembhard Goldstone Howell, Seattle, WA

4 **"Ketchup" with the Co-Chairs**

The Law of Lawyering's co-chairs cover 2023's important ethics opinions, and disciplinary and attorney professional liability decisional authority.

Mark Fucile - Fucile and Reising LLP, Portland, OR

Mark Johnson - Johnson Flora Sprangers PLLC, Seattle, WA