

THE NEW ILLINOIS RULES OF PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT



Friday, February 5, 2010

ABOUT THE SEMINAR

The new Illinois Rules of Professional Conduct become effective on Jan. 1, 2010. Significant changes to the old rules have been made in areas such as permissible and required disclosure of confidential information; prohibition of sex with clients; and the appropriate response to inadvertently received documents. For the first time, Illinois has also adopted comments for every rule. Do you know how your obligations have changed? What do you do when there is no clear answer? Professors Shapiro and Gross will lead a spirited discussion of the new rules and their practical application focusing on real world scenarios.

REGISTRATION

8:00 am

PROGRAM

8:30am-10:45am

IL PROFESSIONALISM CREDIT

2.0 hours



Vivien C. Gross

Clinical Professor of Law

Professor Gross teaches professional responsibility at Chicago-Kent College of Law. She is the Reporter for the Illinois Supreme Court Committee on Professional Responsibility and a frequent speaker on professional responsibility topics. She directs Chicago-Kent's major externship programs and serves as a member of the Chicago Mercantile Exchange and Chicago Board of Trade Business Conduct Committee as well as the Probable Cause Committee. Before joining Chicago-Kent, Professor Gross was a supervisory trial attorney with the Midwest regional office of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. She has earned degrees from Northwestern University, the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, and Indiana University School of Law-Bloomington.



Carolyn Shapiro

Assistant Professor of Law

Professor Shapiro teaches professional responsibility, employment law, and legislative process at Chicago-Kent College of Law. She earned a B.A. with general and special honors in English from the University of Chicago, an M.A. from the University of Chicago Harris Graduate School of Public Policy and a J.D. (high honors) from the University of Chicago, where she was articles editor of the University of Chicago Law Review and a member of the Order of the Coif. After graduation, Professor Shapiro was a law clerk for Chief Judge Richard A. Posner of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit and for Justice Stephen G. Breyer of the U.S. Supreme Court. Prior to coming to Chicago-Kent in 2003, she worked as an associate with Miner, Barnhill & Galland, where she handled plaintiff civil rights cases, and as a Skadden Fellow with the National Center on Poverty Law.

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