

**THE ST. LOUIS COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION  
PRESENTS  
ETHICS & PROFESSIONALISM CLE LUNCHEON  
2.0 Ethics Credits - June 21, 2017**

**TOPIC**

**"Current Trends in Legal Ethics: A Conversation with Chief Disciplinary Counsel."**

Also included will be annual review of data from the discipline system, brief talk about the do's and don'ts of responding to an ethics investigation and talk about trust accounting issues.

**SPEAKER**

**Alan D. Pratzel - Chief Disciplinary Counsel**

Alan Pratzel was appointed as the Chief Disciplinary Counsel by the Supreme Court of Missouri in April 2007. In his position with the Office of the Chief Disciplinary Counsel, Mr. Pratzel oversees the investigation and disposition of all complaints against lawyers in the State of Missouri. Prior to becoming Chief Disciplinary Counsel Mr. Pratzel was in private practice for 30 years in St. Louis.

**TOPIC**

**The Breakdown of a Malpractice Claim and How to Avoid One**

Description: The word "malpractice" strikes a nerve with most attorneys, but many do not know how the malpractice claim process progresses or what they can do to best protect themselves from potential claims. This seminar will cover the most important procedures and techniques all attorneys need to implement to reduce the chances of a malpractice claim.

**SPEAKER**

**Whitney Dunn is a Risk Manager at The Bar Plan Mutual Insurance Company.**

In this role, Dunn presents CLEs throughout the state and nation on ethics, professionalism, and malpractice avoidance and provides one-on-one ethical guidance and law practice management assistance to attorneys in Missouri and beyond.

**WEDNESDAY, June 21, 2017**

**Location: Clayton Plaza Hotel , 7750 Carondelet, Clayton, MO 63105**

**Lunch: 12:00 Noon**

**Program starts: 12:30 p.m.**

**Conclusion: 2:30 p.m.**

**Cost Includes Lunch & Written Material**

**Members - \$50.00 - Non-Members - \$70.00, Judges Complimentary**

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**Registration: 2 – Hr. Ethics CLE Lunch**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

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**Mail in your reservation to: St. Louis County Bar Association - 7905 Forsyth, Clayton, MO 63105**

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