

**Event Title:**

Ethically Handling Conflicts of Interest: A Paralegal's Perspective

**Event Date and Time:**

May 28, 2024 -- 11:00 AM EDT - 12:00 PM EDT

**Event Agenda:**

*All times are shown in Eastern time.*

*11:00 - 12:00, Cari L. Sheehan*

- I. General Rules on Conflicts of Interest
- II. Different Types of Conflicts
- III. Guidelines for Identifying Potential Conflicts
- IV. Developing and Maintaining a Conflicts Database
- V. Reporting Conflicts of Interest: Ensuring Legal Best Practices
- VI. Disqualification, Informed Consent, and Waiver

**Event Description:**

From disqualification to a malpractice claim, failing to address a conflict can result in a myriad of consequences. This program reveals tips and tricks for detecting and dealing with conflicts of interest. Don't miss this opportunity to hone your knowledge - register today!

- Discover the different types of conflicts of interest.
- Demonstrate best practices for identifying potential conflicts.
- Learn your reporting obligations as a paralegal.

**Who Should Attend:**

This **intermediate level program** is designed to provide attendees with best practices for detecting and addressing conflicts of interest. Those who should attend include:

- Paralegals
- Legal Technicians
- Legal Assistants
- Legal Support Staff

**Event Bio:**

[Cari L. Sheehan](#) is an assistant clinical professor of business law and ethics at the IU Kelley School of Business - Indianapolis, where she currently teaches commercial law and business ethics. Additionally, Ms. Sheehan is an adjunct professor at the Robert H. McKinney School of Law, where she has taught courses in appellate practice and procedure and torts. In practice, she is a part-time conflict attorney at Scopelitis Garvin Light Hanson & Feary advising on ethical issues. Ms. Sheehan is a well-respected

seminar and continuing legal education speaker, covering a range of ethical issues across various platforms both locally and on a national level. Similarly, she authors a business ethics column in conjunction with the *Hamilton County Business Journal* about the benefits and pitfalls of business ethics.