Bias, Civility, and Professionalism Under Rule 8.4(g)

Total: **55 Minutes**

Speakers:
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The Title VII of the Rules of Professional Conduct is Rule 8.4(g). Learn how this anti-discrimination rule can affect you and your practice. This seminar will go through case scenarios and examples, as well as explore which jurisdictions have this rule on their books, and which jurisdictions do not. This is an emerging rule that is gaining traction and attorney discipline cases are mounting. Stay ahead of the curve and learn how to protect yourself now!

All topics below concern ethics under The Model Rules of Professional Conduct. Topics include:

- **Ethics** - Professionalism & Civility (5 min.)
- **Ethics** - Civility Initiatives in the Legal Profession/Rule 8.4(g) (8 min.)
- **Ethics** - Can Incivility Equal Professional Discipline? (20 min.)
- **Ethics** - Dealing with Uncivil Opposing Counsel (22 min.)

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