# Contract Review, Negotiation & Analysis

## Master the art to maximize your efficacy

Successful commercial lawyers must master the art of helping business people accomplish their goals while minimizing legal risk and liability. Your ability to spot key issues in commercial transactions, understand the potential business impact of the various methods of addressing those issues, and promote practical resolution of the issues is vital to your efficacy. The experienced panelists provide valuable tips and insights on how to help clients accomplish their business objectives, understand legal risks, and make informed decisions when conflicts arise. They update you on recent case law, review select commonly-encountered agreements, and address a wide range of time-tested techniques and important topics affecting commercial transactions today. Ask questions to customize your conversation with the experts!

# Agenda

- How Understanding Your Client's Business Needs and Priorities Can Help Structure an Efficient Drafting and Negotiation Process
- Using Timetables, Term Sheets, and Letters of Intent
- Negotiation Points in Select Key Provisions: Representations, Warranties, Covenants, and Conditions
- Key Issues in Commonly-Encountered Contracts
- Drafting and Negotiation Pet Peeves
- "Ask the Experts" Q&A Session

## Faculty

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# **Dates & Location**

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#### LIVE WEBCAST

Monday, November 18, 2024 1:00 pm-4:00 pm *Program # 2250008WBC* 

#### REBROADCAST

Tuesday, December 3, 2024 9:00 am-12:00 pm *Program # 2250008RB1* 

#### REBROADCAST 😳

Wednesday, December 11, 2024 12:00 pm–3:00 pm *Program # 2250008RB2* 

#### ON DEMAND WEBCAST CO

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