

## Here & Now: Emerging Topics in Psychedelics, Retirement, and Technology



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### ORIGINAL PROGRAM DATE

May 16, 2025

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### AVAILABLE MEDIA TYPES

Video & Audio MP3

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### REPORTING YOUR CREDIT

This on-demand seminar was originally presented as a live webcast on May 16, 2025, in Seattle, WA. If you attended the live webcast and reported CLE credits, you cannot also report credits from watching or listening to this recording if repeated within your three year reporting period.

### DESCRIPTION

Join us on-demand for a half-day CLE on three compelling topics: psychedelics, retirement, and the ethical use of technology. Regardless of where you are in your career or your practice area, you will gain new insights from this CLE.

First, hear about the latest federal and state updates in psychedelics law from two leading experts in this niche practice area, and how these developments implicate other practice areas such as nonprofit and healthcare law. Next, a panel of accomplished attorneys and judges share their thoughts on finding meaning and community in their post-retirement lives, including through law-adjacent activities. Finally, we share the latest tips on how to stay ethical with technology, including guidance for those who are semi- or mostly retired, but are still dabbling in the law on a paid or volunteer basis.

### AGENDA

#### 1 **Psychedelic Law 101: Representing Clients Without Tripping Out**

Learn about a new niche: Psychedelic Law. Building off the momentum of cannabis legalization, the plant medicine movement now embraces much more. Presenters John Rapp and Daniel Shortt will provide overviews of Oregon's legalization of psilocybin, Colorado's legalization of more, entheogenic churches and nonprofits, healthcare professionals' and others' risks; and developments in Washington and federal law.

*John Rapp – Salzhauer & Shortt, Poulsbo, WA*

*Daniel Shortt – Salzhauer & Shortt, Seattle, WA*

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### 2 I'm Retired – Now What? A Panel Discussion

In this session, you'll hear from accomplished judges and attorneys about creating meaning and community with law-adjacent activities after retirement. Panelists will also discuss dealing with both the expected and unexpected in retirement and combatting loneliness. Please note there is a break at the halfway point of the session.

*Carole Grayson – University of Washington School of Law, Seattle, WA*

*Judge Michael Heavey (Ret.) – Judges for Justice, Seattle, WA*

*Jennifer C. Rydberg – Senior Lawyers Section Executive Committee, Renton, WA*

*Judge Jeff Tolman (Ret.) – Poulsbo Municipal Court, Poulsbo, WA*

### 3 The Intersection of Law Practice Technology & Professional Responsibility

Attendees will learn how emerging technologies, including artificial intelligence, are being used in the practice of law. Attendees will explore how the use of these tools intersects with the Rules of Professional Conduct.

*LeighAnne Thompson – Seattle University School of Law, Seattle, WA*