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Track: **Litigation Consulting**

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Session Date/Time: *Friday, June 10, 2011 • 12:55 – 1:50 PM*

Session Title: **Playin' by the Rules: Dealing with the Federal Rules of Evidence and Civil Procedure**

Session Summary: Knowledge of the rules of civil procedure and evidence as they relate to expert witnesses, their reports, and their testimony, provides an arsenal for challenging expert witnesses on cross examination as well as armor to protect experts from opposing counsel. This session will provide experts with updates on current issues in, and changes to, the Federal Rules of Evidence and Civil Procedure relevant to their role in the litigation process, highlighting differences between federal and state practices. After completing this session, participants will write stronger expert reports and be better prepared for rigorous cross-examination (as either the witness or the interrogator).



CPE Hours/Fields of Study: CPE: 1 • 1Hr-SK&A

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