THE DUBLIN SOLICITORS BAR ASSOCIATION CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SEMINAR

MANDATORY CLIENT CARE AND PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS WEBINAR

15th July 2025: 2.00pm to 5.00pm

VIA WEBINAR

Every solicitor now has a CPD requirement which includes a minimum of 3 hours Client Care & Professional Standards with additional requirement for those who are sole practitioners or a compliance partner and/or money laundering compliance partner to include 1 hour accounting and antimoney laundering compliance. To help meet these requirements this seminar (with more to follow in the current year) will focus on the following key areas

ADVICES ON IMPLEMENTATION OF NEW SOLICITORS ACCOUNTS REGULATIONS & ANTI MONEY LAUNDERING ESSENTIAL CONSIDERATIONS - Jim Ryan

A REVIEW OF ISSUES RELATING TO CESSATION OF PRACTICE, SUCCESSION PRACTICES AND RUN OFF & PRACTICE REGULATION UPDATES - Sorcha Hayes

CYBER SECURITY UPDATES - Rory O'Neill

CHAIR: Avril Mangan, Mangan & Co Solicitors

Speakers

Jim Ryan is an Investigating Accountant of the Law Society where he has worked for over 25years. He is responsible for inspecting solicitors' practices for compliance with the Solicitors Accounts Regulations, 2023 and reporting to the Regulation of Practice Committee. Jim is a Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Certified Accountants.

Sorcha Hayes is the Head of Practice Regulation, Practice Closures and Regulatory Communications sections for the Regulations Department, Law Society of Ireland. These sections have responsibility for distressed practice closures, practicing certificates, professional indemnity insurance, practice commencements and cessations, certificates of good standing and attestation, Register of Orders, registered European lawyers, practice names, practice notepaper, historic complaints, guidance and ethics and regulatory communications. She also serves as Secretary of the Society's Professional Indemnity Insurance Committee.

Rory O'Neill is a Fellow Chartered Accountant and is the Financial Controller of the Compensation Fund of the Law Society. Prior to this Rory, spent 14 years as an investigating accountant, carrying out over 500 investigations and has been involved in a number of contentious matters before the High Court and Solicitors Disciplinary Tribunal. He has been consulted in relation to regulatory matters on state projects and is extensively involved in raising the profession's awareness of cybercrime and property fraud and the risk they pose to their practices.

Chair

Avril Mangan is the Principle Solicitor at Mangan and Co Solicitors, she is also Chair of the DSBA Practice Management Committee and Council member and Treasurer of the Dublin Solicitors Bar Association. She is the DSBA nominee to Law Society Counsel and also a member of the Law Society Regulation of Practice Committee.

Conference Information

15 July 2025 Date: Time: 2.00pm to 5.00pm **VIA WEBINAR** Location: Fees: € 165.00 Member € 280.00 Non-Member (includes DSBA membership fee for 2025) CPD: **3hrs Client Care and Professional Standards** Includes 1 hr of Accounting & Anti money-laundering compliance Conference Registration Form (DSBA Practice Management Webinar) Please complete the registration form below and send this with your payment to:-Anna Healy, Dublin Solicitors Bar Association, Unit 206, The Capel Building, Mary's Abbey, Dublin 7. Dx 200206 Capel Building Surname First Name Firm/Organisation Address

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