



**Session Title:**           **Social Media:** What are the common legal and political issues with elected officials using social media?

Official and personal use of social media raises numerous challenges, but opens up potentially rewarding ways to interact and provide services. Elected officials can encounter or use social media in two very different contexts: work-related use, and personal use (including use in election campaigning). There are opportunities and pitfalls. This session will provide time to learn about the pros and cons and to discuss the issues. The requirements of the Public Records Act and Open Public Meetings Act will be discussed.

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