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### Ethics and Government Lawyering in the Age of Trump With Guest Speaker Bradley Wendel

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**invites you to**

### **Ethics and Government Lawyering in the Age of Trump**

**with guest speaker  
Bradley Wendel**



**Monday, November 13, 2017**  
**6 - 7:30 p.m.**

Room 1008  
Cardozo School of Law  
55 Fifth Avenue  
New York, NY

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The Jacob Burns Center for Ethics in the Practice of Law presents **Ethics and Government Lawyering in the Age of Trump**, a speaker series that probes the ethical challenges confronting government lawyers in the Trump era. It features prominent members of former Presidential Administrations and leading scholars of legal ethics. Future speakers include Richard Painter (Feb. 19, 2018) and Walter Shaub (March 13, 2018). Prof. Wendel will review the application of the rules of professional responsibility, both as drafted by the American Bar Association as a set of model rules and adopted by various United States jurisdictions, to lawyers serving in the Trump administration. Prof. Wendel, who has written extensively about the alleged ethical violations of lawyers in the Bush administration in connection with the so-called "Torture Memos", has recently applied some of the lessons that were learned from that experience to the challenges that may face lawyers in the Trump Administration.

Prof. Wendel will survey the application of specific rules such as those, requiring competency, the exercise of independent professional judgment, and confidentiality, to various possible scenarios facing lawyers in the current administration. He will argue that lawyers who serve in the federal government are not immune from discipline by the bar, and that lawyers who serve the president have obligations that extend beyond their interest in zealously representing their "client."

This event has been approved for 1.0 transitional/nontransitional CLE credit in "Ethics and Professionalism."

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