

What our current members are saying.....

Why did you join NCPO?

"Together is better than alone, and Client Protection is too important and valuable to do anything but the best possible job."

"I have attended all meetings of the NOBC since 1981. I joined NCPO to get the same kind of help in better representing our Fund."

"To improve and enhance our fund. To keep informed of current developments of other client protection funds in the U.S."

"Networking, Education & Fund Development."

"It seemed like a good opportunity to communicate with other Funds."

"To learn about new ideas or problems from other States and use the information to assist our Fund."

"Hoping it would serve some of the same useful purposes as NOBC - to be a private, professional organization for Fund folks that fosters collegiality and learning."



"Interaction with other funds and members is important to me."

"I wanted to be a part of a group that advocates for the protection of law clients who are harmed by dishonest members of our profession."



"To share information regarding the myriad issues facing client protection boards."

"The NCPO meets the needs of the client protection funds nationwide."

JOIN US!

Make your check payable to:

NCPO, Inc.

and mail it to:

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An Invitation to Join

The NCPO



National Client Protection Organization, Inc.

The National Client Protection Organization, Inc. (NCPO) is a non-profit educational organization established in 1998 to assist and support client protection funds in the United States and Canada. Its members consist of client protection funds, bar associations and individuals. The individual members are fund administrators, trustees, and lawyers who have an interest in protecting clients from dishonest conduct in the practice of law. NCPO works closely with the ABA Center for Professional Responsibility and the ABA Standing Committee on Client Protection.

To protect law clients from dishonest conduct in the practice of law.

NCPO has two categories of membership set forth in its By-Laws:

Organizational Membership

Ideal for Boards of Trustees, bar associations, law societies, law firms and similar organizations.

Annual Organizational Membership dues are \$200.

Individual Membership

Persons who are professionally affiliated with, or otherwise involved or interested in, the field of law client protection.

Annual Individual membership dues are only \$25.

NCPO has been granted tax-exempt status by the Internal Revenue Service under section 501-(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.



NCPO's activities include:

- An interactive site on the World Wide Web: www.ncpo.org.
- *The Client Protection Webb*, a periodic newsletter focusing on client protection issues.



- Regional seminars and workshops for the sharing of experiences and administrative techniques and procedures.
- Annual participation in the ABA's National Forum on Client Protection.

- The NCPO Speakers' Bureau comprised of experienced members of the client protection field available for presentations or for consultation.
- A bibliography of case law, statutes and articles pertaining to client protection funding, claims evaluation, restitution and subrogation.
- Working closely with other state and national and international organizations, such as the American Bar Association, state court Chief Justices and Canadian Law Societies to promote client protection.



- Annual presentation of the *Isaac Hecht Law Client Protection Award* recognizing excellence in the field of client protection.



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