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Subject: **Tenth Annual Statewide Ethics Symposium – May 6, 2006**

Dear Legal Ethics Afficionado:

Please mark your calendars for **Saturday, May 6, 2006** and plan to attend this year's Tenth Annual Statewide Ethics Symposium, which will be held at Santa Clara University, School of Law, in Santa Clara.

As you know, the Symposium provides advanced programs for attorneys in all practice areas interested in cutting-edge ethics issues. This year's theme is "**Protecting and Using Confidential Information.**" Sessions will include:

- *Preserving Confidentiality in a Technological Age*
- *Disclosures of Confidential Information*
- *Client Secrets and the Lawyer's Right of Self-Defense*
- *A Report on the Commission for the Revision of the Rules of Professional Conduct*

This year the attendees will be fortunate to hear welcoming remarks from Santa Clara University, School of Law Dean Donald Polden and State Bar of California President James Heiting. The keynote address will be delivered by U.S. District Court Judge Jeremy D. Fogel, Northern District, California.

Santa Clara University is located about 5 minutes from San Jose International Airport and also accessible by Caltrain from the Santa Clara Station.

We will send registration materials to you as the Symposium approaches. In the meantime, please plan to join us and feel free to call Lauren McCurdy at (415) 538-2107 with any questions you might have.

We hope to see you in Santa Clara this May and wish to express our gratitude to Santa Clara University, School of Law for their contributions to the 2006 Symposium.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Steven A. Lewis".

Steven A. Lewis, Chair  
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