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At Katten, upholding ethics and professional responsibility is a critical matter. Jean Varak, a firm partner and its chief professional standards officer, oversees our Conflicts of Interest Department, counseling attorneys and firm leadership in both areas. She provides practical and actionable advice to the firm's administrative leadership to effectively implement strategic goals. She also works closely with the General Counsel team in the management of issues pertaining to risk, professional liability and in-house ethics education.

News

- Katten Names Sixteen New Partners in Five Practice Areas (August 5, 2014)

Presentations and Events

- Aon Law Firm Symposium (October 23–25, 2024) | *Panelist* | *The Conflicts Variety Hour: Tackling Recent Issues of Interest*
- Aon Law Firm Symposium (October 26–28, 2022) | *Panelist* | *On Tools of the Conflicts Trade: Advance Waivers and Ethical Screens*

Education

- JD, The John Marshall Law School
- BS, Indiana University

Bar Admissions

- Illinois