

# LUNCH & LEARN – THE BIG PICTURE; AN OVERVIEW OF BETTER CONTRACTS FOR ARCHITECTS



**Speaker Information:**  
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Mark Jacobsen is a Washington attorney who represents architects and engineers in all aspects of professional liability risk management, including:

- Contracts and contract negotiation
- Professional liability insurance coverage
- Licensure and regulatory compliance
- Design defect claim defense
- Project risk management and best practices
- Business law and planning, entity formation and support.

## Event Information

Join us for an one hour lunch & learn, “The Big Picture; An Overview of Better Contracts for Architects.” Lunch will be provided. This course provides a practical approach to drafting and negotiating Owner/Architect and subconsultant agreements. Participants will gain a clear understanding of the contract’s three essential purposes: to provide a plan for delivery of services, establish fair & balanced relationships with clients and establish appropriate “safety nets.” The course is approved by AIA for 1 LU.

## Learning Objectives

Participants will identify and understand the three essential purposes of a written contract.

Participants will acquire an understanding that written contracts are essential to manage successful projects.

Participants will be able to utilize a practical framework demonstrated in the course to draft effective contracts.

Participants will be able to identify critical contract terms essential to management of risk on projects.

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