Finishing Touches: Grammar and Proofreading Booster for Paralegals

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Agenda

9:30 a.m. – 9:35 a.m.	Welcome and Opening Remarks
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- 9:35 a.m. 10:30: a.m.
- Review the Eight Parts of Speech
- Understand Sentence Structure Errors
- Inspect Every Punctuation Mark
 - \circ Semicolon
 - \circ Comma
 - o Hyphen
 - o Parentheses
 - o Colon
 - o Em/En Dash

- Use Collective Nouns Correctly
- Watch Pronoun Case
 - Gerunds, Participles, and Infinitives

10:30 a.m. – 11:20 a.m. • Test for Subject/Verb Agreement

- Use Adjectives and Adverbs with Ease
- Watch Misplaced Modifiers and Dangling Verbals
- Don't Forget the Beautiful Subjunctive
- Transition Correctly from Direct to Indirect Speech
- Proofread Like a Detective
- Watch Your Word Usage

11:20 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Question and Answer Session

11:30 a.m.

End of Program