

KEEPING IT PRIVATE

NAVIGATING THE BALANCE OF PUBLIC DATA AND PRIVACY PROTECTIONS



Washington state is very open with the way its shares data within the public trust. Our state has one of the most advanced public records laws in the nation, and most public meetings are subject to the opens meeting act. At the same time, citizens have a right to privacy under the state's Constitution. On the private side, hackers are stalking your data and data brokers are collecting and selling it. You may be putting your privacy at risk simply by leaving your phone unlocked or by sharing personal information with an organization that then makes it publicly available.

This seminar presented by the state's **Office of Privacy & Data Protection** (privacy.wa.gov) will delve into these issues and provide tips on the law, protecting private data and strategies around what the library's role might be in helping balance these issues.

What You'll Learn:

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Laws that protect privacy
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Technology dangers: drones, biometrics, voice recording
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Tips for preserving your data

Where and When:



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