

Arizona Health-e Connection

SUMMIT SPEAKER BIOGRAPHY



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Kristen B. Rosati is a member (partner) in the law firm of Coppersmith Gordon Schermer & Brockelman PLC. Her practice concentrates in clinical research, electronic health records, health information privacy and security, and consent issues.

Ms. Rosati is a member of the American Health Lawyers Association (AHLA) Board of Directors, and is immediate past Chair of AHLA's Health Information and Technology Practice Group. She was a member of the National Governor's Association State Alliance for e-Health, Health Information Protection Task Force in 2007, and chairs the Legal Work Group for Arizona Health-e Connection, Arizona's e-health data exchange initiative.

Ms. Rosati is assisting the Battelle Technology Partnership Practice in creating the Arizona Translational Resource Network (AzTransNet), an effort by the Arizona Biomedical Research Commission to build clinical and translational research capacity in Arizona. AzTransNet is working to harmonize IRB and HIPAA processes across Arizona, organizing statewide research policy development retreats, and assisting in the creation of collaborative IRB resources. Ms. Rosati also assisted in the development of Arizona's Clinical and Translational Science Award (CTSA) grant proposal to NIH. On behalf of the Arizona Hospital and Healthcare Association, she developed a Clinical Research Policies Handbook and the HIPAA Privacy Tool Kit.

Ms. Rosati is a member of the Advisory Board for the Arizona State University (ASU) Biomedical Informatics Department and is on the Executive Committee and Advisory Board for the ASU Center for Health Care Innovation and Clinical Trials. She is also an adjunct professor of law and frequent guest lecturer at ASU.

Ms. Rosati lectures extensively on clinical research, electronic health records, and HIPAA and has spoken at numerous national conferences. She was co-editor and co-author of the AHLA publication, *The Quest for Interoperable Electronic Health Records: A Guide to Legal Issues in Establishing Health Information Networks*, and co-chaired the 2004 AHLA "HIT Think Tank", *Legal Barriers to Interoperable Electronic Health Records*. Ms. Rosati also has published a number of articles and book chapters on clinical research, electronic health records, and HIPAA, including *Developments in Electronic Health Records* (Aspen 2007 Health Law and Compliance Update); *Human Genetic Sampling and the HIPAA Privacy Standards* (Jurimetrics: The Journal of Law, Science, and Technology, Winter 2005); *HIPAA's Impact on Litigation* (WestGroup Health Law Handbook, 2005); *Lawyers as HIPAA Business Associates* (AHLA Expert Series Nov. 2003); *Disclosure of Protected Health Information to Law Enforcement under the HIPAA Privacy Standards* (AHLA Topical Insight Series, July 2003); and others.

Ms. Rosati received her B.A., with high honors, and her J.D., *cum laude*, from the University of Michigan. Before joining Coppersmith Gordon, Ms. Rosati was a visiting professor at the Arizona State University Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law and an associate at Brown & Bain, PA. She clerked for the late Judge Thomas Tang of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit and for Judge Earl H. Carroll of the U.S. District Court for the District of Arizona.