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Rebecca Cummings is the principal attorney and founder of Legacy Studio Estate Law. She is an expert in wills, trusts and estates, and for more than two decades she has worked with families on their estate planning and counseled families through the process of administering the estate of a loved one. Previously a full-time law professor and now an adjunct professor at Georgia State College of Law, Cummings has repeatedly been named one of the state's most effective lawyers and one of the Top 100 lawyers in Georgia. She also serves as an expert witness in estate and trust disputes and is the author of "The Case Against Access to Decedents' Email: Password Protection as an Exercise of the Right to Destroy." Cummings spent a decade as an entrepreneur and founder of a small law firm before becoming a partner in one of the most respected estate planning groups in Atlanta. In 2015 she established her current firm, Legacy Studio, which has now grown to four lawyers. Cummings is also a dynamic speaker, facilitator and business development coach. She is past president of the Georgia Association for Women Lawyers (GAWL), and she has given hundreds of workshops, presentations and keynote speeches to companies and organizations such as Coca Cola, the CDC, Emory, Commercial Real Estate Women (CREW), the Georgia Society of CPAs (GSCPA) and the Fiduciary Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia, speaking on topics such as Georgia's trust code, running effective meetings and successful negotiation strategies. Cummings earned her bachelor of arts degree at Emory University and her juris doctor degree at William & Mary Law School.