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FRIDAY 4:05 pm - 5:05 pm

Choice of Wealth Shifting Strategies Estate Planning for Divorces

Let's Get Ready to Rumble: Fundamentals of Life Insurance

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GENERAL INFORMATION

LAS VEGAS, NV - GENERAL INFORMATION



Las Vegas continues to build upon its reputation as a vibrant showcase for the extraordinary. The city attracts more than 39 million visitors a year by offering the grandest hotels, the biggest stars in entertainment, the highest caliber of award-winning chefs and master sommeliers, and, of course, the brightest lights.

While planning an evening of entertainment, look to the growing roster of gourmet restaurants and unparalleled wine and food adventures in Las Vegas. A host of fine dining and lifestyle magazines - including *Bon Appetit, Wine Spectator, Gourmet, Robb Report* and *Esquire* - have honored the city for its fantastic fare and hailed individual restaurants for their exquisite cuisine, created by the likes of Bradley Ogden, Hubert Keller, Alain Ducasse, Emeril Lagasse, and Wolfgang Puck.

There are many reasons Las Vegas commands the title "The Entertainment Capital of the World." Some of the world's most exciting and versatile entertainers have performed here, including Celine Dion, Elton John, Jerry Seinfeld, Jay Leno, Garth Brooks, and so many more. Also, hot selling tickets include Broadway hits such as "Jersey Boys" and "Tony & Tina's Wedding." Other entertainment options include several resident Cirque du Soleil productions, comedy clubs, magicians, classic Las Vegas showgirl revues, and more.

WEATHER & ATTIRE

The average daily high temperature in the area in November is 70 degrees and the average daily low temperature is 50 degrees.

Recommended conference attire is business casual.

PRESENTATION MATERIALS & ROSTER OF ATTENDEES

All Council Leadership Day and Educational registrants will receive the technical materials in two formats:

- A flash drive that contains a full outline for each presentation (advance access will also be available online and communicated to all registered attendees via email)
- An abbreviated outline in the conference registration binder

Power outlets will be available for those attendees that choose to bring an electronic device to access previously downloaded materials. An internet connection will not be available in the general sessions space.

LODGING INFORMATION

The Cosmopolitan of Las Vegas is a unique luxury resort & casino unlike anything else in Las Vegas. This original destination features residential-styled living spaces with exclusive private terraces and breathtaking views. Dining is reinvented with a one-of-a-kind restaurant collection. Stylish design and art engage cultural sensibilities, while a vibrant nightlife scene captivates perceptions. Combine it all with an eclectic mix of hand-selected boutiques, an unrivaled Pool District, a 100,000 square-foot casino and the relaxing serenity of Sahra Spa & Hammam to redefine your Las Vegas experience.

A special block of rooms has been reserved for 50th Annual Conference attendees at The Cosmopolitan of Las Vegas. The NAEPC room rate is \$179 (single/double occupancy, exclusive of applicable state and local taxes) and includes in-room internet service at no additional charge. Additional room options are available. Reservations must be made by Friday, October 25, 2013 to guarantee the group rate.

To reserve, visit http://www.naepc.org/conference or phone (855) 435-0005 and reference group code "SNAEP3."

TRANSPORTATION DISCOUNTS

RENTAL CAR — NAEPC has arranged for special discounts with Hertz for rentals in Las Vegas. To reserve, visit the "conferences" page of www.naepc.org and click on the Hertz logo to make an online reservation. You may also call (800) 654-2240 and reference CV code 03WB0010 to obtain the discounted rate.

CANCELLATION POLICY

Any cancellation must be received in writing or via email to conference@naepc.org. A full refund will be granted if notice is received on or before September 30, 2013. Registrants who cancel between October 1, 2013 and October 31, 2013 will forfeit a \$100 administrative fee. No refunds will be granted after October 31, 2013.

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT INFORMATION

16.5 hours of Accredited Estate Planner[®] designation credit have been awarded for this program.

The following credit will be requested in all states: insurance, legal, accounting, CFP[®], CTFA and PACE for Thursday, November 21, 2013 and Friday, November 22, 2013. **Insurance professionals must attend the entire two days of technical education to receive credit.** Partial credit is NOT available. Insurance, legal, and CFP[®] license numbers are required in order to receive credit. Credit will also be available for Enrolled Agents.

The conference offers up to 15 hours of continuing education credit. Individual states determine the total number of credits awarded. Participants are able to monitor the status of credit approval by state by visiting http://www.naepc.org/conference. Approvals are updated as they are received beginning approximately two months prior to the conference.

The Society of Financial Service Professionals is registered with the National Association of State Boards of Accountancy (NASBA) as a sponsor of continuing professional education on the National Registry of CPE Sponsors. State boards of accountancy have final authority on the acceptance of individual courses for CPE credit. Complaints regarding registered sponsors may be addressed to the National Registry of CPE Sponsors, 150 Fourth Avenue North, Nashville, TN 37219-2417. This program is recommended for a total of 15 specialized knowledge & applications credit hours. The 50th Annual Conference is an advanced educational program. A CPA that devotes at least 35% of their practice to estate planning meets the prerequisite level of knowledge to attend the program. After attending, participants will be able to identify and implement advanced estate planning techniques that will improve professionalism and personal service to their clients.

Continuing education credit is administered by the Society of FSP.

COMPANION PROGRAM

COMPANION REGISTRANT INFORMATION – Companion conference registration fee includes all breakfasts, the Wednesday evening welcome reception, and the companion tours. **Please note, educational sessions are not available to companions.**



WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2013

THE COSMOPOLITAN OF LAS VEGAS FOOD TOUR & COOKING DEMONSTRATION – **12:30 PM – 3:30 PM**

Come "taste" a true behind the scenes look at the fabulous food and beverage operation at The Cosmopolitan of Las Vegas! Attendees will experience the award-winning Wicked Spoon Buffet, the 24-hour / 3,000 suite room service operation, and The Cosmopolitan's \$40 million dollar revenue-producing banquet kitchens, experiencing a taste at each stop along the way. Next stop, a cooking extravaganza at Jaleo!

Attendees will roll up their sleeves for an interactive cooking demonstration with Jaleo's chef. This on-property restaurant showcases the tradition of cooking paella, Spain's native dish, over a wood fire - its unique paella kitchen is the first of its kind in America! This truly is the best show in town!

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2013

DAY TRIP TO HOOVER DAM & BOULDER CITY - 8:30 AM - 3:30 PM

Built during the Great Depression, the Hoover Dam provided jobs for 21,000 men and answered a great need. Citizens wanted to irrigate low desert areas without the risk of flooding, and the United States government determined the Colorado River was the solution to the battle over water rights. The Hoover Dam was named after Herbert Hoover for his vital role in its construction, first as the United States Secretary of Commerce and then as the President of the United States of America.

A knowledgeable guide will prepare guests with a history-filled dialogue as they travel from the Las Vegas Strip to Boulder City, the location of the Hoover Dam. Upon arrival at the Dam, guests will begin the self-guided tour. Several stops are along the way, including a brief video introduction followed by a trip down 530-feet through the rock wall of the Black Canyon to view eight of the 17 generators. A stroll on the observation deck is essential, as it offers up the perfect panoramic views of the Hoover Dam, Colorado River, and Lake Mead. Guests can also see the Mike O'Callaghan/Pat Tillman Memorial Bridge, built to alleviate the traffic caused by 15,000 people passing through each day. Additional stops on the tour include the Winged Figures of the Republic, the spillways, and the intake towers. Participants will have approximately two hours at the Hoover Dam to leisurely tour and learn about this masterful site.



Guests will then be transported to Boulder City for lunch and time to explore on their own before heading back to The Cosmopolitan of Las Vegas.



FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2013

HISTORIC LAS VEGAS - 9:30 AM - 4:00 PM

This tour offers a small taste of the rich history that Las Vegas has to share!

The first stop on this tour is the Neon Boneyard. The Neon Museum was established as a nonprofit organization in 1996 to collect and exhibit neon signs, the classic Las Vegas art form. Its collection boasts over 150 donated and rescued signs with the core of the collection contained in the Neon Museum Boneyard, a rambling park approximately two acres in size. Featured signs date from the late 1930s through the early 90s and represent motels, local businesses, and celebrated casinos from throughout the Las Vegas Valley. While the Boneyard is not electrified, the photogenic collection offers a glimpse into the storied past of Las Vegas.

Next stop, the Mob Museum, the stage for the biggest mob hearing in history! The Mob Museum rests inside the historic former federal courthouse and U.S. Post Office, one of the few remaining historically significant buildings in Las Vegas, included on both the Nevada and National Registers of Historic Places. From 1950 to 1951, the Kefauver Committee hearings on organized crime were held in 14 cities around the United States. In Las Vegas, the hearings were conducted in the courtroom in this very building on November 15, 1950. The courtroom has been recreated to appear as it did back then, a true portal to a time when the Mob "ran the town."

Guests will then be transferred to the world-famous Fremont Street in Downtown Las Vegas to learn about the early history of hotels and casinos in Las Vegas, as well as the growth and revitalization of Fremont Street over the years. Attendees will have time on their own to explore Fremont Street, grab a bite to eat, or gamble at the downtown tables.

The day will end with an optional ride on the New York, New York Roller Coaster! The roller coaster will lift you up 203 feet, drop you down 144 feet, and leave you coasting at 67 MPH. (Please indicate whether you will participate on the registration form.)

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2013

COUNCIL LEADERSHIP DAY is designed to be a sharing session among leaders of NAEPC-affiliated local councils. The morning is dedicated to the National Association of Estate Planners & Councils and The NAEPC Education Foundation annual business meetings and committee updates, while afternoon sessions are committed to leadership development. The attendee can expect to interact with fellow volunteer leaders, attend breakout sessions designed for idea sharing and growth, and learn about ongoing NAEPC programs and services. Nearly 50% of affiliated local councils are represented by officers, administrators, and/or board members each year. Don't miss the opportunity to share your council's successes, learn how to conquer the struggles, and deliver valuable benefits to your members.

The National Association of Estate Planners & Councils and The NAEPC Education Foundation Annual Meetings take place the morning of Wednesday, November 20, 2013 and are an excellent opportunity to learn about all of the exciting things happening at the national level of benefit to the affiliated local council and its membership. ALL ATTENDEES for Council Leadership Day should attend as these sessions are a part of the program for local council leaders.

COUNCIL LEADERSHIP DAY SCHEDULE

7:30 am - 8:30 am

Breakfast

8:30 am - 12:00 pm

NAEPC & The NAEPC Education Foundation Annual Meetings (Council leaders should plan to attend this portion of the program.) Informational Updates - Review of Benefits, Programs & Services Available to Councils and Council Members

<u>12:00 pm - 1:00 pm</u>

Lunch

1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Council Leadership Sharing Sessions Administrator/Paid Staff Included*



5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Welcome Reception for All Attendees and Registered Companions

* Council Administrators / Paid Staff are encouraged to attend the sessions, both the Annual Meeting and Council Leadership Sharing Sessions as noted above, on Wednesday, November 20, 2013. The annual Administrator's Dinner will take place on Wednesday, November 20, 2013 at a date, time, and location to be determined.

Special private sessions have been added to the program on Thursday, November 21, 2013 from 8:00 am – 12:00 pm just for council Administrators / Paid Staff. Please make travel plans accordingly!

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2013

5:00 pm - 7:00 pm Welcome Reception for all attendees and registered companions

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2013

4th Annual Fun Run & Walk This 2-mile run/walk is sure to start your day on a healthy foot and provides a great start to the conference's technical program. (All fitness levels are welcome to participate.)

6:30 am - 8:00 am **Breakfast**

5.45 am

Sponsor Bonus Sessions, choose one Option 1: The Secondary Market for Life Insurance, the Market Today *Offered by Coventry* 7:00 am - 7:50 am MICHAEL COBEN

The secondary market for life insurance has transformed the wealth management industry, providing advisors with new tools for managing clients' assets. This presentation provides advisors with a historical overview of the market, its transactions and how to capitalize on new opportunities to create greater value for clients and to grow their business. This presentation covers market fundamentals, from the origins of the market to how it is currently changing the business of wealth management. Specific topics include: policy valuation, life settlement transactions, identifying appropriate candidates, fiduciary responsibility, current state regulations, and due diligence. The presentation also outlines proven strategies for incorporating secondary market opportunities into existing advisor practices. Throughout, several real-world case examples will illustrate the concepts presented.

Option 2: Searching for Missing Heirs of Beneficiaries: What You Need to Know about the Heir-Tracing Industry to Protect the Heir's Interests and Your Fiduciary Duty Offered by International Genealogical Search Inc. SUZANNE SIMPSON In the course of administration on sector with the course of administration of the sector.

SUZANNE SIMPSON In the course of administering an estate or trust, a critical duty is to ascertain the whereabouts of missing heirs or beneficiaries. The services of a professional genealogical heir search firm may be required, provided the fees are reasonable. Determining the search firm's fee methodology, and the implications of that fee to the heirs and to yourself, is crucial in order to establish a fair and reasonable approach.

8:00 am 50th Annual Conference Welcome & Opening Remarks

8:15 am - 9:15 am

Current Developments JEFFREY N. PENNELL, JD This session will consider marital deduction, credit shelter, and portability planning for married couples after 2010, mindful of the sunset that may occur in 2013, with special consideration of ethics issues and legitimate methods to minimize the disruption caused by a surviving spouse claiming the elective share

9:20 am - 10:20 am A Portable Guide to the Portability Election SAMUEL A. DONALDSON, JD, LL.M., AEP® (Distinguished) When the portability election debuted in 2011, practitioners assumed it was a safety net for those who didn't get professional planning advice. Now that the election is permanent, planners realize there are many common situations where the portability election will be the preferred tax-planning vehicle for married couples. This session will look at the situations where the election, beats traditional credit shelter trust planning, the practical mechanics for making the election, and issues that still lack definitive answers.

10:20 am - 10:50 am Break

10:50 am - 11:50 am Family Investment Partnerships: Structure, Design, Issues & Problems

Family Investment Partnerships: Structure, Design, Issues & Problems (Beyond the Valuation Discount) PAUL S. LEE, JD, LL.M. FLPs holding liquid investments are used for more than the valuation discount (which may become a thing of the past). This presentation will address alternative ways to structure the FLP from single class share to more exotic designs (series, qualified & non-qualified preferred, guaranteed payments, etc.), the transfer tax (specifically, Section 2701), partnership and income issues that arise with each type of design, the unresolved partnership accounting and income tax issues, how different structures might be applied in different estate planning techniques, and the securities law issues that may arise, especially in light of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform Act.

11:50 am - 1:15 pm Lunch

1:15 pm - 2:15 pm

Social Science, Human Error & Behavior NANCY B. RAPOPORT, JD This session explores why very smart people find themselves in situations in which they ask themselves why they went so wrong. The presenter will address social science explanations for dumb behavior

2:20 pm - 3:20 pm

Structuring Trusts or Trust Design Strategies DAVID A. HANDLER, JD, AEP® (Distinguished) The presenter will address how to build flexibility into trusts (trustee appointment provisions, powers of appointment), important but overlooked clauses to include in trusts, approaches to structuring trust terms and the interplay with trustees (distribution provisions, trustee/fiduciary structures), and trustee guidance (guidelines and whether to consider or ignore other income/resources).

3:20 pm - 4:00 pm Break

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Breakout Sessions, choose one How to Get Your Clients to Proceed with Their Planning DAVID A. HANDLER, JD, AEP® (Distinguished), STEPHAN R. LEIMBERG, JD, AEP® (Distinguished), and RICHARD A. OSHINS, JD, LL.M., MBA, AEP® (Distinguished) All too frequently clients do not proceed with sensible estate planning because of many misconceptions, such as "it's too complex", "it imposes too many controls", or "it is too expensive", without adequate recognition of the enormous harm that their family will encounter. During this session attendees will learn how to significantly improve the probability that clients will proceed and implement planning. Your clients will do what you advise them if you address and eliminate their fars! and eliminate their fears!

So You Want to Be a Philanthropist? CHRISTOPHER R. HOYT, JD, AEP® (Distinguished) Hoyt will address cost-benefit choices for the philanthropist when choosing between a private foundation, a supporting organization, or a donor advised fund, and will offer a summary of various legal, tax, and administrative advantages and disadvantages of each type of philanthropic vehicle to help a donor make the best decision during this session.

Special Needs Trusts: What Every Estate Planning Professional Needs to Know BERNARD A. KROOKS, JD, CPA, LL.M., CELA, AEP[®] This course offers a primer on special needs trusts and what you need to know to incorporate this important planning opportunity into your practice. It is estimated that one in seven Americans has a disability and this number is expected to continue to rise as the baby boomers age and more children are diagnosed with autism and other developmental disabilities. In this environment, planning for individuals with disabilities takes on increased importance in the estate planning practice. Utilizing various types of special needs trusts, Krooks will discuss how to access government-financed heafth care while preserving the family nest egg. Moreover, the quality of life of the family member with disabilities will be improved. Pertinent tax considerations will be discussed; including how to balance special needs planning with traditional tax planning for the high-net worth client.

PRESENTERS

BERNARD A. KROOKS, JD, CPA, LL.M., CELA, AEP[®] Bernard A. Krooks is a founding partner of the law firm Littman Krooks LLP, chair of its elder law and special needs department, and is a nationally-recognized expert in all aspects of elder law and special needs planning. He is past president of the Special Needs Alliance, a national, invitation-only, not-for-profit organization dedicated to assisting families with special needs planning Webs Amarbe, a halona, invitatorony, non-on-point organization deducated to assisting families with spectra needs planting. Mr. Krooks is past president and fellow of the National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys, past chair of its tax section and past editor-in-chief of NAELA News, as well as a founding member and past president of its New York chapter and in 2008 received the chapter's Outstanding Achievement Award for his lifelong work on behalf of seniors and those with disabilities. Krooks is past chair of the elder law section of the New York State Bar Association and past editor-in-chief of its newsletter, the Elder Law At-torney. He is also a member of the trusts and estates law and tax sections of the New York State Bar Association and co-authored torney. He is also a member of the trusts and estates law and tax sections of the New York State Bar Association and co-authored the chapter entitled "Creative Advocacy in Guardianship Settings: Medicaid and Estate Planning, Including Transfer of Assets, Supplemental Needs Trusts & Protection of Disabled Family Members" of its publication *Guardianship Practice in New York State* and its publication *Elder Law, Special Needs Planning and Will Drafting*. He serves on the editorial boards of *Exceptional Parent Magazine*, *Trusts & Estates* magazine, and Leimberg Information Services. Krooks, a sought-after expert on elder law, special needs planning and estate planning matters, has been quoted in many national publications, has presented at national educational conferences, has testified before the United States House of Representatives and the New York Up Council on long-term care. issues, and has appeared on many radio and national television programs. Krooks is past president of the Estate Planning Council of Westchester, serves on the advisory board of The NAEPC Education Foundation, and is a member of the New York City and Hudson Valley Estate Planning Councils.

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PAUL 5. LEE, 30, LLM. Paul S. Lee is a national managing director of Bernstein Global Wealth Management and is a member of the firm's wealth manage-ment group. Lee received a BA, cum laude, in English and a BA in chemistry from Cornell University, and a JD, with honors, from Emory University School of Law, where he was notes and comments editor of the *Emory Law Journal*. He also received an LL.M. In taxation from Emory University. A frequent lecturer and panelist on investment planning and tax and estate planning, Lee has spoken at many national conferences and his articles have been published by the American College of Trust and Estates Law Journal, BNA Tax Management Estates, Gifts and Trusts Journal, BNA Tax Management Memorandum, The Practical Tax Lawyer, Major Tax Planning, Trusts & Estates, and the Emory Law Journal.

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CARLYN MCCAFFREY, LL.B., LL.M., AEP[®] (DISTINGUISHED) Carlyn S. McCaffrey is a partner in the law firm of McDermott Will & Emery LLP and is co-head of the private client practice in the firm's New York office. She focuses her practice on domestic and international tax and estate planning for high-net worth individuals and advises individuals and institutions on charitable planning matters. Since 2006, Chambers USA has ranked her a "Star" lawyer for business and wealth management, with the most recent edition stating that she "is regarded by the market as being at the cutting edge of trusts and estate law." McCaffreg frequently lectures on subjects relating to tax law, trusts and estates being at the cutting edge of trusts and estate law." McCaffreg frequently lectures on subjects relating to tax law, trusts and estates being at the cutting edge of trusts and estate law." McCaffreg frequently lectures on subjects relating to tax law. Trusts and estates being at the cutting edge of trusts and estates extensively on these topics, is the co-author of *Structuring the Tax Consequences of Marriage and Divorce*. She is an adjunct professor of law at New York University School of Law and the Mami Law School. She is a follow end neutropicip of the Americon College of Tax IS Feator Courseol a follow of the Americon College of Causeol and the Ameri Maringe and Divorce. She is an adjunct professor of law at New York University School of Law and the Miami Law School. She is a fellow and past president of the American College of Trust & Estate Counsel, a fellow of the American College of Tax Counsel, a member of the International Academy of Trust & Estate Counsel, and a member of the joint editorial board for Uniform Trust and Estate Act of the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform Laws. In addition, she is a past member of the council of the real property probate and trust section of the American Bar Association, former chair of the section's generation-skipping transfer tax committee, member of the tax section of the New York State Bar Association and former co-chair of the section's estates and trusts committees, a member of the advisory committee of the Heckerling Institute on Estate Planning, member and the secretary of the board of directors of the Catholic Communal Fund, member of the board of directors of the Breast Cancer search Fund, and member of the board of directors of the ACTEC Foundation.

RICHARD A. OSHINS, JD, LL.M., MBA, AEP^e (DISTINGUISHED) Richard A. Oshins is a member of the Las Vegas law firm of Oshins & Associates, LLC where he concentrates in tax and estate planning with a substantial emphasis on multi-generational wealth planning particularly with regard to closely held businesses. Oshins has been an advisor and consultant to many of the largest financial institutions in the United States. He has been listed in both *The Best Lawyers in America* and Martindale-Hubbell's list of *Preeminent Lawyers* from their inception and was selected by Worth magazine as one of the Top 100 Attorneys in the United States. Oshins has lectured extensively on innovative tax and the United States. The second selected by Worth magazine as one of the Top 100 Attorneys in the United States. Oshins has lectured extensively on innovative tax and the United States. The State States and the United States. The United States are selected by Worth magazine as one of the Top 100 Attorneys in the United States. The United States and the United States are selected by Worth magazine as one of the Top 100 Attorneys in the United States. The State States are selected by Worth magazine as one of the Top 100 Attorneys in the United States. The State States are selected by Worth magazine as one of the Top 100 Attorneys in the United States. The State States are selected by Worth magazine as one of the Top 100 Attorneys in the United States. The State State State State States are selected by Worth magazine as one of the Top 100 Attorneys in the United States. The State estate planning strategies and is the author or co-author of many articles on estate planning. He is on the advisory board of the NYU Institute on Federal Taxation, the editorial board of Estate Planning magazine, advisory board of Wealth Management Business, and the advisory board of CCH.

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THURSDAY & FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 21-22, 2013

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THURSDAY 5:15 pm - 6:45 pm PRIVATE SESSION FOR ACTIVE ACCREDITED ESTATE PLANNER® DESIGNEES ONLY

Six Magic Steps to Power Marketing STEPHAN R. LEIMBERG, JD, AEP® (Distinguished) Marketing estate planning services in these changing times means you must learn how to build your name, and your firms' name, into a recognized brand name, how to bring more clients, and higher net-worth quality clients into your office, and how to keep them there in a continuous lifelong stream. Leimberg will share dozens of creative, innovative, mind-stretching, and easily-implemented practical ideas such as the "Positive Differentiation" theorem, "Leimberg Leveraging", the "Firestorm Technique", the "Silence of the Lambs" principal, the "Lexus" technique, the "Niko" concept, and "the "Pepperoni Bread Principle." Marketing your name and your practice is the key to move your professional life to your personal next level. Leimberg's "Marketing Systems Approach" will help you effectively & efficiently structure a stronger and even more successful estate, financial, business, or employee benefit planning practice. employee benefit planning practice.

FRIDAY

6:30 am - 8:00 am Breakfast

7:00 am - 7:50 am

Sponsor Bonus Session How to Give Your Clients a Seamless Solution for Finding and Managing an Employee Offered by: CARE.COM

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8:00 am - 8:45 am

NAEPC Annual Awards Ceremony 2013 Hartman Axley Lifetime Service Award Presentation 2013 Induction into Estate Planning Hall of Fame®

8:45 am - 9:45 am

Section 1411 - The Tax Version of the Twilight Zone DAVID H. KIRK, JD, LL.M. (taxation), CPA, CFP® This presentation will offer a topical discussion of Code Section 1411 (net investment income tax), with a particular focus on the applicability of the tax to estates and trusts. The principal author of the regulations will cover the guidance issued by the IRS (to date) and a general discussion on what to expect during the 2014 tax compliance season.

9:45 am - 10:45 am Using Defined Value Clauses to Reduce Gift Tax Valuation Risk CARLYN MCCAFFREY, LL.B., LL.M., AEP® (Distinguished) When a client wants to give or sell hard-to-value assets to a family member or trust for family members, she will often run the risk of gift tax exposure if the IRS successfully challenges that value. Using a defined value clause is one technique that may reduce that risk. The IRS opposes the use of such clauses on the grounds that they violate public policy. The tax court's 2012 decision in the Wandry case is the latest in a series of decisions in which a court has rejected the government's public policy argument. This session will discuss the use of these clauses with a focus on how to draft them in a manner that is less likely to be vulnerable to an IRS attack.

10:45 am - 11:15 am Break

11:15 am - 12:15 pm Hybrid DAPT STEVEN J. OSHINS, JD, AEP® (Distinguished) The Domestic Asset Protection Trust has become one of the most widely-used asset protection techniques among asset protection professionals. The speaker will talk about a twist on the Domestic Asset Protection Trust that significantly increases the probability of successfully protecting

12:15 pm - 1:45 pm Lunch

1:45 pm - 2:45 pm

Current Issues Involving FLPs, LLCs, and Other Closely Held Entities JOHN W. PORTER, B.B.A., JD, AEP® (Distinguished) Porter will lead a discussion of current transfer tax issues involving the valuation of interests in closely held entities, including family limited partnerships, limited liability companies, and formula transfers. The presentation will include an analysis of current IRS positions, defenses to those positions, recent case law, and practical pointers to avoid IRS challenges to the use of these business and estate planning techniques.

2:50 pm - 3:50 pm

Advanced Tax Strategies for High-Net Worth Individuals ROBERT S. KEEBLER, CPA, MST, AEP® (Distinguished) This presentation covers advanced tax and estate planning strategies for high-net worth clients, paying special attention to changes in the tax law effective in 2013. Topics include the 3.8% surtax on net investment income, Roth conversions, charitable lead trust and donor advised funds, and charitable remainder trusts

3:50 pm - 4:05 pm Break

4:05 pm - 5:05 pm

Breakout Sessions, choose one Choice of Wealth Shifting Strategies VINCENT M. D'ADDONA, CLU[®], ChFC[®], AEP[®], ROBERT S. KEEBLER, CPA, MST, AEP[®] (Distinguished), and STEVEN J. OSHINS, JD, AEP[®] (Distinguished) There are a number of different wealth shifting strategies available to the estate planner. The speakers will talk about some of the different strategies, and combinations of strategies, with an emphasis on maximizing the wealth transfer while at the same time memorian the diff tay exposure managing the gift tax exposure.

Estate Planning for Divorces JEREMIAH W. DOYLE IV, JD, LL.M. (taxation), LL.M. (banking law), AEP® (Distinguished) This presentation discusses the review of an estate plan upon divorce, sale of a personal residence, income and gift tax issues of property settlements, dividing a charitable remainder trust, liability for joint income tax returns, tax consequences of dividing stock options, deferred compensation and retirement benefits, and naming beneficiaries after the divorce. It will also address how assets held in an irrevocable trust for the benefit of one of the spouses is affected by the divorce.

Let's Get Ready to Rumble: Fundamentals of Life Insurance ALBERT E. GIBBONS, CLU[®], ChFC[®], AEP[®] (Distinguished) NOMINEE, MICHAEL W. HALLORAN, CLU[®], ChFC[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CFP[®], REBC, RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], AEP[®], CH[®], REC[®], RHU, LUTCF, MSFS, MSM, and ROBERT C. SIANNE, CLU[®], REP[®]

5:05 pm - 5:15 pm **Closing Remarks**

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