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This conference has been created and is hosted for **every estate planning professional** regardless of their designation(s). We'll focus first on the educational portion of the program, which is available to anyone within the profession of estate planning, regardless of membership status within a local Estate Planning Council. Following, we'll host the Council Leadership Conference (formerly known as "Council Leadership Day") where leaders from councils around the country convene with peers to learn best practices to maintain and create a thriving local council. These sessions are limited to individuals currently serving as volunteer board members or staff executive / administrator for a local council. By picking up this brochure you're already halfway there...don't wait, register today!

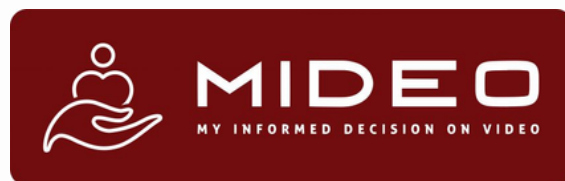
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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2024

All times Pacific Time

11:00 am - 7:00 pm

Registration Open for Exhibitors, Annual Conference Attendees, Monday Single-Day Passholders, and Annual Conference Attendees with Council Leadership Conference Pass

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

NAEPC Past President's Council Meeting (invitation only)

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

VIP Reception with Exhibitors for NAEPC Board, Past Presidents & Council Leaders



5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Kick-Off Welcome Reception for All Attendees with Exhibitors

MONDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2024

7:00 am - 8:00 am

Breakfast with Exhibitors

8:00 am - 8:30 am

Conference Opening Remarks & NAEPC 2024 Annual Meeting

8:30 am - 9:30 am

Federal Tax Update

Samuel A. Donaldson, JD, LL.M., AEP® (Distinguished)

9:30 am - 10:00 am

Break with Exhibitors

10:00 am - 11:00 am

Patient Safety Concerns with Living Wills & Advance Directives

Ferdinando Mirarchi, DO, FAAEM, FACEP

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Family Business Succession Planning After Connelly: Legal and Practical Considerations

April Caudill, JD, CLU®, ChFC®, AEP® (Distinguished) Nominee

12:00 pm - 1:30 pm

Lunch with Exhibitors

1:30 pm – 2:30 pm

Some Reasonable Estate Planning Steps for the Middle Tier Family
Jonathan G. Blattmachr, Esq., AEP® (Distinguished)

2:30 pm – 3:30 pm

The Essential Charitable Planner
Edward J. Beckwith, JD, LL.M.

3:30 pm – 4:00 pm

Break with Exhibitors

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Nowhere to Run, Nowhere to Hide – the Corporate Transparency Act and Modern Trust Planning
Jocelyn Margolin Borowsky, JD, LL.M. (taxation) & Elizabeth King, JD, LL.M.

5:00 pm – 6:30 pm

Attendee Reception with Exhibitors



Honors, Awards, and Accolades

Robert E. Fox, CLU®, AEP® Volunteer Service Award

Recognizing exceptional volunteer service to an estate planning council, a local community, or to NAEPC during the prior year.

2023 Recipients: William F. Super, CPA, RIA, MS-TAX, AEP®, PFS
Stuart D. Zimring, JD

2024 Recipient: Not Yet Named

NAEPC Estate Planning Hall of Fame®

Offered in recognition of distinguished service to the profession of estate planning.

2024 Inductees: Farhad Aghdami, JD, LL.M. (taxation)
April Caudill, JD, CLU®, ChFC®, AEP®
Amy K. Kanyuk, JD, MBA
Robert H. Sitkoff, JD
Suzanne Brown Walsh, JD

Hartman Axley Lifetime Service Award

Honoring those who have been highly active in the estate planning community and crucial to the development of NAEPC.

2024 Recipient: Clark B. McCleary, CLU®, ChFC®, MSFS, AEP® (Distinguished)

7:00 am - 8:00 am

Breakfast with Exhibitors

7:15 am - 7:45 am

Sponsored Workshop

Charitable Giving through Individual Retirement Accounts

Forest J. Dorkowski, JD, LL.M. (taxation)

Offered by St. Jude Children's Research Hospital / ALSAC

8:00 am - 8:25 am

Daily Remarks and Presentation of Robert E. Fox, CLU®, AEP® Volunteer & Hartman Axley Lifetime Service Awards

8:25 am - 9:25 am

Strategic Allocation: Long-term Investment Planning that Reflects Changing Market Conditions

John P. Hussman, Ph.D.

9:25 am - 10:00 am

Break with Exhibitors

10:00 am - 11:00 am

The Secondary Market for Life Insurance: Current Trends, New Applications

Peter M. Hershon, CLU®, ChFC®

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Estate Planning Paralysis: Getting Your Clients to Act

Justin T. Miller, JD, LL.M. (taxation), TEP, AEP®, CFP®

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Lunch with Exhibitors

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Litigator's Lessons Learned

Stephanie Loomis-Price, JD, AEP® (Distinguished)

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

State Income Taxation of Trusts: California, New York, and Beyond

Richard W. Nenno, JD, AEP® (Distinguished) & Vincent C. Thomas

3:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Break with Exhibitors / Exhibit Hall Closes

3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Recent Developments in Cross Border Planning: Offshore Trusts and Expatriation: Solutions or Illusions?

Joan K. Crain, CFP®, TEP, AEP® (Distinguished)

4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

What Every Estate Planner Needs to Know About Spotting Red Flags of Elder Financial Exploitation; and What To Do When Recognizing Those Signs

Paul R. Greenwood, JD, LL.B.

6:00 pm

President's Reception (invitation only)

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6:00 am – 6:30 am

Awakening Yoga (no additional fee, but registration is required)

7:00 am – 8:00 am

Breakfast

Concurrent Breakfast: Accredited Estate Planner® Designation from A – Z
(sign up to learn more about the AEP® designation)

8:00 am – 8:10 am

Daily Remarks

8:10 am – 9:10 am

Artificial Intelligence: Benefits and Ethical Pitfalls
Nancy B. Rapoport, JD

9:10 am – 9:45 am

NAEPC Estate Planning Hall of Fame® Induction Ceremony

9:45 am – 10:25 am

Break

10:25 am – 11:25 am

Avoiding Planning Pitfalls That May Trigger Compliance Issues
Kyle C. Martin & Susan P. Rounds, JD, CPA, LL.M. (taxation), TEP, AEP® (Distinguished)

11:25 am – 12:25 pm

Oil & Gas Assets; Estate and Gift Planning Opportunities and Challenges
Wes Turiano

12:25 pm – 12:30 pm

Closing Remarks

12:30 pm – 1:30 pm

Annual Conference Closing Luncheon

Concurrent Private Luncheon for Accredited Estate Planner® Designees:
Ethical Issues in Estate Planning – Julie Ragatz, Ph.D.



WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2024

All times Pacific Time

8:00 am – 12:30 pm

Council Staff Executive / Administrator Breakfast & Session



12:30 pm – 1:30 pm

Lunch for All Council Leadership Conference Attendees

Concurrent Private Luncheon for AEP® Designees

2:00 pm – 3:45 pm

Learning Pods #1, #2 & Conversation Break

3:45 pm – 5:00 pm

Council by Size Session #1 (membership topics)

5:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Annual Awards Reception: Council of Excellence,
5-Star Council & Emerging Council Awards

6:30 pm

Council Staff Executive / Administrator Private Dinner



INVEST IN YOUR COUNCIL

The Council Leadership Conference is the best way to learn about what other councils are doing, where they have found success, and how they have overcome struggles in the post-pandemic world.

NAEPC recommends sending at least one leader at the vice-president level or below and the council's staff executive / administrator (staff registration is complimentary).



THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2024

7:00 am – 8:00 am

Breakfast with Fellow Council Leaders

8:00 am – 9:35 am

Private Council Staff Executive / Administrator Session with Webmaster



8:00 am – 10:45 am

Learning Pods #3, #4, #5 & Conversation Break

10:45 am – 12:00 pm

Council by Size Session #2 (non-membership topics)

12:00 pm

Council Leadership Conference Ends



Meetings & Events

- Crafting Events with Broad Appeal & Creating Compelling Meeting Announcements
- Hot Speakers & Topics

Human Capital

- Help! Our Board, it's BORED!
- Board Nomination Process
- Inspiring Volunteerism

Operations

- Creating a Sponsorship Program
- Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion & its Impact on Your Council
- Effective Writing & its Benefit to your Council
- Implementing an Accredited Estate Planner® Designation Council Nomination Program
- Operations Checklist
- In-Person vs. Virtual: What is Best?
- Leveraging Committees

Membership

- Best Practices in Welcoming New Members
- The Ultimate Conversion: Helping Guests Become Members
- Creating a Member Milestone Program & Service / Achievement Awards
- Engaged Members: How to Get Em' & How to Keep Em'
- Setting Your Council Apart: Honing in its Value Proposition and Benefits of Membership

Learning Pod Topics

Technology

- Making the Most of your Council's NAEPC-Hosted Website
- NAEPC National Website Tour & Review
- A Social Media Action Plan

REGISTRATION

	Before 08/13/24	08/13/24 - 09/24/24	After 09/24/24
Advanced Estate Planning Strategies Conference with Council Leadership Conference Pass	\$1,425	\$1,475	\$1,525
Advanced Estate Planning Strategies Conference			
Member	\$1,325	\$1,375	\$1,425
Non-Member	\$1,550	\$1,600	\$1,650
Monday or Tuesday Educational Day Pass			
Member	\$545	\$595	\$645
Non-Member	\$620	\$670	\$720
Wednesday Educational Half-Day Pass			
Member	\$395	\$445	\$495
Non-Member	\$445	\$495	\$545
Council Leadership Conference Pass	\$270	\$320	\$370

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The following credit will be requested in all states: **legal, accounting, CFP®, CTFA, EA** and **PRP** (formerly PACE) including one hour of ethics credit, where applicable, starting 10/21/24 and going through 10/23/24 at 12:25 pm as follows.

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The program will not be filed for insurance or legal specialization credit. Individual states and governing bodies, coupled with your attendance and participation in attendance tracking, determine the total number of hours and type of credit awarded. License numbers are required on-site to receive credit. Approval status will be communicated on our website approximately six weeks pre-conference.

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The NAEPC room rate is \$289 (single / double occupancy) plus applicable taxes and fees. Reservations for overnight accommodations should be made by 09/20/24 by using the online reservation link: <https://www.mydisneygroup.com/GDNK24A>.

Please contact the NAEPC office if you experience any trouble during the booking process.

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