

2016 Securities and Business Law Primer: Drafting Governing Documents for LLCs

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Wednesday Afternoon, Feb. 10, 2016

Presiding Officer:

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12:00 pm	Registration Opens Includes light refreshments.
12:55 pm	Welcoming Remarks
1:00 pm 1.00 hr 0.25 hr ethics	Corporate Concepts in LLC Agreements An introduction to the basics of LLC agreements, including common pitfalls and how to avoid them. Learn from hard-won experience about unintended consequences of sample provisions and the consequences of failing to draft precisely. Allen Sparkman, Sparkman + Foote LLP - Houston, TX
2:00 pm 0.75 hr	Interactive Group Work Led by conference faculty, attendees work in small groups to discuss and develop drafting recommendations for a variety of scenarios, such as the use of an LLC as a financing vehicle, an LLC with one or more promoted interests, and an LLC with a founding and operating member. During this time, faculty circulate to answer questions and offer suggestions. Commentators: J. William Callison, Faegre Baker Daniels LLP - Denver, CO Elizabeth S. Miller, Baylor Law School - Waco, TX Allen Sparkman, Sparkman + Foote LLP - Houston, TX
2:45 pm	Break
3:00 pm 1.50 hrs 0.50 hr ethics	Interactive Group Work, <i>continued</i> Continue group work on LLC scenarios, led by conference faculty. Commentators: J. William Callison, Faegre Baker Daniels LLP - Denver, CO Elizabeth S. Miller, Baylor Law School - Waco, TX Allen Sparkman, Sparkman + Foote LLP - Houston, TX

4:30 pm 0.75 hr 0.25 hr ethics	<p>What Did You Learn? Pros, Cons, and Unintended Consequences</p> <p>Discuss the pros and cons of approaches developed by attendees during the small group exercise, and explore possible unintended consequences of those approaches.</p> <p>Moderator: Allen Sparkman, Sparkman + Foote LLP - Houston, TX</p> <p>Panelists: J. William Callison, Faegre Baker Daniels LLP - Denver, CO Elizabeth S. Miller, Baylor Law School - Waco, TX</p>
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