

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

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## Wednesday Afternoon, Feb. 10, 2016

### Presiding Officer:

Carol Bavousett Mattick, CBM PLLC - San Antonio, TX

12:00 pm	<b>Registration Opens</b>  Includes light refreshments.
12:55 pm	<b>Welcoming Remarks</b>
1:00 pm 1.00 hr 0.25 hr ethics	<b>Corporate Concepts in LLC Agreements</b>  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	<b>Interactive Group Work</b>  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	<b>Break</b>
3:00 pm 1.50 hrs 0.50 hr ethics	<b>Interactive Group Work, <i>continued</i></b>  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

**What Did You Learn? Pros, Cons, and Unintended Consequences**

Discuss the pros and cons of approaches developed by attendees during the small group exercise, and explore possible unintended consequences of those approaches.

Moderator:

Allen Sparkman, Sparkman + Foote LLP - Houston, TX

Panelists:

J. William Callison, Faegre Baker Daniels LLP - Denver, CO

Elizabeth S. Miller, Baylor Law School - Waco, TX

5:15 pm

**Adjourn**