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WEDNESDAY MORNING, NOV. 30, 2022

Presiding Officer: T. Charles Parr III, ABIP, P.C., San Antonio, TX

7:30 a.m. Registration Opens

Includes continental breakfast.

8:20 a.m. Welcoming Remarks

8:30 a.m. 2.00 hrs

Recent Developments

Review significant court decisions, rulings, and statutory and regulatory developments of the past year.

Bruce A. McGovern, South Texas College of Law Houston, Houston, TX

10:30 a.m. 15-Minute Break

10:45 a.m. .50 hr

Texas Taxes: Recent Developments

An experienced trial attorney specializing in Texas taxes covers the new laws for challenging tax assessments in state court, research incentive issues, oilfield services audit policy changes, franchise tax apportionment issues, local sales tax sourcing for internet sales, and more.

Lacy Leonard, Martens, Todd, & Leonard, Austin, TX

11:15 a.m. 1.00 hr | .25 hr ethics

Multistate SALT Issues and Business Migration

Navigating multistate tax compliance post-Wayfair including business migrations to Texas, remote worker issues, and transactional considerations.

Christina A. Mondrik, Mondrik & Associates, Austin, TX

Steven D. Moore, Jackson Walker LLP, Austin, TX

12:15 p.m. Pick Up Lunch

Included in registration.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

Presiding Officer: Jimmy Martens, Martens, Todd, & Leonard, Austin, TX

LUNCHEON PRESENTATION

Introduction

Lawrence B. Gibbs, Miller & Chevalier, Washington, DC

12:45 p.m. 1.00 hr ethics

Identifying Emerging Issues at the IRS

A view from inside the agency about how the IRS keeps up with emerging tax noncompliance and tax fraud issues and an introduction to the new IRS Joint Strategic Emerging Issues Team.

Revenue Service, Washington, DC
Thomas Hybertson, Deputy Commissioner Services
and Enforcement Program Management Office,
Internal Revenue Service, Sioux Falls, SD
Holly Porter, Passthroughs & Special Industries,
Office of Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service,
Washington, DC

Tom Cullinan, Office of the Commissioner, Internal

1:45 p.m. 15-Minute Break

2:00 p.m. 1.00 hr | .25 hr ethics

How Firm are Court Filing Deadlines in Tax Cases?

Earlier this year, the Supreme Court rejected the IRS's position that the 30-day deadline for filing a Tax Court petition in a Collection Due Process case is "jurisdictional" and therefore not subject to equitable tolling. The decision follows a recent trend in Supreme Court jurisprudence and its potentially far-reaching consequences in Tax Court cases is already being litigated. Former IRS Chief Counsel Mike Desmond explains and evaluates the breadth of the decision, potential government responses, and the ramifications of this important development in other areas of the tax law.

Michael J. Desmond, Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP, Los Angeles, CA 3:00 p.m.

1.00 hr | .25 hr ethics

Dealing with Sticky Situations: Overbroad IDRs, Requests for Client Interviews, and Other Tricky Audit Situations

With the IRS laser-focused on enforcement, many taxpayers may find themselves subject to an intrusive audit. These audits can involve tricky situations like client interviews, broad IDRs, site tours, and acknowledgment of facts IDRs. These speakers discuss best practices and considerations in handling these tricky situations, as well as the importance of civility in interactions with the IRS.

Mary A. McNulty, Holland & Knight LLP, Dallas, TX Lee Meyercord, Holland & Knight, Dallas, TX

4:00 p.m. 10-Minute Break

4:10 p.m.

1.00 hr ethics

Keeping Your Clients Out of Hot Water: Drafting Effective Tax Return Disclosures

A well-drafted disclosure statement can provide more penalty protection than a tax opinion letter. This skill-building session teaches you how to improve the disclosures you write to manage audit risk and limit penalties.

Lawrence Sannicandro, McCarter & English, LLP, Newark, NJ

5:10 p.m. Adjourn

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5:10 p.m. - 6:10 p.m.

Join program faculty and attendees for drinks and hors d'oeuvres.

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Includes continental breakfast.

8:20 a.m. Welcoming Remarks

8:30 a.m. 1.00 hr

Disguised Sales

A review of the most recent Section 707 regulations as they apply to transactions commonly encountered by tax practitioners, with practical advice on dealing with contributions of property to a venture, withdrawals of cash, and the intersection of both.

Andrea M. Whiteway, EY LLP, Washington, DC

9:30 a.m. 1.00 hr

News You Can Use: The World of Tax Credits Post-Inflation Reduction Act Changes

The Inflation Reduction Act has supercharged the tax incentives available for all types of clean energy projects and manufacturing for everything from wind and solar to carbon capture, clean hydrogen, biogas and many other technologies. Learn about the credits now available and the new credit monetization techniques the Act sanctions that allow taxpayers to turn credits into cash.

Barbara Spudis de Marigny, Baker Botts, Houston, TX

10:30 a.m. 15-Minute Break

10:45 a.m. 1.00 hr

Drop and Swap Panel

How to do (and not to do) partnership like-kind exchanges, including drops, swaps, installment notes, etc.

Stanley L. Blend, Clark Hill, PLC, San Antonio, TX Michael L. Cook, Cook Brooks Johnson PLLC, Austin. TX

Richard M. Lipton, Baker McKenzie LLP, Dallas, TX

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Patrick O'Daniel, Norton Rose Fulbright LLP, Austin, TX

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12:15 p.m. 1.00 hr ethics

Mum's the Word: Maintaining Client Confidentiality while Working from Anywhere and Everywhere

Working remotely and virtual meetings are here to stay. This presentation provides practical suggestions for structuring engagement letters, addressing conflicts of interest, and safeguarding client communications across all mediums.

Jeff Chadwick, Winstead PC, The Woodlands, TX

1:15 p.m. 15-Minute Break

1:30 p.m.

1.00 hr | .25 hr ethics

Choose Wisely: Choice of Entity Issues in an Always Changing Landscape

The constantly changing legal landscape significantly affects the choice of entity for a business. This presentation discusses what has changed, and gives tips for evaluating the benefits and detriments of each option.

Gene Wolf, Kemp Smith LLP, El Paso, TX

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2:30 p.m.

1.00 hr

19 Years After the Final Regulations: Where are We with Split-Dollar Life Insurance Financing?

Contrary to some predictions 19 years ago, split-dollar premium financing is very much alive and well. Hear a discussion on its use for executive perks, cross-purchase agreements, deferred compensation and wealth transfer. Also, tax implications and factors to consider in choosing either the loan regime or the economic benefit regime are presented.

Donald O. Jansen, The University of Texas System, Austin, TX

3:30 p.m. 10-Minute Break

3:40 p.m.

1.50 hrs | .25 hr ethics

Advising a Closely Held Client on the Purchase or Sale of a Business

Buyers and sellers of businesses often face critical issues concerning acquisition alternatives, due diligence required, optimal borrowing solutions, and valuations of assets and earnings. Learn about these issues from these experts in acquisitions and mergers, investment banking, and business valuation.

Craig M. Bergez, Porter Hedges LLP, Houston, TX John P. Dennis III, WoodRock & Co., Houston, TX Michael Landers, UHY LLP, Houston, TX

5:10 p.m.

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November 22, 2022

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