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On behalf of our twenty Trustees, I invite you to join us in Atlanta at the Grand Hyatt Hotel in Buckhead for the 47th Annual Southern Federal Tax Institute as we continue the Southern Federal tradition. We have assembled for you an outstanding program presented by the best speakers who will cover in depth a wide range of topics. From the start on Monday and continuing through Wednesday, excellent speakers will present timely insights on significant 2012 income tax developments, tax legislation and proposals for tax reform, corporations and pass-through entities, international tax issues, tax accounting methods, tax-exempt entities, issues relating to employment agreements, and professional ethics. Thursday's and Friday's sessions are fully devoted to estate, gift and trust taxation, including excellent coverage of timely planning strategies. Important relevant topics in all of these areas will be addressed to keep tax practitioners up to date and on the cutting edge. We also continue to offer the flexibility of a two-day, three-day, or a five-day program to suit your schedule.

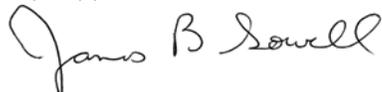
On Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings, all registrants, speakers, exhibitors and sponsors are cordially invited to join the Institute Trustees for cocktails and hors d'oeuvres at the Grand Hyatt Hotel. These social events provide a wonderful opportunity for everyone to catch up with old friends and forge new relationships in a relaxed atmosphere.

We are excited to be offering registrants a "paperless" option regarding materials for the 2012 Institute. We have worked hard, addressing numerous logistical issues to help ensure that, for those who choose the "paperless" option, technical glitches will not disturb your experience. Nonetheless, we also heard loud and clear the message that not all registrants will prefer the "paperless" option, and we are continuing to provide paper volumes for those who desire to receive their materials in this format.

It is very important that you all know that the 2012 Institute is supported by a number of sponsors. Please join me in thanking them for their generous financial support. These sponsors enable us to provide you with a reasonably priced, exceptional continuing education program. On a cost per CPE/CLE hour basis, we believe that the 2012 Institute is offering one of the best values on the market.

All of the Southern Federal Tax Institute Trustees and I encourage you to join us this fall for the 47th Annual Southern Federal Tax Institute.

Very truly yours,



James B. Sowell

President

Southern Federal Tax Institute



WHAT'S NEW IN THE INCOME TAX WORLD?

SUNDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 14, 2012

5:30-8:00 Registration

MONDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 15, 2012

Kenneth L. Thrasher, Presiding

7:15 Registration Desk Opens

8:00-9:00 Breakfast sponsored by **DEAN, MEAD, EGERTON, BLOODWORTH, CAPOUANO & BOZARTH, P.A.**

9:00-10:30 **RECENT FEDERAL INCOME TAX DEVELOPMENTS** – Significant court decisions, rulings and statutory and regulatory developments over the past twelve months, with particular focus on recent legislative changes.

Martin J. McMahon, Jr., Stephen C. O'Connell Professor of Law, University of Florida College of Law, Gainesville, FL

Ira B. Shepard, Professor Emeritus of Law, University of Houston Law Center, Houston, TX

10:30-10:45 Break sponsored by **DIXON HUGHES GOODMAN LLP**

10:45-12:00 **RECENT FEDERAL INCOME TAX DEVELOPMENTS (Con't)**

12:15-1:05 **Mid-day Program: FROM AUDIT THROUGH APPEALS TO LITIGATION: WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW NOW** – Using a backdrop of the hottest issues for closely-held companies and their owners, the panel will point out the dangers you and your client face – and more importantly, the strategic opportunities for getting the best possible result.

We will cover Section 7491 burden of proof, document production and defenses, the ability of the POA to handle interviews under Section 7521(c), the choice of going to Appeals by way of protest vs. petition, Appeals letter briefs, choice of trial forum and circuit, deciding how detailed your petition should be, the use of experts, and, time permitting, trial and briefing. Sponsored by **CHAMBERLAIN, HRDLICKA, WHITE, WILLIAMS & AUGHTRY** and presented by **Colin E. Blalock, CPA, Jones & Kolb, William J. Laverty, CPA, PricewaterhouseCoopers, Hale E. Sheppard, Esq., Chamberlain Hrdlicka**

Moderator: David D. Aughtry, Esq., Chamberlain Hrdlicka

MONDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOBER 15, 2012

Peter J. Genz, Presiding

1:15-2:15 **TAX LEGISLATE REVIEW AND OUTLOOK** – This program will review recently enacted tax legislation and provide a legislative outlook for the remainder of 2012 and what to expect for 2013, including the potential for fundamental tax reform and the potential impact of the pending Presidential and Congressional elections. Emphasis will be placed on identifying risks and opportunities for your clients and your practice.

Marc J. Gerson, Miller & Chevalier, Chtrd., Washington, DC

2:15-3:15 **ENTITY CONVERSIONS AND "CROSS SPECIES" MERGERS** – An examination of the tax consequences of elective changes in tax classification through "check the box" elections under federal tax law; state law conversions between corporate and other entities; and tax classification changes effected by cross-species mergers.

Thomas J. Nichols, J.D., C.P.A. Meissner Tierney Fisher & Nichols S.C., Milwaukee, WI

3:15-3:30 Break sponsored by **KING & SPALDING LLP**

3:30-4:30 **NEW CURRENTS IN SELF-EMPLOYMENT TAXES AND THE DEFINITION OF "LIMITED PARTNER": PLANNING IN LIGHT OF RENKEMEYER, THE MEDICARE TAX CHANGES WHICH TAKE EFFECT IN 2013, AND OTHER DEVELOPMENTS** – Analysis of the limited partner self-employment tax exclusion after *Renkemeyer* and other judicial decisions; changes made by 2010 Health Care Act to Medicare tax regime which take effect in 2013, including new tax on net investment income; use of S corporation to mitigate self-employment tax burden where owners are active.

Robert R. Keatinge, Holland & Hart, LLP, Denver, CO

4:30-5:45 **LITIGATION SETTLEMENTS AND JUDGMENTS – THE MYRIAD TAX CONSIDERATIONS** – The resolution of litigation raises a host of tax considerations, ranging from reporting obligations to inclusion of litigation proceeds in gross income, the treatment of legal expenses, and the deductibility of damage awards. This presentation will address the tax treatment of back pay, severance, and other awards in employment cases, including Form 1099 and Form W-2 reporting obligations; the application of the section 104 exclusion to tort recoveries; the tax treatment of legal expenses in light of section 62(a)(20); the deductibility of litigation settlements; the scope of a "fine or penalty" under section 162(f); the deductibility of whistleblower settlements in False Claims Act cases; and Form 1099 reporting obligations relating to the disbursement of settlement payments to the client and the client's lawyers.

Jody J. Brewster, Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP, Washington, DC

6:00-7:30 **Cocktail Party** sponsored by **HUNTON & WILLIAMS LLP, SUTHERLAND ASBILL & BRENNAN LLP, MILLER & CHEVALIER, Chtd.**

BUSINESS TAXATION

TUESDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 16, 2012

Cameron N. Cosby, Presiding

PARTNERSHIPS AND REAL ESTATE

- 7:15-8:15 Breakfast sponsored by **NELSON MULLINS RILEY & SCARBOROUGH LLP**
- 8:15-9:00 **A REVIEW OF RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN PARTNERSHIP AND REAL ESTATE TAXATION** – Review of final section 108(e)(8) regulations; issues relating to noncompensatory partnership options; uncertainties in the application of Revenue Ruling 99-6 to various transactional scenarios involving partnerships; recent regulatory, ruling and judicial developments affecting real estate investors and partnerships.
Robert J. Crnkovich, Ernst & Young, Washington, DC
- 9:00-10:00 **EXTRACTING CASH FROM A PARTNERSHIP IN CONNECTION WITH A PROPERTY CONTRIBUTION: TAX-FREE OR JUST A BRILLIANT DISGUISE?** – IRS officials have indicated that changes may be in store for the disguised sale regulations that apply to property contributions to partnerships – topics will include cherry picking, qualified liability issues, leveraged partnership distributions (*Canal Corp.*, etc.), and pre-formation capital expenditure exception issues.
Michael Mollerus, Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP, New York, NY • **Prof. Howard E. Abrams**, Emory University School of Law, Atlanta, GA
- 10:00-10:15 Break sponsored by **WYATT, TARRANT & COMBS, LLP**
- 10:15-11:00 **ARE REAL ESTATE GAINS BACK IN VOGUE? IT MAY BE TIME TO SHARPEN UP YOUR SECTION 1031 SKILLS** – This presentation will address pressing topics in the Section 1031 arena, including the structuring of reverse and construction exchanges; “drop-and-swap” and other partnership split-up transactions; and Section 1031(f)—it’s my (related) party and I’ll cry if I want to.
David Shechtman, Drinker Biddle & Reath, LLP, Philadelphia, PA
- 11:00-12:00 **DO YOU FEEL LIKE DUSTIN HOFFMAN WHEN YOUR CLIENT DRILLS YOU ON THE TAX BENEFITS/RISKS OF A CONSERVATION EASEMENT TAX STRATEGY AND ASKS “IS IT SAFE?”** – Understanding how easement transactions work from both an economic, legal and tax perspective; charitable contribution deduction tax aspects; issues relating to leveraged property; key valuation issues; Subchapter K issues in allocating the deduction to investors; a review of how taxpayers have fared in the courts; evaluating the tax benefits and risks for your client.
James R. Walker, Rothberger, Johnson & Lyons, LLP, Denver, CO • **James H. Lokey, Jr.**, King & Spalding, Atlanta, GA
- 12:15-1:05 **Mid-day Program: THE AUTOMATED DIGITAL TAX PRACTICE** – This session will focus on the technologies that are used today in an efficient tax practice. With the mandating of electronic filing and the enforcing of state security breach laws, processes have changed. We’ll cover scanning and data import, portals, electronic filing, workflow, and the use of mobile technologies. Sponsored by **CCH A WOLTERS KLUWER BUSINESS** and presented by **Mark Collins**

TUESDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOBER 16, 2012

Mark J. Silverman, Presiding

CORPORATIONS

- 1:15-2:15 **WHAT’S NEW IN THE TAXATION OF C AND S CORPORATIONS** – Review of important recent developments affecting C and S corporations, including developments in liquidation and reorganization transactions; tax attribute issues; facts and authorities to consider in determining whether a purported shareholder sale of “personal” goodwill can withstand IRS challenge; harmonizing the step-transaction doctrine, liquidation-reincorporation doctrine and Treas. Reg. § 1.368-2(k); and recent section 338(h)(10) private letter rulings.
Bryan P. Collins, Deloitte Tax LLP, Washington, DC
- 2:15-3:15 **STRUCTURING BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES** – Review of various rules that impact the tax treatment of transactions between related partnerships and corporations, including section 197 anti-churning rules, sections 267 and 707(b), section 1239, section 108(e)(4); when will related party stock sales will be recast as dividends under section 304; and when will asset transfers between related corporations be recast as a “D” reorganization with boot.
R. David Wheat, Thompson & Knight, LLP, Dallas, TX
- 3:15-3:30 Break sponsored by **KPMG LLP**
- 3:30-4:30 **FUNDAMENTALS OF OUTBOUND INTERNATIONAL TRANSACTIONS** – Overview of fundamental U.S. tax considerations affecting doing business abroad, including discussion of the foreign tax credit, controlled foreign corporation, passive foreign investment company and outbound property transfer rules that must be considered when U.S. persons conduct business outside the U.S. through wholly owned or joint venture entities.
William B. Sherman, Holland & Knight, LLP, Ft. Lauderdale, FL
- 4:30-5:30 **TAX ISSUES IN STRUCTURING PRIVATE EQUITY AND OTHER FINANCING TRANSACTIONS** – Tax issues frequently encountered in structuring private equity, venture capital, and other transactions involving infusion of capital into a business, including overview of basic portfolio company acquisition techniques; utilization of portfolio company NOLs; effect of AHYDO rules, section 279, section 163(j) and other limitations relating to deduction of interest on acquisition debt; preferred OID issues; USRPHC status; rollover of management equity on a tax-deferred basis.
David F. Levy, Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP, New York, NY
- 5:40-7:40 **FLORIDA CPA REQUIREMENTS FOR ETHICS IN TAX PRACTICE** – Covers the ethical standards for tax practice for CPAs, including an overview of Circular 230, discussion of key provisions with examples, state accountancy rules for ethics, and the AICPA ethical guidelines in Statements on Standards for Tax Services. **For Florida CPAs only.**

ACCOUNTING, ERISA, ETHICS, ET CETERA

WEDNESDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 17, 2012

Stephen F. Gertzman, Presiding

- 7:30-8:30 Breakfast sponsored by **BENNETT THRASHER PC**
- 8:30-9:45 **THE 2012 "REPAIR REGULATIONS"** – They're new; they're old; they're filled with bright lines; they're dependent on facts and circumstances. What are they really, and how should taxpayers deal with them?
Brandon Carlton, Ernst & Young, Washington, DC
- 9:45-10:00 Break sponsored by **WARREN & SINKLER, L.L.P.**
- 10:00-11:00 **STRUCTURING TRANSACTIONS INVOLVING TAX-EXEMPT ORGANIZATIONS SO AS TO AVOID UBIT** – Overview of rules governing determination of "unrelated business taxable income" for tax exempt organizations; UBIT exclusions; debt-financed UBIT rules; issues relating to "rents from real property exclusion," including customary services, parking and other issues; UBIT issues involving joint ventures between for-profit and nonprofit organizations; circumstances under which receipt of UBIT can jeopardize tax-exempt status; partnership reporting obligations with respect to UBIT; FIN 48 traffic cop role in policing aggressive UBIT positions and update on possible extension of UTP disclosure to tax-exempts.
Suzanne Ross McDowell, Steptoe & Johnson LLP, Washington, DC
- 11:00-12:00 **TAX CONSIDERATIONS IN NEGOTIATING AND DRAFTING EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS** – Employment contracts implicate a variety of tax issues, and this presentation will address the most pressing, including taxable versus nontaxable benefits; section 409A implications; golden parachute (section 280G) planning; accountable reimbursement plan issues; and indemnity and clawback tax treatment.
John L. Utz, Utz Miller & Eickman LLC, Overland Park, KS
- 12:15 -1:05 **Mid-day Program: ASO VS. PEO WHICH IS RIGHT FOR YOUR CLIENT'S BUSINESS?** – Most businesses today utilize some form workforce outsourcing. A PEO and an ASO both offer a combination of several business processes outsourced to a single provider. Typically these include payroll processing, human resources, employee benefits administration, workers compensation and retirement plan services. Learn more about the comparisons of PEOs and ASOs including advantages, disadvantages, and cost comparisons of the various models and why one might serve a better fit for your client.
Sponsored by **PAYROLL PROFESSIONALS OF GA, LLC** and presented by **Rhonda Champion, CPA**

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOBER 17, 2012

Pamela F. Olson, Presiding

- 1:15-3:15 **WHAT DOES IT TAKE FOR YOUR CLIENT TO MOUNT A SUCCESSFUL PENALTY DEFENSE THESE DAYS (AND ARE YOU PART OF THE SOLUTION OR PART OF THE PROBLEM)?** – Ethical and professional problems for tax advisors who prepare returns or provide advice and then need to assert a reliance defense for their client on audit; OPR's invitation to Appeals Officers to refer the representative to OPR in a *successful* reliance defense; what's left of reliance, reasonable cause and ordinary care; a comparison of penalty defense winners and losers (contrast *Southgate Master Fund LLC* and *Canal Corp.*). (2.00 hours of ethics and professionalism)
Karen Hawkins, IRS Office of Professional Responsibility, Washington, DC
Todd Welty, SNR Denton, Dallas, TX
- 3:15-3:30 Break sponsored by **LATTIMORE BLACK MORGAN & CAIN, PC**
- 3:30-4:30 **COPING WITH AGGRESSIVE IDRS AND SUMMONSES, CHANGING PRACTICES AT APPEALS, LESS ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDANCE, AND INCREASING IRS RELIANCE ON JUDICIAL DOCTRINES** – A practical review of the consequences and proposed strategic responses to more aggressive IRS information-gathering, changing practices and personnel at Appeals, more advocacy and participation from IRS Counsel during audits, less formal administrative guidance, and increased IRS reliance on judicial doctrines.
Gerald A. Kafka, Latham & Watkins LLP, Washington, DC
Rita A. Cavanagh, Latham & Watkins LLP, Washington, DC
- 4:30-5:30 **EXPLORING THE LIMITS TO TREASURY'S REGULATORY POWERS** – *Mayo* changed the rules of the game but the courts have invalidated many non-Treasury regulations since *Chevron*; can taxpayers borrow a page from the Administrative Procedure Act playbook to attack Treasury regulations, as was done in the appeal of *Home Concrete* to the Supreme Court; can the IRS adopt "we win" regulations to retroactively reverse judicial precedent or to change the rules after you thought you won?
Prof. Kristin E. Hickman, University of Minnesota Law School, Minneapolis, MN
- 5:30-6:30 **Exhibitor's Cocktail Hour**

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THE SOUTHERN FEDERAL TAX INSTITUTE OFFERS PRACTITIONERS THE ABILITY TO CHOOSE A REGISTRATION PACKAGE THAT BEST MEETS THEIR NEEDS.

THE FIVE-DAY INSTITUTE:

■ ■ ■ This package includes admission to all sessions and is ideal for the general tax practitioner and others who want a full week of first-rate tax instruction from the country's leading tax practitioners. This remains the favorite choice for most of our registrants and is a great way to sharpen your expertise in a broad range of tax areas.

MONDAY THROUGH WEDNESDAY:

■ ■ This choice combines the presentation on Monday through Wednesday covering Recent Income Tax Developments, Legislative Update, Entity Conversions, Self-Employment Taxes, Tax Treatment of Settlements and Judgments, Partnership Property Rollups, 1031 Exchanges, Conservation Easements, S Corporations, Related Party Transactions, International Tax, Private Equity, 2012 Repair Regulations, UBIT, Employment Agreements, Tax Penalties, and IRS Appeals. The concluding session on Wednesday afternoon deals with ethics and professionalism.

WEDNESDAY THROUGH FRIDAY:

■ ■ This package combines the Comprehensive Estate, Gift and Generation-Skipping Sessions on Thursday and Friday, including the Special Early Morning Hot Topic Session, Important Estate Tax Legislation, Key Estate Planning Techniques, Business Succession Planning, Ethical Issues in Representing Multiple Generations, Valuation Discounts, Planning for Estates Under \$10,000,000, Form 706 Preparation, State Income Taxation of Trusts, Special Need Beneficiaries, Trust as Beneficiaries of Retirement Plans, and Recent Estate Planning Developments, with the Wednesday morning presentation covering Accounting Methods, Tax Exempt Organization and Employment Tax, and the Wednesday afternoon topics dealing with Ethics and Professionalism.

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY:

■ This two-day session, which includes the Thursday and Friday presentations described in the package above, focuses exclusively on topics relevant to practitioners working primarily in the area of wealth transfer planning.

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This program is designed for the practitioner who must frequently anticipate and handle tax matters. Emphasis is placed on subjects which are new and current, including in-depth coverage of recent developments and problems which often prove difficult in planning clients' affairs and transactions.

WHAT WE DO...

The speakers are tax practitioners and scholars from every section of the country. Each speaker has been selected based on his or her competence on the subject matter and the ability to communicate ably and clearly.

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ESTATE PLANNING - DAY I

THURSDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 18, 2012

Dennis I. Belcher, Presiding

- 6:30-7:30 Breakfast sponsored by **BARRY, EVANS, JOSEPHS & SNIPES**
- 7:30-8:15 **Special Early Morning Presentation: RECENT IRS RULINGS, REGULATIONS, AND PRONOUNCEMENTS** – Tax rulings, regulations, and court decisions are a fact of life for estate planning professionals. This panel of experts will survey the field of recent developments, highlighting those most likely to affect your daily practice.
Panel: Ronald D. Aucutt and Diana S.C. Zeydel • Moderator: Dennis I. Belcher
- 8:15-9:00 **LEGISLATIVE UPDATE** – As the clock winds down in 2012, significant changes will loom on the horizon as the federal estate and gift tax regime is scheduled to return in all of its pre-EGTRRA glory. This presentation will address any legislative reforms that either prevent or further delay this day of reckoning. Barring any such enacted legislation, the presentation will discuss legislative proposals that may be taken up in the lame duck session of Congress. **Ronald D. Aucutt**, McGuireWoods LLP, McLean, VA
- 9:00-9:45 **TRY IT, YOU'LL LIKE IT: SEVEN KEY ESTATE PLANNING TECHNIQUES PEOPLE ARE TALKING ABOUT TODAY** – This session will review and explain the season's hottest and most interesting planning ideas, for clients and estates of all sizes and situations. Among the timely and timeless tips and topics will be Protecting GST Trusts Against Sunset, The Better Installment Sale To The Superior Trust, Testamentary CLATs, 99 Year and Leveraged GRATs. **Diana S.C. Zeydel**, Greenberg Traurig, LLP, Miami, FL
- 9:45-10:00 Break sponsored by **TAFT STETTINIUS & HOLLISTER LLP**
- 10:00-11:00 **BUSINESS SUCCESSION PLANNED AND UNPLANNED** – This session will use a parable to present common issues of families involved in a closely held business with other family members. Many family business owners experience competing goals. They desire to preserve for their future security the value in their business, but they also are interested in transferring ownership to pass a legacy to their descendants. Additionally, effective governance of the business and harmony among the family owners is complicated by family dynamics where one descendant is actively involved in the business and another has no involvement. The panel will provide practical solutions for balancing the goals of maintaining the strength of a successful family business and treating family members equitably in the founder's estate plan. The program will also address tax-efficient techniques for transferring the value of the family business to future generations and methods for transitioning control of the business to the next generation.
Kimberly H. Stogner, Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice, LLP, Winston-Salem, NC • **David Herritt**, Genspring Family Offices, LLC, Greenwich, CT
- 11:00-12:00 **ETHICAL CONSIDERATION IN REPRESENTING MULTIPLE GENERATIONS** – Representing large families is the bedrock of many estate planners' practice, yet it is easy to overlook the additional legwork upfront that is necessary to protect yourself in case family or client relations go south. Through case studies and a (brief) overview of the ethical rules, this presentation will identify potential conflicts that could arise during the course of representing large and/or multiple generations of families, propose solutions for effectively representing each client where possible, and address how the practitioner's role as a family counselor is affected. Proposals for handling both new representations and long-standing relationships will be discussed. (1.00 hour of ethics and professionalism) **Lauren Y. Detzel**, Dean, Mead, Egerton, Bloodworth, Capouano & Bozarth, P.A., Orlando, FL
- 12:15-1:05 **Mid-day Program: ESTATE AND TAX PLANNING FOR LIQUIDITY EVENTS** – In the life cycle of many family businesses there comes a time when the wealth created through the ownership of a successful family business is transformed through some form of liquidity event. However, extracting the wealth from the family business through a liquidity event is seldom an easy task and planning is critical in order for the voluntary or involuntary liquidity event to be successful. This program will provide an overview of the tax and estate planning issues, opportunities and pitfalls that exist when a family business is sold to a third party or merged with another company. Sponsored by **BROWN BROTHERS HARRIMAN TRUST COMPANY, N.A.** and **MOORE & VAN ALLEN PLLC** and presented by **Brett D. Sovine and Christopher J.C. Jones**

THURSDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOBER 18, 2012

Jean T. Adams, Presiding

- 1:15-2:15 **UPDATE ON PLANNING WITH VALUATION DISCOUNTS** – Courts continue to address valuation and other tax-related issues that arise in the context of gifts and sales of beneficial interests of family limited partnerships and limited liability companies. This presentation reviews the breadth and depth of recent decisions and IRS positions, while noting the effect of these decisions and positions on current planning. **John W. Porter**, Baker Botts LLP, Houston, TX
- 2:15-3:15 **PORTABILITY AND PLANNING FOR THE UNDER \$10 MILLION CLIENT** – The planning uncertainty confronting married couples with \$10 million or less is stunning. Their estates could be entirely free of federal estate tax, or they may face federal estate tax for half their estates at rates exceeding 50%. They may have new planning flexibility in their planning with portability, or they may face the same old challenges in using both spouses' applicable exclusion amounts. This session will discuss the planning tools that the under \$10 million client must consider regardless of which way the law goes, and the role of portability if it ends up being a permanent part of the law.
Thomas W. Abendroth, Schiff Hardin LLP, Chicago, IL
- 3:15-3:30 Break sponsored by **TRUSTS & ESTATES MAGAZINE**
- 3:30-4:30 **VALUATION DISCOUNTS AND ESTATE PLANNING: NOT NECESSARILY A MARRIAGE MADE IN HEAVEN** – This presentation will explore the manner in which various estate planning strategies and vehicles actually operate when used in conjunction or funded with assets having discounted values. The asset characteristics that give rise to valuation discounts are compatible with some estate planning techniques but incompatible with others. **Charles A. "Clary" Redd**, Stinson Morrison Hecker LLP, St. Louis, MO
- 4:30-5:30 **PREPARING AND FILING THE FORM 706: WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, AND WHY?** – For most individuals, death is their single most important financial transaction. For estates of wealthy decedents, the preparation of the Form 706 may be the single most important item in estate administration. With portability even modest estates will choose to file. Learn the importance of how to properly prepare and file the Form 706. **Glen A. Yale**, Yale Law Firm, P.C., San Antonio, TX
- 5:30-7:00 **Cocktail Party** sponsored by **MANAGEMENT PLANNING, INC.**

ESTATE PLANNING - DAY II

FRIDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 19, 2012

George S. Bailey, Presiding

7:00-8:00 Breakfast sponsored by **BESSEMER TRUST**

8:00-8:45 **PLANNING TO MINIMIZE STATE INCOME TAXATION OF TRUSTS** – This presentation will examine the myriad rules and standards that govern states' imposition of income tax on nongrantor irrevocable trusts and offer suggestions regarding how to minimize state income taxes both for existing trusts and trusts to be created. The presentation will include a comprehensive appendix summarizing each state's maximum trust income tax rate and the standard(s) each state uses when determining whether a trust will be subject to its tax.

Richard W. Nenzo, Wilmington Trust Company, Wilmington, DE

8:45-9:45 **SOPHISTICATED PLANNING TECHNIQUES FOR THE OVER \$10 MILLION CLIENT** – There are many estate planning strategies available today to assist wealthy clients in transferring wealth. This presentation will cover using these techniques to transfer wealth: family limited partnerships, private derivatives, defined value formula clauses, grantor trusts, leveraged GRATs to facilitate GST planning, the reverse freeze family limited partnership, and other sophisticated tools.

S. Stacy Eastland, Goldman Sachs & Co., Houston, TX

9:45-10:00 Break sponsored by **WILMINGTON TRUST FSB, GEORGIA**

10:00-11:00 **PLANNING FOR BENEFICIARIES WITH SPECIAL NEEDS** – Many families, including those of high net worth, routinely seek advice from their professional advisors on how to plan for family members challenged by disabling conditions or "special needs." Learn the "Top Ten" advance planning practice pointers designed to secure the futures of those with special needs, as well as options for modifying a faulty plan (and how to deal with no plan at all).

Kristen M. Lewis, Smith, Gambrell & Russell, LLP, Atlanta, GA

11:00-12:00 **MAKING RETIREMENT BENEFITS PAYABLE TO TRUSTS** – Learn how a trust can qualify for the life expectancy payout method under the IRS's "minimum distribution trust rules," how to determine trust "income" and "principal" when the trust holds an IRA, and other pitfalls of naming a trust as beneficiary of a retirement plan or IRA.

Natalie B. Choate, Nutter McClennen & Fish LLP, Boston, MA

12:15-1:05 **Mid-day Program:** McGuireWoods and NLEC will share their experiences to illustrate how ultra-high net worth individuals use life insurance products both as part of their investment portfolio and as a tool to transfer significant wealth to future generations. The speakers will review:

- practical guidance for the advisor analyzing policy projections from life insurance companies,
- the impact of the low interest rate environment on performance of a life insurance policy and a life insurance company's financial statements,
- the importance of investment and risk management through policy and company diversification,
- the role of the fiduciary in trust-owned life insurance, including new laws concerning investment direction and trustee delegation, and
- the possibility of using new or existing estate planning techniques (GRATs, installment sales) to reinforce the life insurance techniques.

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FRIDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOBER 19, 2012

Christopher J.C. Jones, Presiding

1:15-3:15 **RECENT ESTATE PLANNING DEVELOPMENTS** – Significant court decisions, rulings and statutory and regulatory developments relating to federal trust and wealth transfer taxes.

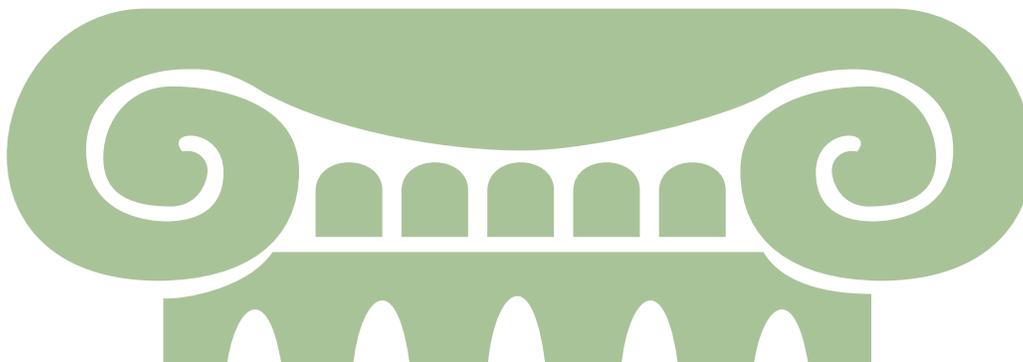
Stanley M. Johanson, Distinguished Teaching Professor and Fannie Coplin Regents Chair in Law, University of Texas School of Law, Austin, TX

3:15 Adjourn

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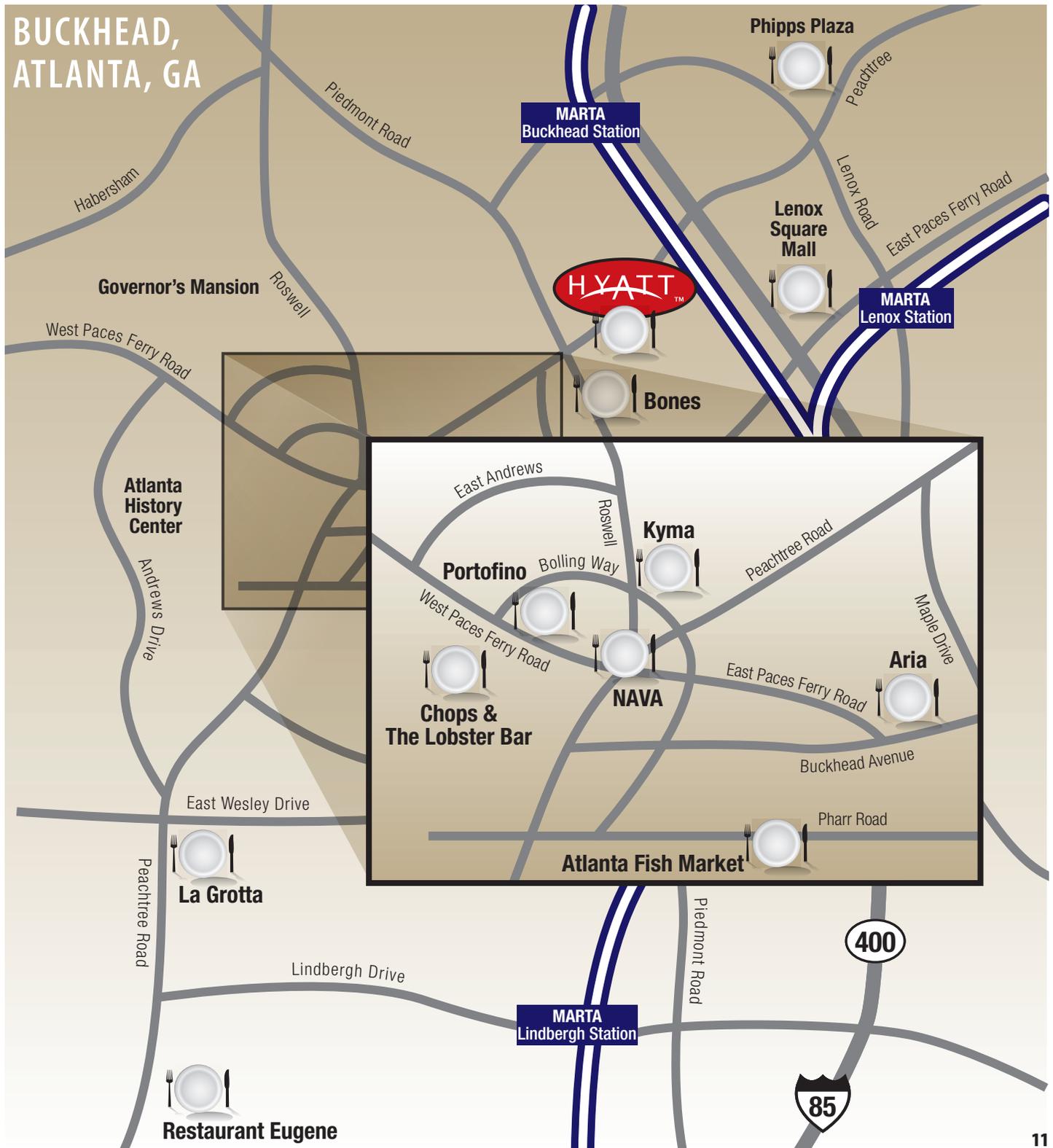
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Forty-Eighth Annual Institute, October 21-25, 2013

Forty-Ninth Annual Institute, October 20-24, 2014

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The 2012 program will be submitted to NASBA and the State Bars in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia. The rules of the North Carolina State Board of CPE Examiners provide that sponsors of continuing education programs which are listed in good standing on the National Registry of CPE Sponsors maintained by the NASBA are also approved CPE sponsors. Submissions will be made to other states where necessary. The 2012 program will also be submitted for CFP approval. Various forms required by each state will be available at the registration desk.

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35.50 (60-minute hours)
43.00 (50-minute hours)
3.00 hours ethics
3.00 hours professionalism
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COURSE HOURS FOR MONDAY - WEDNESDAY*

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21.75 (60-minute hours)
27.00 (50-minute hours)
2.00 hours ethics
2.00 hours professionalism
4 hours of ethics for Florida CPAs (on Tuesday evening)

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20.50 (60-minute hours)
25.00 (50-minute hours)
3.00 hours ethics
3.00 hours professionalism
4 hours of ethics for Florida CPAs (on Tuesday evening)

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13.25 (60-minute hours)
16.00 (50-minute hours)
1.00 hour ethics
1.00 hour professionalism

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SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

MONDAY, OCTOBER 15

8:00-9:00

Breakfast sponsored by DEAN, MEAD, EGERTON, BLOODWORTH, CAPOUANO & BOZARTH, P.A.

9:00-10:30

RECENT FEDERAL INCOME TAX DEVELOPMENTS

10:30-10:45

Break sponsored by DIXON HUGHES GOODMAN LLP

10:45-12:00

RECENT FEDERAL INCOME TAX DEVELOPMENTS (Con't)

12:15-1:05

Mid-day Program: WHO SAYS TAX FROM AUDIT THROUGH APPEALS TO LITIGATION: WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW NOW. Sponsored by CHAMBERLAIN, HRDLICKA, WHITE, WILLIAMS & AUGHTRY and presented by Colin E. Blalock, CPA, Jones & Kolb, William J. Laverty, CPA, PricewaterhouseCoopers, Hale E. Sheppard, Esq., Chamberlain Hrdlicka; Moderator: David D. Aughtry, Esq., Chamberlain Hrdlicka

1:15-2:15

TAX LEGISLATE REVIEW AND OUTLOOK

2:15-3:15

ENTITY CONVERSIONS AND "CROSS SPECIES" MERGERS

3:15-3:30

Break sponsored by KING & SPALDING LLP

3:30-4:30

NEW CURRENTS IN SELF-EMPLOYMENT TAXES AND THE DEFINITION OF "LIMITED PARTNER"

4:30-5:45

LITIGATION SETTLEMENTS AND JUDGMENTS — THE MYRIAD TAX CONSIDERATIONS

6:00-7:30

Cocktail Party sponsored by HUNTON & WILLIAMS LLP, SUTHERLAND ASBILL & BRENNAN LLP, MILLER & CHEVALIER, Chtd.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16

7:15-8:15

Breakfast sponsored by NELSON MULLINS RILEY & SCARBOROUGH LLP

8:15-9:00

A REVIEW OF RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN PARTNERSHIP AND REAL ESTATE TAXATION

9:00-10:00

EXTRACTING CASH FROM A PARTNERSHIP IN CONNECTION WITH A PROPERTY CONTRIBUTION: TAX-FREE OR JUST A BRILLIANT DISGUISE?

10:00-10:15

Break sponsored by WYATT, TARRANT & COMBS, LLP

10:15-11:00

ARE REAL ESTATE GAINS BACK IN VOGUE? IT MAY BE TIME TO SHARPEN UP YOUR SECTION 1031 SKILLS

11:00-12:00

DO YOU FEEL LIKE DUSTIN HOFFMAN WHEN YOUR CLIENT DRILLS YOU ON THE TAX BENEFITS/RISKS OF A CONSERVATION EASEMENT TAX STRATEGY AND ASKS "IS IT SAFE"?

12:15-1:05

Mid-day Program: THE AUTOMATED DIGITAL TAX PRACTICE Sponsored by CCH A WOLTERS KLUWER BUSINESS

1:15-2:15

WHAT'S NEW IN THE TAXATION OF C AND S CORPORATIONS

2:15-3:15

STRUCTURING BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES

3:15-3:30

Break sponsored by KPMG LLP

3:30-4:30

FUNDAMENTALS OF OUTBOUND INTERNATIONAL TRANSACTIONS

4:30-5:30

TAX ISSUES IN STRUCTURING PRIVATE EQUITY AND OTHER FINANCING TRANSACTIONS

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 17

7:30-8:30

Breakfast sponsored by BENNETT THRASHER PC

8:30-9:45

THE 2012 "REPAIR REGULATIONS"

9:45-10:00

Break sponsored by WARREN & SINKLER L.L.P.

10:00-11:00

STRUCTURING TRANSACTIONS INVOLVING TAX-EXEMPT ORGANIZATIONS SO AS TO AVOID UBIT

11:00-12:00

TAX CONSIDERATIONS IN NEGOTIATING AND DRAFTING EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS

12:15-1:05

Mid-day Program: ASO VS. PEO WHICH IS RIGHT FOR YOUR CLIENT'S BUSINESS? Sponsored by PAYROLL PROFESSIONALS OF GA, LLC and presented by Rhonda Champion, CPA

1:15-3:15

WHAT DOES IT TAKE FOR YOUR CLIENT TO MOUNT A SUCCESSFUL PENALTY DEFENSE THESE DAYS (AND ARE YOU PART OF THE SOLUTION OR PART OF THE PROBLEM)?

3:15-3:30

Break sponsored by LATTIMORE BLACK MORGAN & CAIN, PC

3:30-4:30

COPING WITH AGGRESSIVE IDRS AND SUMMONSES, CHANGING PRACTICES AT APPEALS, LESS ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDANCE, AND INCREASING IRS RELIANCE ON JUDICIAL DOCTRINES

4:30-5:30

EXPLORING THE LIMITS TO TREASURY'S REGULATORY POWERS

5:30-6:30

Exhibitor's Cocktail Hour

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18

6:30-7:30

Breakfast sponsored by BARRY, EVANS, JOSEPHS & SNIPE

7:30-8:15

Special Early Morning Presentation: RECENT IRS RULINGS, REGULATIONS, AND PRONOUNCEMENTS

8:15-9:00

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

9:00-9:45

TRY IT, YOU'LL LIKE IT: SEVEN KEY ESTATE PLANNING TECHNIQUES PEOPLE ARE TALKING ABOUT TODAY

9:45-10:00

Break sponsored by TAFT STETTINIUS & HOLLISTER LLP

10:00-11:00

BUSINESS SUCCESSION PLANNED AND UNPLANNED

11:00-12:00

ETHICAL CONSIDERATION IN REPRESENTING MULTIPLE GENERATIONS

12:15-1:05

Mid-day Program: ESTATE AND TAX PLANNING FOR LIQUIDITY EVENTS. Sponsored by BROWN BROTHERS HARRIMAN TRUST COMPANY, N.A. and MOORE & VAN ALLEN PLLC

1:15-2:15

UPDATE ON PLANNING WITH VALUATION DISCOUNTS

2:15-3:15

PORTABILITY AND PLANNING FOR THE UNDER \$10 MILLION CLIENT

3:15-3:30

Break sponsored by TRUSTS & ESTATES MAGAZINE

3:30-4:30

VALUATION DISCOUNTS AND ESTATE PLANNING: NOT NECESSARILY A MARRIAGE MADE IN HEAVEN

4:30-5:30

PREPARING AND FILING THE FORM 706: WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, AND WHY?

5:30-7:00

Cocktail Party sponsored by MANAGEMENT PLANNING, INC.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 19

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RECENT ESTATE PLANNING DEVELOPMENTS

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Adjourn

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