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# Social Security and Medicare Planning in 2018

Wednesday, Sept. 26, 2018 Webinar Dates: Sept. 26, Oct. 2

As the population of the United States ages, many clients ask about the best time to take Social Security benefits, as well as when they are eligible for Medicare, what it covers, how much it costs and how Medicare and Social Security rules interact with one another. This program addresses complex Social Security and Medicare topics with nationally renowned Social Security and Medicare experts Mary Beth Franklin

and David Cowan so tax practitioners can advise their clients in 2018 and beyond.

# **Key Topics**

- When and how individuals and couples should begin to take Social Security retirement benefits
- Planning strategies to maximize Social Security benefits
- Maximizing Social Security benefits for married couples, divorced couples and surviving spouses
- The ins and outs of Medicare
- When an individual is eligible for Medicare and how to enroll
- Evaluating health insurance options when a client is eligible for Medicare and has other coverage

# **Panelists**

David L. Cowan Mary Beth Franklin, CFP Michael J. Tucker, CPA, LL.M. (moderator) Panelists are subject to change.

# **Details**

Course Level: Basic CPE and IRS Credits: Three hours IRS Credit Category: Federal tax law CLE Credits: Subject to state variations; visit www.allstartax.com for your state's details. This course is not approved for CLE in New Mexico.

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# Previous participants speak up:

"As an Enrolled Agent, I get a lot of questions about Social Security and Medicare. It's nice to have new resources to refer to."

"Instructors work well together, stay on course and cover a lot of information in three hours."

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NASBA Field of Study: Taxes

CPE and IRS Credits: Three hours

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# **Featured Broadcast**

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# **Upcoming Broadcasts**

Oct. 24, 2018	A Complete Guide to Administering an Estate in Probate
Nov. 7, 2018	Maximizing Depreciation and Expense Deductions after Tax Reform
Nov. 28, 2018	Individual Tax Update and Year-end Planning Strategies
Dec. 12, 2018	Business Tax Update and Year-end Planning Strategies
Jan. 16, 2019	Getting Ready for Tax Season: New IRS Forms and Compliance Requirements

Dates still available for:

New Planning Strategies for Retirement Account Rollovers and Transfers (Webinar date: Aug. 23)

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## A Complete Guide to Administering an Estate in Probate

#### Wednesday, Oct. 24, 2018 (Webinar dates: Oct. 24, Nov. 1)

Administering and settling a decedent's estate can be a difficult process. A variety of challenges may arise when settling an estate, including safeguarding the decedent's property during the administration process, paying debts and taxes, and distributing the assets of the estate. This program offers a non-state-specific review of action items for administering and settling an estate in probate.

#### **Key Topics**

- Tax advisor/attorney team roles and functions
- The probate process, including costs and time
- Practitioner steps to safeguard estate assets and start estate administration
- Federal and state tax issues, including tax year of the estate
- Safe interim and final distribution of estate assets to beneficiaries
- Integrating the decedent's final Form 1040 with the estate's Form 1041

#### **Details**

Course Level: Intermediate IRS Credit Category: Federal tax law

#### Maximizing Depreciation and Expense Deductions after Tax Reform

#### Wednesday, Nov. 7, 2018 (Webinar dates: Nov. 7, Nov. 15)

The Tax Cuts and Jobs Act expanded bonus and Section 179 depreciation deductions for businesses. Business owners may need help determining if maximizing depreciation might reduce or eliminate another beneficial provision, such as the Section 199A 20% deduction. This practical program will update tax practitioners so they can help advise their clients on the expanded depreciation rules.

#### **Key Topics**

- New rules for Section 179 and bonus depreciation
- Changes related to listed property
- Depreciation rules related to qualified improvement property after tax reform
- Planning strategies to maximize return on purchase of business property based on the new depreciation rules
- Interaction of the repair regulations and the revised depreciation rules

#### **Details**

Course Level: Basic IRS Credit Category: Federal tax law



## Individual Tax Update and Year-end Planning Strategies

#### Wednesday, Nov. 28, 2018 (Webinar dates: Nov. 28, Dec. 6)

With less than two months left before the end of 2018, it is time to discuss tax planning for individual clients and their families, including discussion of the new tax legislation enacted at the end of 2017 and IRS guidance issued during 2018 relating to that legislation. This program will focus on how individual clients can maximize savings for themselves and their families. Tax practitioners will learn how to apply new individual tax planning strategies that clients can use to lower their income tax liability for 2018 and beyond.

#### **Key Topics**

- Practical steps individuals can take before the end of 2018 to lower their personal income taxes
- Planning strategies based on the new tax legislation and IRS guidance issued during 2018
- Practical steps businesses and business owners can take before the end of 2018 to lower personal income tax liability

#### **Details**

Course Level: Update IRS Credit Category: Federal tax law update

#### **Business Tax Update and Year-end Planning Strategies**

#### Wednesday, Dec. 12, 2018 (Webinar dates: Dec. 12, Dec. 18)

As 2018 comes to an end, tax practitioners look for new planning strategies based on the recent tax law changes that can help their small and medium-sized business clients and their owners save on taxes. This program focuses on new tax developments that can be employed during 2018 and after to help businesses and business owners reduce their tax liability. Tax professionals will be prepared to discuss new business-related tax developments and planning strategies originating from the new tax legislation enacted at the end of 2017.

#### **Key Topics**

- Strategies maximizing the 20% deduction for Schedule C and pass-through entities
- Analyzing choice of entity options that maximize tax benefits to businesses and their owners
- Taking advantage of depreciation and expensing rules for 2018
- Case law impacting small and medium-sized businesses and business owners
- New IRS regulations, pronouncements and guidance impacting small and medium-sized businesses and their owners

#### Details

Course Level: Update IRS Credit Category: Federal tax law update



### Getting Ready for Tax Season: New IRS Forms and Compliance Requirements

#### Wednesday, Jan. 16, 2019 (Webinar dates: Jan. 16, Jan. 24)

Part of every tax practitioner's professional life is keeping up with the IRS' yearly update of tax forms, which is especially important now that the IRS will be updating 2018 tax forms based on tax changes produced by the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act. This program will provide tax practitioners with a thorough understanding of new tax form changes and how these changes impact their individual and business clients.

#### **Key Topics**

#### **Details**

- Review of major tax form changes for 2018
- Expected changes in forms resulting from tax reform

Course Level: Intermediate IRS Credit Category: Federal tax law

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- Previous participants



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