



CPE Details for the Annual Seventh Circuit Seminar

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Participants will be able to earn up to 4.8 credits in Business Law and 1.2 credits in Regulatory Ethics

Field of Study: Business Law and Regulatory Ethics

Prerequisites: Participants should either be practicing bankruptcy attorneys, judges, professors, or law students studying bankruptcy; or be CPA's or Financial Advisors or business students studying bankruptcy.

Advanced Preparation: None, but materials will be posted online before the Course begins.

Program Level: Intermediate

Delivery Method: Group Live.

Fees and Cancellations:

Free

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Join the Fellows of the Seventh Circuit for their annual Seminar on October 18, 2024. The seminar is free for all attendees and will be held at the Jenner & Block Conference Center at 353 N. Clark St. Chicago, IL 60654.

The program will consist of 5 panels discussing issues and recent case developments in chapter 11, subchapter V, alternative forums and tools for restructuring and consumer bankruptcies. Lunch will be provided, along with a speaker who will discuss the present state of the economy or the upcoming election and the effect on the economy. AND the first twenty attendees to sign up will have the opportunity to enjoy an architectural river tour on the Chicago River.

There will be a separately ticketed dinner.

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

8:15 - 8:45: Check in

8:45 - 9:00: Welcome

Panel 1: 9:00-10:00 AM (60 Minutes Business Law) National Year in Review

This panel will discuss the more important and relevant cases that have been decided in the past year, concentrating on the cases decided by the United States Supreme Court and the Seventh Circuit.

Moderator: Professor Anthony J. Casey, University of Chicago Law School

Speaker: Professor Ralph Brubaker, Illinois College of Law

Speaker: Professor Adrian Walters, Chicago Kent College of Law

Panel 2: 10:15-11:15 AM (60 Minutes Business Law) Developments in Subchapter V Reorganizations

The panel will discuss pertinent issues addressed by recent subchapter V rulings and decisions including eligibility, the role of the subchapter V trustee, calculation of disposable income and confirmation issues. The panel will also discuss the pending legislation.

Moderator: The Honorable James M. Carr, U.S. Bankruptcy Court, S.D. IN.

Speaker: William L. Norton III, Bradley Arant

Speaker: Neema T Varghese, NV Consulting Services

Lunch and Keynote Speaker: 11:15 AM-12:15 PM

Prof. William Baude, University of Chicago Law School

Panel 3 (Concurrent Session): 12:15-1:15 PM (60 Minutes Business Law)
Chapter 11 - Is it Better the Second Time Around?

This panel will discuss trends, drivers and circumstances that influence a second filing.

Moderator: Felicia Perlman, McDermott Will & Emery LLP

Speaker: Melissa Kibler, Accordion

Speaker: Carrienne Basler, AlixPartners, LLP

Panel 4 (Concurrent Session): 12:15-1:15 PM (60 Minutes Business Law)
Hot Topics in Consumer Bankruptcies

This panel will focus their discussion on post-discharge bankruptcy and FCRA review.

Moderator: John Hauber, Chapter 13 Trustee, S.D. IN.

Speaker: Erik Clark, Borowitz & Clark

Speaker: Edward Boltz, The Law Offices of John T. Orcutt

Panel 5: 1:30-2:30 PM (60 Minutes Regulatory Ethics)
Ethical Pitfalls in Bankruptcy

This panel will discuss ethical issues including disclosure requirements for estate professionals, social media, civility and artificial intelligence.

Moderator: Professor Douglas Baird, University of Chicago Law School

Speaker: Melissa Root, Jenner & Block

Speaker: Katherine Stadler, Godfrey & Kahn