

# Agenda

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## Tax Law and Its Impact on Planning

Overview of income tax, estate tax and gift tax planning considerations  
Portability of exemptions between spouses

## Fundamentals of Estate Planning

The basics of planning for incapacity  
The basics of asset transfers at death  
Basics of estate and gift tax planning  
Recognizing ethics issues in estate planning

## Gifting Basics

Basics of the federal gift tax system      Gift tax discount planning techniques  
Estate freeze techniques

## Retirement Asset Planning

Minimum distribution rules      Fixing less-than-perfect beneficiary designations  
Common estate planning strategies

## Generation Skipping Transfer Tax (GSTT) Planning

Defining terms and assigning generations  
Taxable transfers and exemptions  
Inclusion ratio      Application of GSTT to trusts

## Charitable Planning

Charitable tax planning vehicles

## Advanced Gifting Strategies and Testamentary Planning

Advanced trusts, annuities and other instruments  
Testamentary tax planning for married couples  
Advanced generation-skipping and estate tax reduction planning

## Business Succession Planning

Using buy-sell agreements      Using family limited partnerships  
Valuing business and partnership interests

## Trustee Selection and Asset Protection Planning

The role of the trustee      Factors for trustee selection  
Integrating asset protection with estate planning

## Ethical Considerations in Estate Planning

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### *You'll be able to:*

**Learn** about income, estate, and gift taxes and their impact on estate planning.

**Explore** the basics of planning for incapacity and planning for asset transfers at death.

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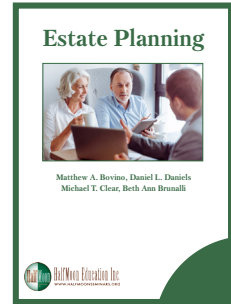
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