

Agenda

Defining Digital Assets

- History and development of digital assets
- Properties of digital assets
- Cryptocurrencies v. tokens
- Crypto frauds and other scams
- Tax implications of digital assets

J. Neumeister

Accounting Guidance and Its Applicability to Digital Assets

- US Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP)
- International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS)
- American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA)
- Anticipated guidance

A. Forester

Identifying Digital Assets and Related Issues

- Determining ownership
- Involvement of third parties
- Rights associated with ownership/possession of digital assets
- Rights to access digital assets
- Identifying and recognizing changes in value

J. Asher

Determining Cost and Fair Market Value

- Background
- Valuation approaches
- Valuation on financial statements
- NFT valuation

M. DiMichael

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Learning Objectives

You'll be able to:

Explore the history and development of digital assets.

Identify the properties of digital assets and distinguish cryptocurrencies from tokens.

Comply with accounting guidance including GAAP and guidance from AICPA and IFRS.

Determine rights associated with ownership and possession of digital assets.

Identify and recognize changes in value.

Determine cost and fair market value.



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Identify properties of digital assets

Distinguish between cryptocurrencies and tokens

Explore tax implications

Review US Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) and other guidance

Determine ownership and access rights

Identify and recognize changes in value

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