2026 Business & Seminar Agenda

Wednesday, December 2, 2026

	TOPIC	SPEAKER
7:45 am – 8:30 am	REGISTRATION	
8:30 am – 9:20 am	*Heading for the Exit: Succession Planning for Small Business Owners*	**Brandon Jones**
9:20 am – 10:10 am	*Famous Estates, Familiar Problems – A Hollywood Saga on Celebrity Estate Planning Disasters*	**Chris Genheimer**
10:10 am – 10:20 am	BREAK	
10:20 am – 11:10 am	*Anatomy of a North Carolina Tax Case: From Audit to Business Court (and Beyond)*	**Craig Almond & Troy Reid**
11:10 am – 12:00 pm	*Cyber Readiness in the Age of Emerging Technology*	**Guest Speaker: Javier Young,** CLA
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	LUNCH	
1:00 pm – 1:50 pm	*Current Issues in NIL and Tips for Practitioners*	**Guest Speaker: Mike Ingersoll,** Womble Bond Dickinson
1:50 pm – 2:40 pm	*Beyond the Piggy Bank: Big Decisions When Gifting to Young Beneficiaries*	**Aaron Bennett**
2:40 pm – 2:50 pm	BREAK	
2:50 pm – 3:40 pm	*Use It or Lose It: Navigating North Carolina's Present-Use Value Program*	**Gaaron Goldsmith**
3:40 pm – 4:30 pm	*Federal Income Tax Update*	**Keith Wood**
4:30 pm – 5:30 pm	*Cocktail Reception*	