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# National Society of Accountants Upcoming ConnectED CPE Webinars for Tax and Accounting Professionals

ALEXANDRIA, VA, May 4, 2016 — The National Society of Accountants (NSA) has announced the latest programs in its series of ConnectED Webinars, which are approved for continuing professional education (CPE) by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS), National Association of State Boards of Accountancy (NASBA), Accreditation Council for Accountancy and Taxation (ACAT) and California Tax Education Council (CTEC).

The following webinars for tax and accounting professionals are scheduled to be held in the coming weeks:

May 10, 2016

# <u>Practical Aspects of Representing Unmarried Cohabitating Couples</u>

This session will explore income and transfer tax issues as well as financial planning for couples who cohabitate but choose not to marry.

May 12, 2016

# The Final Tangible Property Repair Regulations and Fixed Asset Review: Opportunities for 2016 and Beyond

The Final Tangible Property Repair Regulations are in full effect, yet many taxpayers are not in compliance or are missing opportunities to take full advantage of these new rules. This webinar covers compliance requirements and potential tax planning strategies on both a retroactive and prospective basis.

May 18, 2016

# **EA Exam Prep Part 1: Individuals**

This webinar will review the ten topics that are often tested on Part 1 - Individuals of the Enrolled Agents (EA) Exam. Materials include several comprehensive diagrams covering such topics as the individual format, netting capital gains and losses, IRA contribution and

deductions, and the federal gift tax and the federal income tax. This webinar is the first in a series of four webinars designed to prepare candidates for the EA exam. Learn more about the EA Exam Prep Webinar Series at <a href="https://nsawebinars.nsacct.org/ea-exam-prep-series">https://nsawebinars.nsacct.org/ea-exam-prep-series</a>.

# May 19, 2016

# **Client Communications in the 21st Century - What Works?**

This webinar will present real life financial examples of how outmoded communications methods kill productivity and decrease profitability and will cover how client communications changed with accounting staffs and client bases consisting of Millennials, Gen X, and Baby Boomers.

# May 25, 2016

# **EA Exam Prep Part 2: Businesses Part 1**

The first of two webinars devoted to Part 2 - Businesses of the Enrolled Agents Exam. This webinar will review ten topics that are often tested on Enrolled Agents Exam Part 2, including business income and expense topics applicable to all businesses, sales or exchanges of business properties, and partnership taxation.

#### June 7, 2016

## **Domestic Tax Issues for Non-Resident Aliens**

This class teaches how to address domestic tax issues for non-resident aliens and serve this burgeoning client base.

#### June 9, 2016

# **FATCA Reporting**

Do we really have to file both the FBAR and Form 8938?! Enter the World of FATCA? This webinar distinguishes between foreign accounts and foreign assets, reviews reporting thresholds, and outlines the harsh consequences for non-compliance.

#### June 14, 2016

# The Key to Generating Post Tax Season Revenue

Tax Season makes up only one-third of the year, but for most small firms it accounts for more than 75 percent of the firm's revenue. Why is that? Why aren't firms fully utilizing the largest part of the year to increase their overall revenue and profits? This FREE 1-hour session is packed with step-by-step instructions about how to maximize the other two-thirds of the year outside of tax season to generate revenue. This webinar is the first in a series of three free webinars designed to help tax and accounting professionals grow their firms. Learn more about the "How to Grow Your Firm the Easy Way Webinar Series" at https://nsawebinars.nsacct.org/products/how-to-grow-your-firm-the-easy-way-webinar-series.

#### June 15, 2016

# **EA Exam Prep Part 2: Businesses Part 2**

This is the second of two webinars devoted to Part 2 - Businesses of the Enrolled Agents Exam. The purpose of Session 2 is to review another ten topics that are often tested on Part

2, including tax issues related to both C corporations and S corporations, estate and trust income taxation, and business retirement plans.

June 16, 2016

# <u>Understanding the IRS Audit Process and US Tax Court Representation</u>

This webinar will cover different types of IRS audits, how to effectively represent clients at an IRS audit, and when and how to file an appeal or US Tax Court Petition.

June 22, 2016

# **EA Exam Prep Part 3: Representation, Practice and Procedures**

This webinar will review ten topics that are often tested on Part 3 - Representation, Practice and Procedures of the Enrolled Agents Exam. Materials include several comprehensive diagrams covering such topics as the sources of primary tax authority, possible tax preparer penalty thresholds, and indirect income estimation methods.

June 23, 2016

#### Automate or Delegate – the Key to Small Firm Profits and a Saner Life

This webinar will offer advice on how to streamline an accounting practice to achieve greater efficiency and productivity.

June 30, 2016

# **Introduction to Cost Segregation**

Cost Segregation is a tax strategy that identifies and classifies assets and costs for federal tax purposes. This one-hour introductory (free for NSA members) course will provide background information, depreciation rules, and how a cost segregation study is performed.

Nearly all NSA ConnectED webinars start at 2:00 pm Eastern Time – check each course for details on timing and pricing. Order four or more live or archived webinars in one order and receive a 20 percent discount.

A complete list of webinars can be found at <a href="https://nsawebinars.nsacct.org">https://nsawebinars.nsacct.org</a>, including a full lineup of recorded, on-demand CPE webinars that are available for purchase. More information is also available by calling NSA at 800-966-6679.

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