

# **NBI: National Business Institute Online Seminar**

## **Estate Planning for Spouses**

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Time:

Eastern	3:00 pm-4:30 pm
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Mountain	1:00 pm-2:30 pm
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### **Program Description**

#### **Marital Exemption-Based Planning Tips**

Marriage grants some of the most iron-clad property rights used in retirement, incapacity and estate planning. The same rules can work against the grantor and the intended beneficiaries in cases of divorce and re-marriage. This course reviews key issues, rules and challenges associated with estate planning for spouses to help you avoid mistakes and common pitfalls. Maximize the spousal exemption opportunities and account for prior marriages and divorces when planning for the estate. Register today!

Understand what real property exemptions, allowances and planning options exist.

Review common marital deduction formulas.

Get a tax law update to prepare your practice for the recent and forecasted changes.

Walk through a sample case study to find out how the rules are applied in practice.

### **Who Should Attend**

This legal briefing is designed for attorneys. It will also benefit estate and financial planners, trustees, and paralegals.

### **Course Content**

Homestead, Exempt Property and Allowances

Effect of Pre- or Post-Nuptial Agreements

Omitted Spouses

The Surviving Spouse's Elective Share

Marital Trusts and Other Tools

Marital Deduction Formulas

Tax Consequences

Case Study: Evaluating Spousal Rights

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