Tax in a Time of Global Disruption

The Future Accelerated & Transformed



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Dear Colleague,

The Tax Council Policy Institute (TCPI) invites you to participate in our 22nd Annual Tax Policy and Practice Symposium, "**Tax in a Time of Global Disruption: The Future Accelerated & Transformed**," to be held February 10-12, 2021 virtually – the first time in the history of our organization!

Join a focused, hands-on, educational assembly of more than 40 presenters representing tax leaders from business, government, and academia for a unique three-day symposium with four to five hours of programming each day as we learn about and explore emerging policy considerations, share insights, and exchange practical strategies while we prepare for the future of tax in 2021 and beyond.

The 2021 program will explore the full range of tax implications of the global disruptions of 2020, from shifts in tax and economic policy to changes in global business operations to managing the tax function with more responsibilities and fewer resources. Looking ahead through a post-election lens, the program will focus on the advances that can come from embracing the opportunities for realignment and reprioritization that are arising from this period of disruption.

Be on the forefront of the discussion! Join us in dissecting this important tax topic which crosses all industry lines and that impacts your country and your company. Please follow our Twitter account @TCPI_DC for the latest information and use the hashtag #TCPISymp during the conference for conversations and networking opportunities. Make plans to attend this premier event and participate in sharing perspectives and understanding how current, proposed and possible future changes may impact your tax planning practices and structures.

TCPI is a highly respected non-profit and non-partisan public policy research and educational organization that is run by tax professionals for tax professionals. It has been sponsoring exceptional tax programs and conferences for more than 21 years. Our symposia are renowned for facilitating the opportunity for leading tax professionals and policy makers from government, academia, and business to fully explore all aspects of current tax topics. Thousands of tax professionals from around the world have attended our two-day conferences and webcasts. If you are not already involved in TCPI's mission, we invite you to contact us for more information.

On behalf of the TCPI and the Symposium Program Manager, EY, we look forward to seeing you in February.

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Program Agenda: Day One

Day One: Wednes	day, February 10
10:00 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.	Welcome Remarks and Recognition of Symposium Mission
10:10 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Corporate Keynote Session
11:00 a.m. – 11:10 a.m.	Break
11:10 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	The Fiscal and Economic Outlook and The Role of Deficits – Will the headlines be "Incrementalism After the Vaccine," "Modern Monetary Theory Writ Large" or "The Return of the Deficit Hawks?" The federal government's fiscal outlook has been greatly impacted by COVID-19, with a significant increase in federal government debt and a more expansive role by the Federal Reserve. President-elect Biden has proposed significant increases in federal spending and taxes. This panel will discuss economic trends, the fiscal outlook, and the role of the federal government deficit and debt, including an exploration of Modern Monetary Theory.
12:00 p.m. – 12:50 p.m.	Breakout roundtable discussions on economic and business environment
12:50 p.m. – 1:40 p.m.	Changing Global Business Models and "Made in America" Initiatives Hear tax executives and trade experts discuss how tax, trade, and other policies weigh into supply chain determinations and global business models. The panel will also discuss how pivots from pre-pandemic to the pandemic are impacting decision making for 2021 and beyond. Panelists will debate how tax and trade policies may change with the elections, including a discussion on "Made in America" initiatives, with a focus on how these potential future policy changes will impact supply chains and how any resulting alterations to supply chains will be implemented.
1:40 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.	Break
1:50 p.m. – 2:40 p.m.	Global Tax Policy: Evolution, Revolution or Chaos Much has changed since the OECD launched its original base erosion and profit shifting project back in 2013. As the OECD, UN, EU and individual countries consider fundamental changes to the international tax architecture, multinationals must navigate an increasingly complex environment of uncoordinated measures. Hear how companies are managing this uncertainty and the steps they are taking to anticipate and prepare for potential global tax policy transformation.
2:40 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Day One Closing / Preview of Day Two



Program Agenda: Day Two

Day Two: Thursday	, February 11
10:00 a.m. – 10:05 a.m.	Welcome Back
10:05 a.m. – 10:35 a.m.	IRS Interview
10:35 a.m. – 11:25 a.m.	Tax Administration in the Digital Age – Sync or Swim? Tax administrations around the world are increasingly going digital. At the same time, taxpayers have increased their use of technology. Panelists will discuss the experience to date with digital developments in tax, what they see coming next, and the extent to which tax administration and taxpayer approaches to digitalization sync up or are destined to collide.
11:25 a.m. – 11:35 a.m.	Break
11:35 a.m. – 12:25 p.m.	Changing Workforce Dynamics – Challenges and Opportunities The COVID-19 pandemic has not only fundamentally changed our lives and the economy, but how companies conduct business. This session will focus on changing workforce dynamics and how companies are adapting to workfrom-home protocols that are increasingly looking like the new normal. Please join this diverse panel for a discussion of how companies are approaching this changing environment, adjusting their internal policies and practices, and planning to navigate an uncertain future. The panel will also discuss what risks, requirements, and considerations are at play for remote workforces, and what tax policy changes should be considered both state-to-state and internationally.
12:25 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.	Breakout roundtable discussions on changing workforce dynamics
1:15 p.m. – 2:05 p.m.	Leading the Tax Function Through the Many Dimensions of Change The pandemic has added new challenges to changes that heads of tax already were confronting in managing their tax functions. This panel will explore navigating an environment in which the necessary skills for a tax function and the workplace itself are rapidly shifting, tax policy is anything but stable, and the very nature of a company's tax function is being reimagined. The panel also will examine how these changes affect the ways that heads of tax identify and engage with stakeholders in all directions – up, down and laterally.
2:05 p.m. – 2:10 p.m.	Day Two Closing / Preview of Day Three



Program Agenda: Day Three

Day Three: Friday, February 12	
10:00 a.m. – 10:05 a.m.	Welcome Back
10:05 a.m. – 10:55 a.m.	Keynote Address
10:55 a.m. – 11:05 a.m.	Break
11:05 a.m. – 11:55 a.m.	New Revenue Sources Aligned with New Policy Priorities Increasing federal spending, rising federal debt, and possible shifts in domestic policy all are likely to put additional pressure on the federal government's fisc. This panel will discuss possible additional revenue sources – both big and small – in the context of various policy objectives such as addressing income and wealth inequality, climate change, and competitiveness and trade policy.
11:55 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.	Breakout roundtable discussions on where we go from here
12:45 p.m. – 1:35 p.m.	Tax and Social Responsibility – Bedfellows for a New Era Environmental, social and corporate governance (ESG) matters have recently moved to the center of the public company agenda and routinely now include a focus on tax. Join us for a discussion with Tax VPs and an ESG officer about how companies are evaluating these evolving developments and aligning the tax element of their public profiles.
1:35 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.	Break
1:45 p.m. – 2:35 p.m.	The Path Forward – Embracing the Opportunities The events of the past year have brought dramatic change affecting all aspects of tax. With transformational change come opportunities to refocus, realign, and reprioritize. This panel of experts will look at the tax and economic agenda of the new US administration and the role it will play in the global tax dialogue. Panelists will share their perspectives on how the tax community can work together to help shape the future for 2021 and beyond.
2:35 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Closing Remarks



Additional Information

Who Should Attend?

The program is designed for CFOs, VPs of Tax, VPs of Finance. corporate tax directors, government tax professionals, tax counsels, attorneys, and managers. The method of delivery will be group internet-based at an intermediate level. Participants should possess an intermediate knowledge of tax policy and practice.

Virtual Event Space

The 2021 program will be broadcasted via a state-of-the-art and intuitive platform that allows attendees to easily access livestreams and presentations, and make connections with other attendees, speakers, and exhibitors. Some of the features include:

Video Breakout Sessions - High-value breakout sessions conducted via live video group sessions **Live Polls –** Attendees can engage with speakers in real-time by giving feedback during livestreams, then share the results live **Session Q&A –** Real-time and moderated Q&A during livestream Networking - Attendees will be able to create detailed profiles and connect and interact with fellow attendees via 1:1 chat (text or video)

TCPI Online

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Additional Information

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Learning Objective – To learn about and explore emerging policy considerations, share insights, and exchange practical strategies to help be better prepared for the future of tax in 2021 and beyond.

Participation in the symposium will allow you the opportunity to receive continuing education credits. TCPI is registered with NASBA, and in accordance with its policies, up to 13 CPE credits can be earned. (NASBA Field of Study: TAXATION.)

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Full Conference (By January 8, 2021)	\$699
Full Conference (After January 8, 2021)	\$825
Single Day Ticket	\$300
Two-Day Ticket	\$600
Government employees and members of academia (full-time students and faculty)	\$250

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The Tax Council Policy Institute is a non-profit and non-partisan public policy research and educational organization. Its mission is to bring about a better understanding of significant tax policies that impact our national economy and businesses through careful study, thoughtful evaluation and open discussion. TCPI accomplishes its mission in various ways such as hosting an Annual Tax Policy and Practice Symposium in Washington, DC and sponsoring mini-symposia on important tax issues, which are largely conveyed via webcast.

Prior Symposia

2020	Hindsight is 2020: What the TCJA and Global Developments Tell Us About the Future of Tax
2019	The Evolving Boundaries of Tax
2018	Disruption and opportunity in the era of global tax transformation
2017	Tax Policy in Transition: Diverging Views in a Converging World
2016	Capital Matters: How Taxes Influence the Global Creation, Deployment, and Mobility of Capital
2015	How Taxes Matter: The Globalization of Tax Policy and Implications for US Economic Growth and Investment
2014	Why Taxes Matter: The Implications of Tax Policy on Strategic Business Decisions
2013	Taxation of Intangibles: Implications for Growth, Jobs and Competitiveness
2012	The New Realities of Tax Risk Management: Navigating Risk in a Complex World
2011	Tax Uncertainties in a Deficit-Driver World: Designing a Blueprint for Leadership
2010	Tax Reform: In Search of a 21st Century U.S. Tax System
2009	Certainty in an Uncertain World? Resolving Cross-Border Controversies
2008	Future Shock? Impact of U.S. Fiscal Policy on Corporate Taxation
2007	Understanding the Global Tax Arena: Risk & Regulation
2006	The Corporate Tax Practice in the Age of Transparency: A Path Forward
2005	The U.S. International Tax Regime: Confronting the Challenge of the Evolving Global Marketplace
2004	The Corporate Tax Practice: Responding to the New Challenges of a Changing Landscape
2003	Jurisdiction to Tax in the New Economy: International, National, and Sub-National Perspectives
2002	The Future of International Transfer Pricing: Practical and Policy, Opportunities
2001	The R&D Tax Credit in the New Economy
2000	INDOPCO: Past, Present and Future