

March 17, 2016 Meeting

The next regular program for the **Knoxville Estate Planning Council** will be held on Thursday, March 17, 2016, at Calhoun's on the River.

Meet and greet 5:15 PM

Dinner: 5:45 PM

Presentation: 6:00 PM

Economic Environment in the U.S. and Tennessee

Speaker

Dr. Larry Kessler, University of Tennessee Center for Business & Economic Research

Dr. Kessler will discuss the current economic environment in the U.S and take an in-depth look into the components of U.S. productivity and the current labor market. During this talk he will also examine the state economy and show how Tennessee compares to the nation as well as where he believes the Tennessee economy is headed in the future.

Course Objective: Members will leave with updated information on the national and state economy.

Dr. Larry Kessler is a Research Assistant Professor at the Center for Business and Economic Research at the University of Tennessee. He received his Ph.D. in economics from the University of South Florida. Much of his research focuses on education, health economics, and econometrics. Since joining UT in 2013 he has helped maintain and update the econometric forecasting model used to support the annual *Economic Report to the Governor* as well as develop forecasting models to estimate Tennessee state tax revenues.

Bring a Guest!

Attention Members! This upcoming year KEPC will give you an opportunity to invite a guest for **FREE**. KEPC is always looking for new members in the CPA, Financial, Trust and Special categories. If you know someone who would be interested in becoming a member and would like to attend a meeting, this is the perfect opportunity. **One guest per member per meeting. Guests are limited to one meeting per year at no cost.**

Please RSVP no later than 12:00 PM Monday, March 14, 2016. Reservations taken after March 14, 2016, will **NOT** include dinner. If a reservation needs to be canceled, notification must be sent no later than 12:00 PM Monday, March 14, 2016, or the member will be billed \$25 for the cost of the dinner. Guests are welcome to attend the meeting with a member — \$10 for students and emeritus members. If a guest reservation needs to be canceled, notification must be sent no later than 12:00 PM Monday, March 14, 2016, or the member is responsible for the \$25 or \$10 charge. To register for this course, go to kepctn.org, or call 865-474-7360.

Delivery Method: Group Live
Program Level: Basic
Prerequisites: None
Advanced Preparation: None
CLE Credit: 1 hour General
CLU Credit: 1 hour General
CPE Credit: 1 hour Tax

Due to this program being presented free of charge, there will be no refunds issued. For more information regarding refund, complaint and program cancellation policies, please contact our offices at 865-474-7360.

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