

**The Tax Section of The Florida Bar
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Tax Section Bylaws

ARTICLE V EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

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Fall Meeting, October 13, 2017
Conrad Miami
Tax Planning for Real Estate Developers & Investors
William Siegel, Co-Chair
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36th International Tax Conference, January 10-12, 2018
JW Marriott, Miami
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Representing the Physician 2018, TBA
Location: TBD
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National Multistate Tax Program, TBA
Location: TBD
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Annual Wealth Protection Program 2018, TBA
Location: TBD
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Annual Meeting, April 20, 2018
Ritz-Carlton Sarasota
Estate Planning
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State Tax Conference, TBA
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