

PRESS INFORMATION

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McKay Hochman Releases 2005 Education Programs Course Catalog

Revised catalog offers public, online, and in-house retirement plan education opportunities.

ALBANY, NY, March 15, 2005 - McKay Hochman, one of the nation's most respected names in employee benefits consulting, has announced the availability of its 2005 Retirement Plans Education Programs catalog. This catalog includes course descriptions for all currently scheduled public and online events, and provides specific detail on the creation of custom in-house training.

“We have added a number of all-new educational opportunities that retirement plan professionals will find of tremendous interest,” said Bob Kaplan, CFP, CPC, QPA, APA, McKay Hochman’s Director of Education and Consulting Services. “From the release of the final 401(k) regulations and the proposed changes to 403(b) programs, to the new rules governing automatic rollovers - there are sure to be courses of interest to retirement plan professionals at all levels,” he added.

Two-day public seminars scheduled for 2005 cover topics including *Introduction to Retirement Plans*, *Retirement Plan Insights*, and *Prototype Plans*. Seminar locations, dates, times, course descriptions, and fee information are included in the catalog.

“Continued growth in the acceptance of online education has resulted in the expansion of our online events for 2005,” said Kaplan.

Continuing education credit, fees, and dates and times of scheduled eSeminars are contained in the updated catalog. Additional eSeminars are posted on www.newkirk.com/event/ throughout the year.

To request a copy of the new catalog, simply contact McKay Hochman by phone at 973-492-1880 or by e-mail at info@mhco.com.

About McKay Hochman Company, Inc.

McKay Hochman is one of America’s most respected and recognized consulting firms serving the employee benefits field. Since 1979, the firm has built its reputation as an innovator in developing unique products and technical services to help clients establish and administer IRS-approved retirement plans. In addition, McKay Hochman has created a niche as an expert prototype plan Mass Submitter serving financial institutions, attorneys, accountants, and consultants from Maine to California plus Alaska and Hawaii.

McKay Hochman regularly conducts live regional, in-house, and online training programs on employee benefits issues. For information on regional or in-house seminars, call 973-492-1880 or visit www.mhco.com.

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