

Family Law for Financial Professionals

WITH



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Attendees will learn

- basic family law and how it relates to financial planning;
- new developments in Maryland Family Law that relates to financial planning;
- how they can use their own expertise to work with, and be hired as, experts by divorce attorneys in their cases; and
- what areas of their expertise are needed by divorce attorneys in their cases.

Ms. Stillman is co-chair of the Family Law Department at Tydings & Rosenberg LLC. Since 1987, she has represented men and women in a variety of complex domestic relations cases throughout Maryland. She handles valuations of businesses, professional practices, retirement plans, and other aspects of property division; custody disputes; alimony and child support; premarital and post-marital agreements; and adoptions. Ms. Stillman has tried numerous family law cases and negotiated and drafted sophisticated separation, premarital, and post-marital agreements.

In 2007, Ms. Stillman was appointed by the Court of Special Appeals to serve on the Custody Subcommittee of the Judicial Conference. In 2006, Ms. Stillman was named one of Maryland's Top 100 Women by *The Daily Record*. This annual award recognizes leadership roles and other outstanding achievements of professional women who reside and work in Maryland and who are making an impact on our state. In September 2005, *Baltimore Smart CEO Magazine* authored the first in a series of articles on the business costs of divorce. Ms. Stillman was the only family law attorney interviewed for and quoted extensively in the article.

Ms. Stillman is an active member of the Family Law Committees of the Baltimore County Bar Association and the Bar Association of Baltimore City (where she served as co-chairperson). Additionally, Ms. Stillman has been appointed a Volunteer Mediator for family law cases in the Baltimore City Circuit Court's Family Division. She has given numerous lectures on a wide range of domestic relations topics.