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Agenda

Northern Ireland Spring Conference

Venue:

Kingfisher Hotel, Paradise Walk, Castle Upton Estate , BT39 0DD

Date:

Thursday 27 Apr 2023



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In association with our Partners in Professionalism:



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08:45 - 09:30 Registration

09:30 - 09:35 Chair Introduction

09:35 - 09:50 Word Cloud Activity

Discuss a number of key priorities and processes advisers are implementing for consumer duty.

09:50 - 10:25 The psychology of persuasion; how to increase your influencing skills

- Explain the core principles of persuasion and how they are used.
- Identify key situations where you can apply the influencing principles to your advisory business.
- Understand why attempts to influence sometimes fail and what to do about it.

Graham Finlay, Columbia Threadneedle Investments

10:25 - 11:10 What Consumer Duty means for research & due diligence

To understand:

- Why research & due diligence is important
- FCA rules & expectations & FOS view
- What to do – key activities & actions
- How to approach it – and evidence your process

Chris Jones, DD Hub

11:10 - 11:15 Professional Qualifications Officer

11:15 - 11:35 Conversation Over Coffee

11:35 - 11:40 Chartered Champion

11:40 - 12:15 Financial planning essentials for small businesses

By the end of the session you will be able to:

- Explain the key tax implications for small business owners
- Evaluate the planning and advice considerations when advising business owners
- Demonstrate the impact of profit extraction on individuals

Kirsty Anderson, M&G Plc

12:15 - 12:50 What's affecting businesses today for tomorrow

- Explore the future of work and the changing face of group risk and employee benefits
- Identify the driving factors behind the “Great Resignation” and the key risks for businesses in 2023 that need addressing
- Discover how redefining the insurance model to move from protection to prevention and introducing gamification can drive employee engagement

Barry Waring, YuLife

12:50 - 12:55 Education Outreach Ambassador

12:55 - 13:35 Lunch & Learn

13:35 - 13:50 Word Cloud Activity

Learn about developments in technology to aid the financial planning process.

13:50 - 13:55 Membership Officer

13:55 - 14:30 NI Economy: Where are we and where are we going?

Richard Ramsey, Ulster Bank

14:30 - 14:35 Chair Close



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