



Fifth
**Tribal Financial
Management &
Leadership Symposium**

September 30th-October 1st, 2019

Mutual of America Headquarters

New York, NY

8:00-8:50 AM

Registration & Networking Breakfast

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8:50-9:00 AM

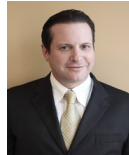
Opening Remarks & Conference Co-Chair Remarks



Justin O'Connor
President
Native Nation Events



Cynthia Pierce
*Vice President, National
Group Accounts
Native American Business
Mutual of America*



Bernard Machlovitch
Executive Director
Morgan Stanley Private
Wealth Management



Hans Maentz
Senior Vice President
Morgan Stanley Private
Wealth Management

9:00-9:10 AM

Welcoming Remarks



John R. Greed
Chairman, President & Chief Executive Officer
Mutual of America Life Insurance Company

General Sessions

9:10-9:30 AM

Keynote Address

Presenter:



David Sickey
Chairman
Coushatta Tribe of Louisiana

General Session

9:30-10:30 AM

Coming “Inside-Out” to Maximize Your Energy, Enthusiasm & Impact on Your Team!

- Developing a pregame-postgame strategy that allows your daily performance to be maximized.
- Back to basics. Getting clarity with values and principles and clearly defining who your self identify is at its best version.
- Simplifying, codifying and ratifying each day to cast votes for who you are and the message you send to your community.
- When the game gets rugged and hostile who wins?
- The “G-Gem box” and the five essentials great leaders possess.
- We are all story tellers. Our interpretations are in our hands.
- $K-A=0$. Knowledge minus actions equals zero. Follow the Nike Lead!

Presenter:



Jim Stroker
Coach
Native Nation Events

10:30-10:45 AM

Morning Networking Break



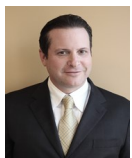
General Session

10:45-11:45 AM

Macro Outlook on the Financial Markets

- What is the economy telling us now?
- U.S. investor markets, where are they heading and how should tribes be investing for the long term?
- How are central banks influencing interest rates?
- How do tribes best diversify their investments?
- How have nontraditional/alternatives diversified their investments?
- How can tribes weather the current volatility in the markets (i.e. The “tweet affect”)?

Presenters:



Bernard Machlovitch
Executive Director
Morgan Stanley Private
Wealth Management



Hans Maentz
Senior Vice President
Morgan Stanley Private
Wealth Management



Amir Lear, CFA
Chairman & CEO
Capital Management LLC
Mutual of America

General Session

11:45-12:45 PM **The Importance of Asset Allocation in the Anticipated Recession**

- Identify key drivers of asset prices over the next year.
- The importance of ensuring your organization has a well-rounded portfolio, and steps to diversification.
- Common pitfalls that investors need to be aware of.
- Examine the correlation between large market drawdowns and recessions and distinguishing between signal and noise.
- Economic outlook and the variables we consider in coming to that conclusion.

Moderator: Jim Paulsen
 Regional Vice President
 Guggenheim Investments

Presenters:



Alexandra Terry
Deputy Director
Leveraging for the Tohono O’odham
Ki:Ki Housing Association



Kurtis Trevan
CEO
Gun Lake Investments

12:45-1:45 PM


Networking Lunch



General Sessions

1:45-2:45 PM **Driving Portfolio Returns**

- Investing strategies for trust assets vs. retirement plan assets
- What NOT to do
- Should your portfolio include EFTs
- If you have a 3(38) advisor, what does that mean for your liability exposure?

Moderator:  Cynthia Pierce
 Vice President, National Group Accounts
 Native American Business
 Mutual of America

Presenters:



Stephen Rich
President & Chief Equity Strategist
Capital Management LLC
Mutual of America



Joe Gaffoglio, CFA, CPA
Executive Vice President & COO
Capital Management LLC
Mutual of America

2:45-3:00 PM

Afternoon Networking Break



General Sessions

3:00-4:00 PM **Equity Investments in Current Market Conditions**

- Understanding the benefits of dividend growth investing.
- Hear first-hand which market sector today's leading financial professionals are investing in.
- Long/short equity- understanding the difference between the two.
- What strategies are used to avoid unwanted risk and the factors that drive returns?

4:00-5:00 PM **What to Do with Your Fixed Income Portfolio Based on Current Market Conditions**

- History suggests there may be benefits to staying put and "riding out" the cycle, instead of rushing for the exits or pursuing a market-timing strategy.
- Fixed income's performance during past interest rate cycles offers valuable context for investors now.
- The fixed income markets delivered positive results during recent Federal Reserve rate tightening cycles. Where do the experts see both the Fed and markets heading?
- Focusing on a single market's economic and interest rate cycle to generate returns is one dimensional, risky and restricts an investor's potential return.
- Global bonds offer a larger, more diversified opportunity set of return sources relative to single country portfolios.
- Why now is a unique time to invest in Global Bonds.

Presenter:



Hannah Kim, CFA
Vice President, Fixed Income Product Strategist
BlackRock

5:00 PM

Monday's Sessions Conclude

8:00-8:45 AM

Registration & Networking Breakfast

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PRIVATE WEALTH MANAGEMENT

General Sessions

8:45-9:45 AM Strategies to Enhance Self Awareness & Create Teams on a Mission of Success

- Billboards, heroes and eulogies. The framework to your enhanced self awareness statement.
- Feedback and blind spots. The 100 game.
- Seals, focus and boxes. Three practices of great leaders.
- Tattoos, triggers and thoughts.
- Simply, codify and ratify.
- Rule #6.

Presenter:



Jim Stroker
Coach
Native Nation Events

9:45-10:45 AM Opportunity Zone Funds & the Potential Benefits for Your Tribe

- The Opportunity Zones Program is a tax incentive for investors to deploy potentially billions of unrealized capital gains into economically distressed communities.
- Discuss Opportunity Zones and their challenges and benefits.
- Clarify the latest regulations and talk through opportunities and strategies for participation.
- How can you position yourself and utilize the Opportunity Zones incentive to bring capital to Indian Country?

Presenter:



Zach Atherton-Ely
VP of Strategic Growth Initiatives
Mille Lacs Corporate Ventures

10:45-11:00 AM

Morning Networking Break

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General Sessions

11:00-12:00 PM **Minor's Trust Funds**

- Best practices for the transition and set-up of a minor's trust program.
- Taxation of per capita.
- The latest legal and tax laws for Minors Per Capita Trusts.
- Structuring A Minors Trust Program that encourages educational pursuits.
- Minor's trust contributions and the conflict with SSA payments—new updates.
- Incorporating financial literacy into a minor's trust program.
- Effective early distribution policies - allowing early distributions that can really benefit the youth.
- Minor Trusts: Protecting Wealth for Future Generations.

Presenter:



Kip Rabin
Finance Director
Miccosukee Tribe of Indians of Florida

12:00-1:00 PM **Are Alternative Investments or Impact Investments an Option for Your Tribe?**

- Define alternative investments and what they include- venture capital, private equity, hedge funds, real estate investment trusts, commodities, etc.
- Define impact investments and how Tribes can benefit - investing Tribal assets in community development throughout Indian Country, seeking impact investment from others for your community needs.
- Understanding the difference and qualifications between liquid and non-liquid alternative assets.
- Long/short alternative investments vs the current market conditions?

Presenters:



Phil Glynn
President
Travois



Dennis Johnson
Chief Investment Officer
Ho-Chunk, Inc.

1:00 PM **Tribal Financial Management Symposium Concludes**

1:00 PM **GRAND PRIZE RAFFLE DRAWING**

*****Winner must be Present to Win*****