

CONNECTICUT STATE TAX PANEL

Tuesday, October 13, 2015 Room 2B

10 AM—3 PM

AGENDA

1. Opening Remarks by the Co-Chairs William Dyson and William Nickerson
2. Remarks by Robert Ebel, Executive Director
3. Testimony: **Connecticut Business and Industry Association**. All five presenters will discuss general business tax policy, with the first three focusing on C corporations and the remaining two on pass-through entities.

- Harry Im, United Technologies Corporation
- Jerry Maher, Boehringer Ingelheim
- Stephen LaRosa, Alexion Pharmaceuticals
- Alan Lieberman, Shipman & Goodwin
- Patrick Duffany, CohnReznick
- Tony Switajewski, Blum, Shapiro and Company

4. Presentation

Fiscal Architecture: What Makes Fiscal Sense in the Context of Connecticut's Economic, Demographic and Institutional Realities and Trends?

Sally Wallace
Professor of Economics and Director, Fiscal Research Center
Andrew Young School of Policy Studies
Georgia State University

5. Presentation

General Business Taxation: Net Income (Profits), Value Added Tax, Gross Receipts Tax

LeAnn Luna, Professor of Accounting
Center for Business and Economic Research
University of Tennessee

Matthew Murray, Professor of Economics and Director, Howard H. Baker, Jr.
Center for Public Policy
University of Tennessee

6. Discussion. Questions and Comments from the Panel Members
7. Closing Remarks by Chairs

Next Meeting: _____
Tuesday, October 27, 10 am—4 pm