

2026 CONVERGENCE SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE

| Time | Dallas Ballroom A2-3 | Dallas Ballroom B | Dallas Ballroom C | Dallas Ballroom D2-3 |
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| 7:00am - 8:00am | Registration: Visit Sponsors and Exhibits | | | |
| 8:00am - 9:20am | BEAT It: Navigating the Section 174 Expensing Song and Dance Philip Overly DST Advisory Group | Everything is Bigger in the Lone Star State: 2026 Texas Tax Overview of Significant Developments David Colmenero Meadows Collier | Nonprofit Issues and Board Considerations Neely Duncan, Forvis Mazars LLP Genevra Williams, Mendrygal Law | The Profitability of Emotional Intelligence Dr. Shannan Crawford Crawford Clinics |
| 9:20am - 9:35am | Break: Visit Sponsors and Exhibits | | | |
| 9:35am - 10:25am | Employment Tax and Fringe Benefit Challenges in 2026 Michael Chittenden Covington & Burling LLP | Economic Update, Texas and Beyond Steve Orr Texas Capital Bank | Professional Issues Update Tim Pike The Bonadio Group | Contract Law: Case Studies Cody Lewis Hayes, Berry, White & Vanzant LLP |
| 10:25am - 10:40am | Break: Visit Sponsors and Exhibits | | | |
| 10:40am - 12:00pm | Washington DC Tax Update Hank Gutman Ivins, Phillips & Barker, Chartered | Debunking Social Media Tax Schemes Jasmine DiLucci DiLucci CPA Firm | Accounting and Audit Update Brad Leffler Nuwandi Trahan Aprio | Turn Your Brain On - Get Your Game On Dr. Leigh Richardson Brain Performance Center |
| 12:00pm - 12:15pm | Break: Visit Sponsors and Exhibits | | | |
| 12:15pm - 1:45pm | You've Been Chosen Cynt Marshall Retired CEO, Dallas Mavericks Founder, Marshalling Resources | | | |
| 1:45pm - 2:00pm | Break: Visit Sponsors and Exhibits | | | |
| 2:00pm - 3:20pm | Washington DC Tax Update Hank Gutman Ivins, Phillips & Barker, Chartered | Fractional CFO Panel Gayle Anderson, SeatonHill Roger Burns, RWB Consulting CFOs May Lee Radtke, Force10-Consulting Jens Mielke, Venturity Financial Partners (Mod) Claudia Reed, Hancock Whitney | Tariffs, Trade, and Supply Chain Considerations Eric Woelke Deloitte | Anatomy of an Inspirational Leader Jesse Ihde Trade Last |
| 3:20pm - 3:30pm | Break | | | |
| 3:30pm - 4:50pm | Fraud Stories to Learn From Tim Ball The Bonadio Group | AI in Accounting: Opportunities & Risks Seth Hopkins Forvis Mazars LLP | State Tax Issues Related to OB3 Chris Gorman, RSM US Shakeb Syed, RSM US | A Time to Be Proactive Not Reactive - Social Security Decisions David P. Zander Back Nine Financial |