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## LUNCHTIME LECTURE: IS THE U.S. A TAX HAVEN FOR FOREIGN NATIONALS?

Date: Tuesday, February 21, 2017

**Time:** 12:30 p.m.–2:00p.m. (A light lunch will be served at 12:15 p.m.)

**Location:** New York Law School

Events Center, Second Floor

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Cost: Free

CLE: 1.5 credits in Professional Practice, transitional and non-transitional

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## **SPEAKERS:**

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Unlike many other countries, the U.S. does not generally require disclosure of beneficial ownership of corporations and other entities. The dramatic influx of foreign investment into Wyoming, Nevada, and Delaware strongly suggests that foreign nationals are creating entities there in which to hide the ownership of investment assets, including the proceeds of illegal activities, from their home taxing authorities. Tax lawyers and others who advise non-U.S. clients need to be aware of their increasing moral, ethical, and legal obligations, as well as the risk of criminal prosecution in connection with facilitating such arrangements.