

Michael Smith Regional Ethics Case Competition



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Judge Profile



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Michael received his undergraduate degree from Providence College in 1983. In 1990 he earned a Masters Degree in Taxation from Bryant College. Upon graduation from college he worked for KPMG Peat Marwick as an auditor and then in the tax department of Ernst & Young. In 1990 Michael founded his own accounting and tax practice in Warwick, Rhode Island. His practice focuses on the tax and accounting needs of high net worth individuals with investments in privately held companies.

Currently, Michael is in his tenth year as a full time faculty member in the Accountancy Department at Providence College and has nearly 20 years of teaching experience at the undergraduate and graduate levels at Providence College, Bryant University, Johnson and Wales University and the Community College of Rhode Island. Over the years, he has taught classes in Personal and Corporate Income Tax, Financial Accounting, Managerial Accounting, Cost Accounting, Intermediate Accounting, and CPA Problems. He also teaches continuing professional education to licensed CPA's through Surgent McCoy, LLC visiting CPA societies across the country.

Michael is involved in many business and civic organizations. He is a past chairman of the Central Rhode Island Chamber of Commerce and member of the Warwick Rotary Club. Previously active in the Boy Scouts of America, Michael served on the Board of Directors of the Narragansett Council and has served as Vice President of Development for three years. Michael was the Section Order of the Arrow Adviser for Section NE-1 for three years.