



Sheraton Grand Nashville Downtown



## Redhawk University 2025 Agenda

**Meeting Attire:** Casual.

### 9/24: Wednesday

- 7:30pm – 9:00pm: Reception – **Legislative Terrace**/Sheraton Grand Nashville Downtown. Appetizers and cocktails.

### 9/25: Thursday

- 7:30am – 8:00am: **Studio 4 Foyer** – Morning Essentials breakfast buffet. **Come dressed for golf and bring your clubs.**
- 8:00am – 8:15am: **Studio 4, Welcome.** **Dan Hunt**, CEO, Redhawk Wealth Advisors, Inc.
- 8:15am – 8:45am: **Income Outlook and Opportunity.** **Paul McGinn**, SVP, Client Portfolio Manager, Fixed-Income Strategy, First Trust.
- 8:45am – 9:15am: **Equity Markets Insight with Capital Group.** **Scott Hoyer**, Relationship Manager, Capital Group/American Funds.
- 9:15am – 9:45am: **Private Credit and Private Real Estate.** **Sean Morris**, Executive Director, PGIM Private Alternatives.
- 9:45am – 10:00am: **Break**
- 10:00am – 10:30am: **Creating a Referral Culture.** **Kevin Chalk**, Senior Business Management Consultant, Charles Schwab Advisor Services.
- 10:30am – 11:00am: **Moat Investing.** **Andrew Lane**, Director of Equity Research – Index Strategies, VanEck.
- 11:00am – 11:30am: **AI, Electricity and Energy: The Secular Trend for the Next Generation.** **Paul Baiocchi**, CFA, Chief ETF Strategist, SS&C ALPS.
- 11:30am – 12:00pm: **Tax-Managed Solutions: GS TACS Direct Indexing and Equity Premium Income ETFs.** **David Gonzalez**, Vice President/Regional Director and **Elizabeth Wyman**, ETF Specialist, Goldman Sachs Asset Management.
- 12:00pm: **Box lunch to go.**
- 12:15pm: **Golf** (1:30pm tee time). Gaylord Springs Golf Links. The bus leaves the hotel at 12:15pm and will pick up at the course at 7pm. [18 Springhouse Lane, Nashville, TN 37214.](#) [\(615\) 458-1730](#)  
  
**\$50k Hole-in-One Contest** sponsored by Fidelity Investments: **Kelsea Sullivan**, Fidelity Regional Director.
- 3:30pm – 5:00pm: **Tennessee Whisky Workshop Experience.** The bus leaves the hotel at 3:00pm. [Love & Exile Bar, 715 Main Street, Nashville, TN.](#)
- 8:30pm – 10:30pm: **Jeff Ruby's Steakhouse.** You can walk to the restaurant. [300 4th Avenue North in Nashville, TN.](#) [\(615\) 434-4300](#)





### 9/26: Friday

- 7:30 - 8:00am: **Studio 4 Foyer** – Southern Start breakfast buffet.
  - 8:00am – 8:15am: **Studio 4, Golf awards.** **Dan Hunt**, CEO, Redhawk Wealth Advisors, Inc.
  - 8:15am – 8:45am: How to Position Fixed Income Today. **Ronit Walny**, CFA, Head of Fixed Income Client Portfolio Management, Global Fixed Income, Northern Trust.
  - 8:45am – 9:15am: The Anatomy of a Recession- Quarterly Flipbook. **Tom Antonovich**, Vice President, RIA Director, Franklin Templeton.
  - 9:15am – 9:45am: What's Driving the Boom in Options-Based ETFs? **Matt Kaufman**, SVP, Head of ETFs, Calamos Investments.
  - 9:45am – 10:00am: **Break.**
  - 10:00am – 10:30am: Orion 2025 Development Roadmap and Product Updates. **Andy Larson**, Relationship Manager, Orion.
  - 10:30am – 11:00am: Ahead of the Curve | PIMCO Macro Views and Bond Market Implications. **Todd Mangas**, Vice President & External Advisor Consultant and **Mark Shaw**, Vice President & ETF Account Manager, PIMCO Investments.
  - 11:00am – 11:30am: Are You Getting "Value" from Your Value Exposure. **Gary Goska**, Regional Sales Director, Victory Capital Management.
  - 11:30am – 12:00pm: Fixed Income Outlook. **Dan Larkin**, Senior Investment Director, Active Fixed Income Investment Management Group, Vanguard.
  - 12:00pm: **Box lunch to go.**
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- 2:00pm – **K1 Go Kart Grand Prix:** practice, qualifying, and finals. The bus leaves at 1:00pm and the racing starts at 2:00pm. The bus will pick up at K1 at 4:30pm and drive back to the Sheraton Grand Nashville Downtown. You must bring a valid driver's license. Wear comfortable clothing and closed-toed shoes are required.  
*404 Davidson ST., Nashville, TN 37213. (615) 242-3275*
  - 5:30pm – 7:30pm: **Puckett's Restaurant:** A sought-after destination for live music, down-home cooking and the quintessential Southern experience! You can walk to the restaurant.  
*500 Church St. Nashville, TN 37219. (615) 770-2772*
  - 8:15pm – 10:15pm: **Party Bus with Bartender and DJ:** At 7:45pm., the hotel bus will pick you up at Puckett's Restaurant and drop you off at the location of the Party Bus. At 10:15pm., the hotel bus will pick you up from the Party Bus and take you back to the hotel.

### 9/27: Saturday

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**Todd Mangis** is a vice president in the New York office and an external advisor consultant for Minnesota. Prior to joining PIMCO in 2011, he was a vice president in the wealth management group at Merrill Lynch, working with the firm's financial advisors in the heartland region of the U.S. He was previously a vice president with Neuberger Berman, helping to build the company's business in the plains states. Mr. Mangis has also held positions at Dreyfus Investments, Gartmore, and Deutsche Bank. Todd is a CFA and has 32 years of investment and financial services experience and holds a bachelor's degree from California State University, Long Beach. He is on the Board of Directors for the Minnesota Society of Analysts.

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