

Michael Selchen

Partner

Specializes in personal and corporate tax planning, advising professional practices, estate and trust planning, shareholder disputes and remediation, succession planning, corporate reorganizations and restructuring, cross-border and international transactions, inbound and outbound tax structuring, mergers, acquisitions and divestitures, corporate financings, investment fund structuring and taxation, tax controversy resolution and private client services.



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Practice Areas

- Banking and Financial Services
- Business
 - Corporate and Commercial
 - Corporate Finance
 - Restructuring
- Litigation and Dispute Resolution
- Mergers and Acquisitions
- Pensions
- Private Client Services
- Tax
- Wills and Estate Planning
- Estate Administration
- Estate Planning



Education

LL.B., University of Manitoba, 2004

B.Comm (Hons.Finance), with Distinction, University of Manitoba, 1999

B.A., University of Manitoba, 1995

Academic and Professional

Chartered Professional Accountants Canada – Advanced Tax Issues for the Owner-Managed Business Course, 2013

Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants – Corporate Reorganizations Course, 2012

Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants – In-Depth Tax Course, Part III, 2011

Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants – In-Depth Tax Course, Part II, 2007 – 2008

Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants – In-Depth Tax Course, Part I, 2006 – 2007

Canadian Bar Association – Tax Law For Lawyers, 2006

Canadian Securities Course (with Honours), 2002

Publications and Appearances

Author, Pitblado COVID-19 Resource Centre, “The Canada Emergency Wage Subsidy“, April 24, 2020

Co-Author, Pitblado COVID-19 Resource Centre, “Canada’s COVID-19 Economic Response Plan (Tax)“, March 24, 2020

Co-moderator and Presenter, “Update on Tax Issues in the Transportation Industry“, Canadian Transport Lawyers Association Conference, 2019

Author, “Tax Planning for your Incorporated Insurance Business“, Manitoba Insurance Broker Magazine, Summer 2014



Publications and Appearances continued

Past Course Contributor, Corporate Tax, Faculty of Law (University of Manitoba)

Past Co-Instructor, Corporations II, Faculty of Law (University of Manitoba)

Research Contributor, "Shareholders' Agreements: Subtle Aspects relating to Control," in Report of Proceedings of the Fifty-Sixth Tax Conference, 2004 Conference Report (Toronto: Canadian Tax Foundation, 2005), 15:1-18

Honours and Awards

Faculty of Law

Dean's Honour List, 2002, 2003, 2004

Stikeman Elliott/Carswell National Tax Award, 2004

D.A. Thompson, Q.C. Prize, 2004

Garth Erickson Memorial Prize, 2004

Pitblado Scholar, Robson Hall Dean's Honour List, 2002, 2003

University of Manitoba General Scholarship, 2002

Memberships and Associations

The Canadian Bar Association

The Manitoba Bar Association

The Canadian Tax Foundation
