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Drake Software and National Association of Tax Professionals team up for series of free roundtable discussions ahead of tax season

*Topics include advance child tax credit payments and tax law updates*

APPLETON, Wis. (Nov. 2, 2021) – The last two years have been tumultuous for tax professionals, to say the least. To help tax pros prepare for this coming tax season, two industry leaders have teamed up to host a series of roundtable discussions about the most pressing issues facing tax professionals and address challenges that tax pros will face this upcoming tax season.

The National Association of Tax Professionals (NATP) and Drake Software are hosting “Taxes Today,” a virtual roundtable discussion that is free and open to tax professionals of all levels of experience. The first discussion will focus heavily on the advance child tax credit payments and hit on the opening of PTIN season and current legislation updates.

To view the first discussion as well as subsequent events, interested tax professionals simply need to register on [NATP's website](#). They will then be able to access the discussion for free.

“It’s unclear what the next few months will bring for tax preparers and tax law change, but NATP is committed to providing tax professionals with the education they need to perform their job with excellence and serve their hardworking clients,” said NATP Executive Director Scott Artman, CPA, CGMA.

“We’re thrilled to collaborate with the NATP and help educate tax professionals on the key issues facing the industry for the upcoming season,” said Drake Software Chief Revenue Officer John Sapp, CPA. “We look forward to bringing our domain knowledge and expertise to these timely roundtable discussions.”

To learn more about this event, visit [natptax.com/taxestoday](https://natptax.com/taxestoday). To learn more about the National Association of Tax Professionals, please visit [natptax.com](https://natptax.com). To learn more about Drake Software, visit [drakesoftware.com](https://drakesoftware.com).

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**About Drake Software:** Drake Software, a private company founded in 1977, provides experience, stability and value to over 60,000 tax offices every year. Drake Software products like Drake Tax, Drake Accounting, Drake Documents and Drake Portals are consistently



recognized for excellence in tax industry surveys for customer satisfaction, ease of use, overall performance, quality and support. Committed to providing the best service to its customers, Drake also offers CPE opportunities, webinars, online tax research resources and regular tax industry updates.

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