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Catherine Spanu to Discuss How to Navigate the Nuances of Alimony & Child Support Interplay PostCavanagh

This comprehensive MCLE seminar will feature Catherine Spanu and a panel of experts who will delve into the intricate intersection of alimony and child support, particularly in the aftermath of the Supreme Judicial Court's landmark *Cavanagh v. Cavanagh* decision. With a focus on practical insights and strategic guidance, attendees will learn how to effectively navigate complex scenarios while gaining an understanding of how courts are interpreting and applying *Cavanagh* in practice. The agenda will include:

- Differences Between Child Support and Alimony
- Procedural Outline of Presenting Child Support and Alimony Arguments at Both the Temporary Order and Trial Stages
- Various Ways Child Support and Alimony Interact
- What Analyses the Judges Want and Expect
- Common Arguments for and Against the Issuance of Alimony Orders and Judgments
- · Modification Strategies post-Cavanagh
- "Ask the Experts" Q&A Session and Key Takeaways

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