

## **2025 Kovack National Conference**

## **Monday, October 6th**

7:00am-3:00pm Conference Registration Desk Open North Foyer

7:00am-8:00am Continental Breakfast Tavistock Ballroom ABC

7:00am-12:00pm Exhibits Open Tavistock Ballroom ABC

8am-11:00am Technology Enhancements Overview Tavistock Ballroom D & Highbourne

11:45am-12:45pm Lunch Buffet Tavistock Ballroom ABC

1:00pm-1:30pm "Chairman's Welcome & Fireside Chat" Aviva Ballroom

By Brian Kovack, CEO & Andy Powers, Chief Technology Officer

1:30pm-2:30pm General Session #1 Aviva Ballroom

By Strider Ellas, First Trust

2:40pm-3:40pm "The Future of Advice: Harnessing AI Aviva Ballroom

for Extraordinary Client Experiences" -Orion

Artificial intelligence is reshaping the way financial advisors connect with their clients. In this engaging session, you'll explore how AI is transforming wealth management by enhancing personalization, deepening client relationships, and scaling practices. Learn what clients really think about AI, gain insights into the future of advisory services, and discover how Orion's cutting-edge AI technologies are empowering advisors today — and what's on the horizon.

3:50pm-4:50pm *"Your Health Keeps Score"* Aviva Ballroom

By Chris Johnson, Founder/CEO, On Target Living

Your Body Is Talking—Are Your Listening? This presentation covers three educational, engaging and eye-opening topics:

- Stress, Anxiety, Mental Health, Space & Pace
- Sleep, Big 3, Balancing Your Nervous System to have a healthy immune system!
- Learning how to put more REST & REJUVENATION back into your Life!

6:00pm-7:00pm Cocktail Reception Aviva Lawn (outside)

7:00pm Dine-Arounds hosted by various sponsors (By Invitation Only)

## **Tuesday, October 7th**

6am-7am *MOVE Session* 

With Chris Johnson, Founder/CEO, On Target Living

7:00am-3:00pm Conference Registration Desk Open North Foyer

7:00am-8:00am Hot Breakfast Buffet Tavistock Ballroom ABC

8:00am-8:15am Welcome Aviva Ballroom

8:15am-9:15am "Successful Prospecting Strategies" Aviva Ballroom

By Rico Casares, Director of Business Consulting, AssetMark

Prospecting is an important part of your firm's business and growth strategy. Prospecting, done right, not only leads to new clients, but it can also help to position you as a trusted advisor within your community. Within this session, we will discuss why a clearly defined prospect process is necessary in today's crowded advisor marketplace. In addition, we will highlight a number of prospecting strategies. Finally, we will share with you a framework, along with supporting resources, to successfully shepherd prospects through.

9:30am-10:30am General Session #5 Aviva Ballroom

By David McSweeney, Vice President, Enterprise Security, Fidelity

10:45am-11:45am "Creating a Cornerstone for Your Client's Legacy Plan" Aviva Ballroom

By Alan Roman, Director Product & Advanced Strategies, TruChoice Financial

Wills, Trusts, and Estates - Estate planning is much more than worrying about estate taxes. In fact, the vast majority of clients should be more focused on non-estate tax driven decisions. In this presentation we will discuss estate planning concepts and

strategies that should be the cornerstone of any client's legacy plan.

11:45am-12:30pm Lunch Buffet Tavistock Ballroom ABC

12:45pm-3:15pm Breakout Sessions

Aviva Ballroom	Tavistock Ballroom D	Highbourne AB
Sponsor Breakouts	Sponsor Breakouts	Advisory Breakouts

12:45-1:15pm	Sponsor Breakout #1	TruChoice	Aviva Ballroom
12:45-1:15pm	"Maximizing Opportunities: Business Tools Tavistock Ballroom D for Smarter Client Conversations"  By Kelly Chapple, Divisional Sales Manager, Eagle Life		
	This session explores practical tools and strategies to help identify growth opportunities within your book of business, uncover new business, and enhance client interactions. We will cover techniques to streamline communication, tailor outreach, and leverage data-driven insights to make conversations more effective and outcomes more impactful.		
12:45-1:15pm	Advisory Breakout #1	AssetMark	Highbourne AB TBD
1:25-1:55pm	"Cracking the Connection By TBD, Athene	on Code"	Aviva Ballroom
1:25-1:55pm	Sponsor Breakout #4	Advisors Capital	Tavistock Ballroom D
1:25-1:55pm	Advisory Breakout #2	Orion	Highbourne AB
2:05-2:35pm	Sponsor Breakout #5	Equitable	Aviva Ballroom
2:05-2:35pm	Sponsor Breakout #6	Preferred Capital	Tavistock Ballroom D
2:05-2:35pm	Advisory Breakout #3	Howard Capital	Highbourne AB
2:45-3:15pm	Sponsor Breakout #7 Matt Joki, National Sale	<i>Nationwide</i> es Director, Nationwide	Aviva Ballroom RILA
2:45-3:15pm	Sponsor Breakout #8-	Pinnacle	Tavistock Ballroom D
2:45-3:15pm	Advisory Breakout #4	Focus Partners	Highbourne AB

6:00pm-7:00pm Cocktail Reception\* Adult Pool Deck (outside)

7:00pm-10:00pm Buffet Dinner Adult Pool Deck (outside)

10:45am

## Wednesday, October 8th

7:00am-12:00pm	Conference Registration Desk Open	North Foyer
7:00am-8:00am	Hot Breakfast Buffet	Tavistock Ballroom ABC
8:00am-8:15am	Welcome	Aviva Ballroom
8:15am-9:15am	General Session #7— Pershing	Aviva Ballroom
9:30am-10:30am	<b>Annual Compliance Meeting-MANDATORY</b> By Kovack Compliance Department	Aviva Ballroom
10:30am	Closing Remarks By Brian Kovack, CEO	Aviva Ballroom

Hotel Check-out and Safe Travels Home!

<sup>\*</sup>Please note that the reception and dinner is outdoors.