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Join SafeSend's Andrew Hatfield, co-founder and Chief Growth Officer, as he discusses AI's ability to make getting Tax Ready easier for firms and clients. New

innovation leveraging AI will streamline the source document gathering process and

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Firms know the frustration around collecting source documents and getting clients to complete a traditional, labor-intensive tax organizer, especially when much of the information may not apply. It's time to discover how AI and automation technology can help tax preparers move away from the dated traditional organizer process and eliminate manual work and frustration. Join SafeSend as we share ways to help your firm and your clients get tax ready and solve pain points around the client information gathering process.

Learning Objectives:

- 1. List the common points of frustration for firms and clients throughout the tax engagement
- 2. Recognize new automation advances and AI innovation saving firms time
- 3. Identify automation solutions that were built specifically for the tax and accounting profession
- 4. Evaluate how to develop a client-centric approach for tax engagements and improve client collaboration and the overall client experience

**Program level:** Basic (no prerequisites required). **Field of Study:** Business Management & Organization

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revenue growth, strategic partnerships, and defining SafeSend's longterm priorities and agenda. He is a recognized industry speaker and thought leader, and enthusiast for emerging technologies that impact tax and accounting firms. Andrew focuses on market dynamics, customer feedback and needs, and profession trends with an eye toward identifying new pathways to growth. For nearly two decades, Andrew has lent his automation technology expertise and deep domain knowledge of the profession to help create innovative software solutions – each providing exponential efficiency gains for tax and accounting professionals.



Mike Cuffle, MBA, EA is a SafeSend Senior Product Enthusiast with more than 20 years of experience serving the tax and accounting profession in a variety of roles. His diverse background includes researching and writing tax-related content for the National Association of Tax Professionals, owner of a small tax preparation business, and an on-going career in the accounting technology industry. His background gives him a unique understanding of the pain points that tax professionals face and how the SafeSend Suite can solve them by streamlining work to make the tax engagement easier for both

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