



# Scott Malin Presents on Shareholder Agreements through Thomson West

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Commentary from Lathrop Gage attorney Scott Malin (Wealth Strategies -- Clayton) has been recorded on the West Legal Ed Center, a division of Thomson Reuters. The presentation "Everything You Need to Know About Shareholder Agreements," which is presented in partnership with the Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis, is co-taught with Steven Gorin of Thompson Coburn. It is available for download ([click here](#)) at any time.

This session just under three hours covers many issues in shareholder agreements, including transfer restrictions, cross-purchase vs. redemption, buy-out triggers, S corporation provisions, ways to determine purchase price in an agreement, estate and gift tax issues, life insurance, voting, and compensation. Materials include over 90 pages of analysis on shareholder agreements, a 66-page set of form provisions to be contrasted with a 26 page form, a checklist, and a way to deal with life insurance in cross-purchase arrangements.

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