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Chris Gavin, Co-Chair of Structured Finance and the Residential Mortgage Finance and Securitization Practices, spoke on the panel “Fund of One: Trends in Separately Managed Accounts” on Friday, May 10.

Partners Claudine Chen-Young and Michelle Abad were in attendance.

Find key takeaways from Chris Gavin’s panel below.

### KEY TAKEAWAYS

- Separately Manages Accounts (SMAs) allow for more tailored liquidity, better oversight of vendors (such as the servicer), and a better understanding of how loans are performing, as compared to securitizations.
- SMAs provide increased transparency (i.e. a loan-level view into the portfolio) and customization. Transparency allows for a greater ability to analyze performance, better manage risk, and manage funding better.
- SMAs can require a longer timeframe to negotiate and establish. As such, it is imperative to address the main hurdles of getting a handle on state regulations and establishing internal buy-in upfront as early as possible.







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**Speaker**

Chris Gavin

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## Event Information

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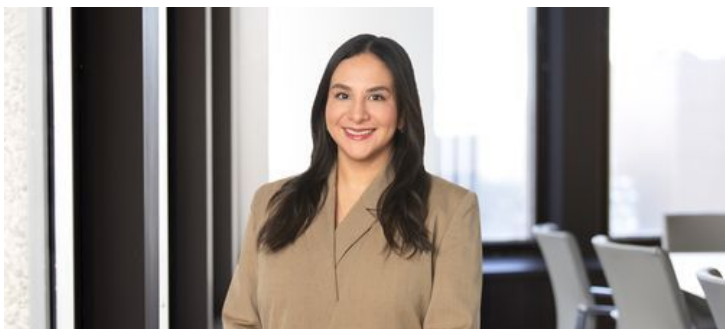
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