

Speaker's Profile

Michael D. Calhoun

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Current:

- Mike Calhoun is President of the Center for Responsible Lending, a nonprofit research and advocacy organization promoting sustainable and fair lending products and services.
- The Center for Responsible Lending is an affiliate of Self-Help, one the largest nonprofit community development lenders in the United States.
- Mike also serves on the Board of Directors of the Leadership Conference for Civil and Human Rights, which is the leading civil rights coalition in the United States.

Past:

- Prior to joining the Center for Responsible Lending, Mike served as Vice President and General Counsel of Self-Help, where he led several lending programs and provided legal advice.
- Mike also has other extensive legal experience, including a decade of work in a legal services program representing low income clients; serving as lead counsel in complex national litigation cases; and arguing a major civil rights case before the United States Supreme Court.
- He has been deeply involved in financial regulation, drafting multiple state and federal provisions, testifying frequently before Congress and in the states, and appearing on national media.

Education:

- He has an undergraduate degree in Economics from Duke University and a juris doctor degree from the University of North Carolina.