

# NEWSLETTER – JUNE 2019

## EXPAT TAX PROFESSIONALS FEATURED AGAIN!

As our firm continues to grow, a number of prestigious publications and organizations have taken notice.

### Tax Adviser Magazine

We published an article entitled, “Looming Large: Joshua Ashman provides guidance on what US expats living in the UK should know about the US taxation of UK SIPPs” in this month’s TAX ADVISER MAGAZINE, a well-known publication for UK accountants and tax professionals.

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## THIS MONTH’S TOP 3 TAX FAQs

### **Question #1 – Will the IRS automatically accept an expat’s request for a tax return extension from June 15 to October 15?**

Answer – Yes. If your extension request form is timely filed by June 15 (June 17 this year due to the weekend), the IRS will automatically grant you an extension to file your income tax return until October 15.

### **Question #2 – Does an extension to file also mean an extension to pay tax?**

Answer – No. If you owe tax, the extension to October 15 applies only to the tax return filing and not to the tax payment obligation. Therefore, you must still submit your payment to the IRS by April 15 to avoid paying interest on your late payment.

Late payment penalties do not commence until June 15 (June 17 this year).

### **Question #3 – Is October 15 the absolute last date for an expat to timely file his or her tax return?**

Answer – Not necessarily. In certain cases, a further extension may be granted by the IRS if, for good reason, October 15 does not provide sufficient time to file the tax return. An Expat Tax Professional should be consulted to discuss this extension option.

## THIS MONTH’S EXPAT TAX BLOGS

In our tax blog, we stay on top of the latest expat tax news and provide insights into matters affecting U.S. expats. This month’s blogs include:

[Avoiding Double Taxation Using Domestic Laws and the US UK Tax Treaty](#)  
(June 2 2019)

[2018 IRS Data Book Shows Chances of Being Audited](#)  
(May 22 2019)

[Appreciating the Tax Consequences of Renouncing U.S. Citizenship](#)  
(May 15 2019)

## KEY UPCOMING FEDERAL FILING DUE DATES FOR INDIVIDUALS

- June 17th** – Initial deadline for taxpayers living outside the U.S. to their file federal income tax return, unless an extension request is filed. Please note that June 17th is a filing deadline. The deadline for the payment of tax, if due, was April 15th.
- June 17th** – Deadline for taxpayers living outside the U.S. to file for an automatic tax return extension to October 15th.