

# PEOPLE ON THE MOVE

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## ACCOUNTING

### Porte Brown LLC, Elk Grove Village

Porte Brown announces that **Abe Chidalek**, **CFP®**, and **Randy Ellis**, **CPA**, **CCIFF**, have been admitted as Partner. Chidalek is a dedicated Wealth Management Advisor for Porte Brown Wealth Management. He is a CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER™ professional who holds the FINRA Series 7, 66 and Life, Accident & Health Insurance license. He also has a BBA in Finance from Texas Tech University.



Chidalek



Ellis

Ellis is part of Porte Brown's tax, accounting and consulting services teams and has more than 20 years of experience. Randy is a leader of the tax services team and the construction team. Ellis is a licensed CPA and a CCIFF. He graduated from Illinois State University with a BS in Accounting and has a Master of Science in Taxation from Northern Illinois University.



## ARCHITECTURE / DESIGN

### Gensler, Chicago

Two Gensler Chicago leaders have been promoted to Principal. **Jason Pugh**, licensed architect and certified planner, manages projects that engage the community at-large, leading them from schematic community-based master plans through full construction. Jason's passion and leadership is exemplified through his involvement on Gensler's Global Race and Diversity Committee and as the 2021-2022 National President of NOMA. With a passion for community-driven projects, **Scott Hurst**, a Design Director, leads design for projects spanning innovative higher education spaces, civic and spiritual institutions, and health and wellness facilities. He has completed award-winning work for Fourth Presbyterian Church, Columbia College Chicago, and Kohler Co.



Pugh



Hurst



## ARCHITECTURE / ENGINEERING

### Greeley and Hansen, Chicago

Greeley and Hansen is pleased to announce that **John C. Robak** has been elected Chairman of the Board of Directors at Greeley and Hansen. John has over 30 years of professional experience and directs all business affairs of this Chicago-based global engineering firm. He is also responsible for the international growth operations in Latin America, Africa, and the Middle East. John has been with Greeley and Hansen since 2003 and has served as the firm's CEO since 2020.



## BANKING / FINANCE

### Byline Bank, Chicago

**Angelique Gerlock** joins Byline Bank as Director of Talent Management and Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI). In this newly created role, she is responsible for the development and execution of all talent management strategies, including succession planning, performance management, employee engagement, career development, culture and employee recognition, in addition to overseeing the DEI strategy of the Bank. Gerlock brings more than 20 years of experience in human resources and banking.



## CONSTRUCTION

### Skender, Chicago

Skender, one of the nation's top building contractors, is pleased to welcome **Eric Fiket** to its team. Eric brings 16 years of industry experience. As senior project manager, he is responsible for planning and delivering new construction projects with Skender's commercial team. Eric earned a degree in architectural studies from the University of Illinois Chicago.



## CONSTRUCTION

### Skender, Chicago

Skender, one of the nation's top building contractors, is pleased to welcome **Jen Haub** to its team. Jen brings 20 years of accounting experience. As assistant controller, she works with Skender's finance and accounting team to maintain records, prepare financial reports, and ensure accuracy across accounts and projects. Jen earned a master's degree in accounting from Northern Illinois University and a bachelor's degree in accounting from North Central College.



## CONSTRUCTION

### Skender, Chicago

Skender, one of the nation's top building contractors, is pleased to welcome **Andy Reinhard** to its team. Andy brings 17 years of industry experience. As senior estimator on the commercial team, he guides new construction projects through the planning, design and execution phases, supporting project budgeting, bidding, scheduling, constructability, logistics and value analysis. Andy earned a degree in civil engineering and construction management from the University of Wisconsin-Madison.



## CONSTRUCTION

### Gilbane Building Company, Chicago

Gilbane, a top Chicago builder, announces **Ezgi Kosereisoglu Talarico** as Business Development Manager. Ezgi is transitioning to business development to drive strategic growth in the interiors, higher education, cultural, and entertainment markets. Ezgi leads the Midwest chapter of Gilbane's Rising Contractor program, is an active member of CoreNet Chicago, Lean Construction Institute Chicago CoP, Professional Women in Construction, and The Society for College and University Planning.



## ENGINEERING

### AECOM, Chicago

**Bill Abolt** has been named AECOM's U.S. Energy practice lead. In this role, Mr. Abolt will spearhead efforts to broaden AECOM's next-generation energy initiatives and further develop a national network to manage grid modernization, vehicle electrification, energy efficiency, and renewable energy. Mr. Abolt brings more than 35 years of experience managing complex environmental, energy, and sustainability programs for utility, government, and private clients.



## ENTERTAINMENT

### WhirlyBall, Chicago

WhirlyBall, a Chicagoland event and entertainment mecca, has appointed **Adam Elias** as Chief Executive Officer. For the past decade, Elias has played a pivotal role in evolving WhirlyBall including a complete brand refresh, enhancing the food and beverage program and, in 2019, opening a new location in Wisconsin. Now, with five locations across the country, Elias is focused on bringing the joy of WhirlyBall to more communities nationwide and making it the destination to eat, drink and game on!



## LAW

### Benesch Law, Chicago

**Chelsea Wender** has joined Benesch as an associate in the firm's Corporate & Securities Practice Group. Prior to joining Benesch, Chelsea worked as an associate at a multi-national law firm where she gained experience with private equity transactions and mergers and acquisitions. She assists companies in a variety of transactional matters, including entity structure, formation, corporate governance, and financing transactions.



## LAW

### Boodell & Domanskis, LLC, Chicago

Boodell & Domanskis, LLC is pleased to announce the addition of **Gerry Weber** as a member in our Business & Entrepreneurial and Estate Planning practice areas. Drawing upon 50 years of experience in the tax, financial, real estate, corporate, family and business planning fields, Gerry helps his clients achieve their goals and deliver better outcomes in their businesses. He has served as a director, trustee and advisor to many families, numerous public charities and family charitable foundations.



## LAW

### Croke Fairchild Morgan & Beres, Chicago

Croke Fairchild Morgan & Beres welcomes **Julie Rhoades** as a partner to help lead the expansion of the firm's taxation practice. Julie advises clients on the tax aspects of a range of complex business and financial transactions, including fund formation and mergers and acquisitions. She also provides advice on transaction structure and the tax aspects of purchase agreements, operating agreements, and related documents. Julie is based in Detroit and serves clients in Chicago and nationwide.



## LAW

### Davis Friedman, Chicago

**Joy Feinberg**, one of Chicago's most decorated family attorneys, is now a Partner at Davis Friedman, the highly respected and oldest Illinois family law firm. A trailblazer in her own right, Joy has been at the forefront of representing business owners, executives, and their spouses for over forty years, and will now be joining Davis Friedman's team of twenty excellent lawyers in their work to offer clients effective planning, integrity, and resolutions whether by settlement or trial.



## LAW

### Davis Friedman, Chicago

Expert family attorney **Jennifer Tier** is now a Partner at the renowned Davis Friedman family law firm, with whom she will be sharing her vision and dedication to the field and her clients. Jennifer's practice covers every stage of divorce and parentage disputes, including pre- and post-marital agreements, the allocation of parental decision-making and parenting time, asset division, and business valuations, and she looks forward to becoming an integral member of the Davis Friedman team.



## LAW

### Thompson Coburn LLP, Chicago

**Katriina McGuire** has been named the managing partner of Thompson Coburn's Chicago office. Katriina, the chair of the Firm's Real Estate Land Use practice, takes over from Rick Reibman, who has led the office since 2020. As a real estate and land use attorney, Katriina has spent more than two decades advocating for a broad range of clients before the City of Chicago and suburban plan commissions, zoning and economic development committees, zoning boards of appeals and village boards.



## NON-PROFIT

### Society of Actuaries, Schaumburg

The Society of Actuaries has hired **Rose Fealy** as its new Chief Administrative and Financial Officer. Fealy will lead the SOA's new Administration and Finance Division. Four key areas of operations will report to her: Finance and Facilities, ITS, Human Resources, and Customer Service. From 2015 to 2021, Fealy served as Vice President of Finance and Administration and CFO for the Museum of Science and Industry in Chicago. She also served as a Principal for the Civic Consulting Alliance of Chicago.



## REAL ESTATE

### Entre Commercial Realty LLC, Chicago

**Brian Bocci**, **SIOR**, has been promoted to Principal of the firm. Brian joined Entre in 2009 and has been a consistent top producer, specializing in industrial brokerage while leading Entre's north suburban and southeast Wisconsin brokerage activities. Brian is a licensed real estate broker in both Illinois and Wisconsin. **Elisabeth Lazzara** has joined Entre as an associate broker for the team of Mike DeSerto and Cory Kay where her focus is on sales and leasing of industrial properties in the DuPage and Kane County submarkets. Prior to Entre, Elisabeth served as an Asset Manager and Property Manager for Karael Management Inc. She holds a double major in PR + Advertising and Industrial Organizational Psychology from DePaul University.



Bocci



Lazzara

## REAL ESTATE

### Urban Innovations, Chicago

**Jeremy Zednick** has been promoted to President & CFO. He has served as CFO of the Chicago-based real estate company since joining in 2017. Prior to joining UI, Zednick spent 20 years in financial leadership roles at commercial real estate firms and is a Certified Public Accountant. Urban Innovations pioneered the creation of Chicago's River North and their current portfolio of owned and managed properties totals more than 1 million square feet of space in Chicago and Milwaukee.

