

John Bird, CPA



Director Term ending March 31, 2021

Regional Tax Leader and Managing Partner RSM US LLP

CPA Certified 1994

ICPAS Membership 1994

ICPAS Volunteer Service

Strategic Planning Committee, 2018-2020 Taxation-State and Local Tax Committee, 2006-2013, Chairperson 2006-2009 Taxation Executive Committee, 2008-2010

Education

DePaul University- Master's in science in Taxation- 1996 DePaul University- Bachelor's in science in Commerce- 1993

Professional and Community Service

American Institute of Certified Public Accountants
Taxpayers' Federation of Illinois
Chicago Tax Club
Institute for Professionals in Taxation
Adjunct Professor at DePaul University and has taught the State and Local Tax course in DePaul's Master of Science in Taxation Program

Areas of Expertise

State and Local Tax; Manufacturing; Wholesale; Distribution; Real Estate; Service Industries



Brian Blaha, CPA



Director Term ending March 31, 2020

Growth Partner Wipfli LLP

CPA Certified 1999

ICPAS Membership

ICPAS Volunteer Service

Strategic Planning Committee, 2016-2020, Chairperson 2017-2020 Financial Institutions Conference Task Force, Chairperson, 2015-2017 Financial Institutions Conference Task Force, 2014-2017

Education

St. Norbert College, BBA Accounting, 1996

Professional and Community Service

St. Michael School Board, Wheaton, President, September 2013 – May 2015

St. Michael School Board, Wheaton, September 2012 – May 2015

St. Michael Finance Council, June 2015 – Present

Wipfli Board, Vice Chair, 2015 – 2016

Wipfli Board, June 2013 – May 2016

Nonprofit – President/5 years – Exceptional Equestrians, 2005 - 2010

Areas of Expertise

Growth and strategic direction; Innovation and Digital Transformation; Audit and Accounting



Rosaria Cammarata, CPA



Immediate Past Chairperson Term ending March 31, 2020

Vice President & Controller Mattersight Corporation

CPA Certified 1994

ICPAS Membership
Society member since 1994

ICPAS Volunteer Service

Board of Directors, Chairperson 2018-2019
Board of Directors, Vice Chairperson 2017-2018
Board of Directors, Secretary 2016-2017
Board of Directors, 2013-2016
Accounting Principles Committee, 2011-2018
AICPA Council Member, 2015-2016 and 2017-2018
Committee Structure & Volunteerism Task Force, 2013-2018
Executive Committee, 2016-2020
Finance Committee, 2013-2016
Lifetime Achievement Award Task Force, 2018-2020
Strategic Planning Committee, 2014-2017

Education

University of Chicago, MBA (with honors), Finance & Economics, 2008 Loyola University Chicago, BBA, Accounting, 1993

Professional and Community Service

AICPA, SEC Regulations Committee (Past Member)
ISDA, Accounting Committee - 2012-2013
Executive Club of Chicago, Mentorship Committee - 2012-2013
Membership/Host Committee - 2012 - 2013
Financial Executives International
SEC Professionals Group

Areas of Expertise

Financial Reporting; Technical Accounting Research; Global Accounting Operations; Mentorship; Training and Team Development



Jennifer L. Cavanaugh, CPA



Director Term ending March 31, 2020

PartnerGrant Thornton

CPA Certified 1992

ICPAS Membership Society member since 1992

ICPAS Volunteer Service
Audit Committee, 2019-2020
Women's Executive Committee, 2004-2012

Education

BS, Business Administration, Indiana University – Bloomington

Professional and Community Service

Chicago Finance Exchange
Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation Public Accounting
Registration and Licensing Committee
Board of Governors/Treasurer for Gilda's Club Chicago
Member of the Dean's Council at the Kelley School of Business (Indiana University).

Areas of Expertise

Audit; Advisory; Distribution; Manufacturing



Jon S. Davis, CPA (AZ Retired)



Director Term ending March 31, 2020

R.C. Evans Endowed Chair in Business, Accountancy Department Head

University of Illinois at Urbana, Champaign, IL

CPA Certified 1983 (Arizona)

ICPAS Membership Society member since 2014

ICPAS Volunteer Service Strategic Planning, 2015-2020

Education

University of Arizona, BS, 1979 MAcc, 1980 & PhD 1987

Professional and Community Service

Accounting Accreditation, AACSB - 2010-2014 (Chairperson)
Illinois Center for Professional Responsibility in Business - 2012-Present (Board Member)
American Taxation Association - 2011-2012 (Vice-President)
Pathways Commission - 2012-2014 (Commissioner)

Areas of Expertise

Federal Income Tax; Higher Education; Analysis; Research and Strategy



Stephen R. Ferrara, CPA



Director Term ending March 31, 2022

Partner, Chief Operating Officer BDO USA, LLP

CPA Certified 1982

ICPAS Membership Society member since 1982

ICPAS Volunteer Service

Business Counseling & Educ, 1985-1986

Mergers & Acquisitions MFG, 1997-2000

Worked with Todd Shapiro in Launching the OMP group of the firms in Chicago that are not Big 4 firms

Strategic Planning Committee, 2017-2020

Education

Northern Illinois University, B.S., Accounting, 1981

Professional and Community Service

Board of Directors, BDO USA, LLP (Past Member)

Chicagoland Chamber of Commerce - Present (Treasurer & Executive Committee Member)

Board of Trustees, Notebaert Nature Museum (Immediate Past Chairman) Chicago Chapter Board of Directors, World Presidents' Organization - Present

Areas of Expertise

Client Service; Managing a Practice; Growing a Practice; Community Involvement



Mary K. Fuller, CPA



Director Term ending March 31, 2022

Managing Partner
Shepard Schwartz & Harris

CPA Certified 1984

ICPAS Membership 1991

ICPAS Volunteer Service
Strategic Planning Committee 2019-2020
Taxation on Real Estate Conference Task Force, 2013-2014

Education

University of Illinois at Chicago, B.S., Business Administration

Professional and Community Service

Immediate Past President ,Commercial Real Estate Executive Women of Chicago (CREW) International Council of Shopping Centers

National Association of Real Estate Companies (Peer Span)

American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

Goldie B. Wolfe Miller Women Leaders in Real Estate Initiative Mentor at Roosevelt University

Joseph and Joyce Freed Tomorrow's Leaders in Real Estate Initiative Mentor at Roosevelt University

Changing Worlds – Resource Development Committee Girl Scouts–Prairie Winds, Inc. – Finance Committee and Board of Directors

Areas of Expertise

Audit; Tax; Real Estate; Business; Mentoring



Jennifer L. Goettler, CPA, CFE



Director Term ending March 31, 2022

Shareholder Heinold Banwart, Ltd

CPA Certified 2006

ICPAS Membership

ICPAS Volunteer Service

Audit Committee, 2019-2020 Peer Review Report Acceptance Committee, 2016-2019 Women's Executive Committee, 2014-2018 Women's Committee, 2018-2019

Education

Loras College, B.A., Accounting Bradley University, Masters in Accounting

Professional and Community Service

Finance Committee, Endowment Fund Committee, and Child Care Board at Church Treasuer and Vice Presidnet of two other nonprofit boards

Areas of Expertise

Construction; Non-Profit; Compliance Issues; Professional Standards; Tax; Attestation; Employee Benefits; Peer Review; Accounting; Technology



Geoffrey J. Harlow, CPA



Chairperson Term ending March 31, 2020

Partner Wipfli LLP

Certified CPA 1980

ICPAS Membership Society member since 1980

ICPAS Volunteer Service

AICPA Council Member, 2018-2020
Board of Director, Vice Chairperson 2018-2019
Board of Director, Secretary 2017-2018
Board of Director, 2002-2004
Executive Committee, 2017-2020
Finance Committee, 2017-2019
Illinois CPAs for Political Action Committee, 2016-2020
Regulation & Legislation Committee, 2014-2015
Strategic Planning Committee, 1998- 2002
Tax Advisory Group, 2005-2020, Chairperson 2014-2017
Tax on Professional Services Task Force, 2015-2016
Taxation Committee Structure Task Force, 2004-2005, Chairperson
Taxation Executive Committee, 1991-1997, 2003-2004 and 2014-2016

Education

University of Michigan, BBA - Accounting

DePaul – MSTax

Northwestern University, MBA – Finance & Strategic Planning

Professional and Community Service

Housing Options
Peaceable Cities

Areas of Expertise

Taxation; HR Issues – diversity, training, continuing education and recruiting



Jonathan W. Hauser, CPA



Director Term ending March 31, 2021

Partner KPMG LLP

CPA Certified 2007

ICPAS Membership Society member since 2005

ICPAS Volunteer Service

Finance Committee, 2015-2020 Strategic Planning Committee, 2015-2017 Young Leaders Advisory Council, 2012-2015, Co-Chair 2013-2015 Young Professionals Group, 2004-2018, Co-Chair 2004-2009

Education

Eastern Illinois University, BS, 2003 University of Florida, MS, 2004

Professional and Community Service

KPMG Families for Literacy Committee Board Member, Ray of Hope on Earth

Areas of Expertise

Corporate Tax; Accounting for Income Taxes



Scott Hurwitz, CPA



Director Term ending March 31, 2021

Managing Partner
Deloitte LLP

CPA Certified 1986

ICPAS Membership Society member since 1991

ICPAS Volunteer Service Audit Committee, 2018-2020

Education

University of Iowa, Bachelor of Business Administration, Accounting - 1986

Professional and Community Service

Member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants Youth Job Center- Director Millennium Park Foundation- Director Beth Emet Foundation- Director Jewish Federation of Chicago-Audit Committee Director

Areas of Expertise

Public Accounting; Audit; Not-For-Profit Boards



Joshua D. Lance, CPA, CGMA



Director Term ending March 31, 2022

Managing Director Lance CPA Group

CPA Certified 2008

ICPAS Membership 2008

ICPAS Volunteer Service

Accounting Principles Committee, 2012-2018 Awards Committee, 2017-2019 Strategic Planning Committee, 2019-2020 Young Professionals Group, 2008-2019

Education

Miami University, B.S., Business Administration: Accountancy and Finance, 2005

Professional and Community Service

Board of Directors, Xero Partner Advisory Council Treasurer, Socially Beneficial Investments LLC Finance Committee at Peace of Christ Community Church

Areas of Expertise

Technology; Small CPA Firms; Advising; Audit; Tax



Dorri McWhorter, MBA, CPA, CGMA, CITP



Vice Chairperson
Term ending March 31, 2020

Chief Executive Officer YWCA Metropolitan Chicago

Certified CPA 2002

ICPAS Membership Society member since 2008

ICPAS Volunteer Service

AICPA Council Member, 2012-2013, 2015-2016 and 2019-2022
Audit Committee, 2017-2018
Board of Director, Secretary 2018-2019
Board of Director, 2017-2018
Executive Committee, 2018-2020
Diversity Advisory Council, 2015-2020
Strategic Planning Committee, 2017-2020

ICPAS Awards

Women to Watch 2015
Outstanding Leader in Advancing Diversity - 2010

Education

Northwestern University, MBA – General Management - 2009 University of Wisconsin, Madison, BBA – Accounting - 1995

Professional and Community Service

YWCA – Board Chicago Child Care Society, Board President – 2012 - 2015

Areas of Expertise

Strategy and operations; Diversity; Mentoring



Thomas B. Murtagh, CPA, JD



Secretary
Term ending March 31, 2020

Partner BKD, LLP

CPA Certified 1994

ICPAS Membership Society member since 2002

ICPAS Volunteer Service

AICPA Council Member, 2019-2022
Board of Director, 2014-2018
Executive Committee, 2019-2020
Finance Committee, 2014-2020
Taxation Business Committee, 2011-2014
Taxation Executive Committee, 2012-2014
Taxation International Committee, 2014-2017, Chairperson 2012-2014

Education

Loyola University of Chicago, B.B.A., 1993 University of IL Urbana-Champaign, JD/MBA, 1998 Chicago-Kent, LLM, 2007

Professional and Community Service

LadderUP

Loyola University, Academic Advisory Board for the Accounting Department Loyola's School of Law, Advisory Committee for the Center of Business and Corporate Governance Law Treasurer, Redeemer Lutheran Church Our Saviour's Lutheran Church in Arlington Heights

Illinois Food Bank
Feed My Starving Children

Areas of Expertise

Corporate (C &S); Partnership and Individual Taxation; International Reporting and Planning; Accounting for Income Taxes; Entity Structure and Reorganization; Income Tax Matters

Elizabeth Pittelkow Kittner, CPA, CITP, CGMA, DTM





Treasurer
Term ending March 31, 2020

Controller Litera Microsystems

CPA Certified 2006

ICPAS Membership Society member since 2005

ICPAS Volunteer Service

AICPA Council Member, 2018-2021
Board of Director, 2015-2019
Ethics Committee, 2010-2020
Executive Committee, 2019-2020
Strategic Planning Committee, 2015-2018
Young Professionals Group, 2016-2018
Young Professionals Task Force, 2013-2014

Education

University of Illinois, Champaign / Urbana, B.S., Accounting, 2004 University of Illinois, Champaign / Urbana, B.S. Finance, 2004

Professional and Community Service

Toastmasters:

Member since March 2006, Audit Committee Chairman for District 30 Chicago toastmasters for 2014-2015, President of ArrowStream Toastmasters 2010 to Current AICPA Leadership Academy - 2013 (Alumni Representative) AICPA Council - 2014-2017 (Member-At-Large) AICPA Business and Industry Executive Committee - 2014-2017

Areas of Expertise

IFRS clients; SEC Accelerated Filers and Not-For-Profits; Compliance; Financial Statements; Month-End Close; Controls; Contracts; Shareholder Relations; Insurance; Communication; Active CPE Instructor; Communication; Ethics; Fraud Prevention



Deborah K. Rood, CPA, MST



Director Term ending March 31, 2021

Risk Control Consulting Director
CAN Insurance

CPA Certified 1992

ICPAS Membership Society member since 1992

ICPAS Volunteer Service

CPA Exam Award Committee, 2015-2019
Endowment Board of Directors, 2013-2019, President 2017-2019
Finance Committee, 2019-2020
Tax Advisory Group, 2006-2012 and 2018-2019
Tax Executive Committee, 2002-2012 and 2018-2019, Chairperson 2002-2008
Taxation Practice & Procedures Committee, 2013-2020, Chairperson 2018-2019
Taxation State & Local Committee, 1996-1998 and 2005-2014

Education

Northern Illinois University, B.S., Accountancy, 1992 DePaul University, School of Accountancy & MIs, Masters in Taxation, 1999

Professional and Community Service

American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA) State and Local Tax Technical Resource Panel, AICPA

Areas of Expertise

Accounting; Tax; State & Local Tax; Risk Mitigation in Malpractice Claims; Tax Practice & Procedure; CPA Exam Award



Seun Salami, CPA



Director Term ending March 31, 2021

SVP & ControllerTeachers Insurance and Annuity Association of America

Certified CPA 2006

ICPAS Membership Society member since 2005

ICPAS Volunteer Service
Finance Committee, 2018-2020
Diversity Advisory Council, 2015-2020, Chairperson 2016-2018

Education

Columbia Business School, Leadership Development Program -- 2012 Ohio University, M.A. Financial Economics -- 2004 Obafemi Awolowo University, BSC Management & Accountancy-- 2000

Professional and Community Service

Junior Achievement – Volunteer 4th Grade Roosevelt University–Former Advisory Board Member AICPA Accounting & Auditing Guide – Property & Liability Insurance Companies– Referenced Contributor

Areas of Expertise

Corporate; Finance; Accounting; Public Accounting; Auditing; Leadership; Diversity and Inclusion; Strategy; Performance measurement



Stella Marie Santos, CPA



Director Term ending March 31, 2020

Managing Director Adelfia LLC

Certified CPA 2003

ICPAS Membership Society member since 1994

ICPAS Volunteer Service Audit Committee, 2017-2020 Diversity, 1996-1997

Governmental Executive Committee, 2003-2004

Lester H. McKeever Jr., Advancing Diversity Awards Task Force, 2007-2014

Peer Review Report Acceptance Committee, 2009-2020

Taxation Individual Committee, 1997-1998

Women's Executive Committee, 2005-2007

Education

University of the Philippines, BS in Business Administration & Accountancy

Professional and Community Service

PCPAs of Greater Chicago, President - 2016 International Society of Filipinos in Finance & Accounting National Council of Philippine American Canadian Accountants, Executive Council University of the Philippines Alumni Association of Greater Chicago, Finance Committee, Board of Directors

Areas of Expertise

Accounting; Tax; Audit



Andrea K. Urban, CPA



Director Term ending March 31, 2022

Tax Director
ThoughtWorks Inc.

CPA Certified 2007

ICPAS Membership Society member since 2006

ICPAS Volunteer Service

Corporate Finance Advisory Council, 2017-2020
Strategic Planning Committee, 2017-2020
Taxation Business Committee, 2015-2016, Chairperson 2012-2014
Taxation Executive Committee, 2012-2014
Taxation Flow-Through Entities Committee, 2008-2011

Education

Michigan State University, B.S., Accounting, 2004 Michigan State University, M.S., Accounting - Tax Focus, 2005

Professional and Community Service

University of Illinois at Chicago, Summer 2012 and 2013 (Adjunct Lecturer)

Areas of Expertise

US & International Taxation; Transfer Pricing; US GAAP Tax Provisions