

CAREER MOVES

PROMOTIONS AND HIRES

Security consulting firm, Risk Management Associates hired **Richard "Rick" W. Grayson** as a consultant and investigator.

LeChase Construction Services in Durham promoted **William L. Mack** to president. Mack will take on an increased role in LeChase's organizational structure, long- and short-term strategic implementation, as well as driving overall company performance and operational objectives.

MSA Marketing in Raleigh named **Andrew Lada** as associate media director. Commercial real estate firm CBRE|Raleigh announced that **Jim Duguid** joined its team as a project manager.

John J. Keane was hired as senior vice president/credit officer at M&F Bank in Durham. Keane will lead efforts to build loan relationships within the professional and small business communities.



Keane

Jane Phillips has been named tax manager at Bernard Robinson & Co., an accounting and advisory firm in Raleigh.

Nanette Davis has been named **Monarch's** new vice president of human resources. Monarch provides statewide



Davis

support to people with intellectual and developmental disabilities, mental illness and + substance abuse challenges.

Professional Builders Supply hired **Katherine Johnson** as a credit manager for its Morrisville location.

Transitions LifeCare (founded as Hospice of Wake County) has hired



Brackett

Kristy Koontz Brackett as vice president of development and **Steve Young** as associate medical director.



Young

Taylor A. Morison of Holly Springs, after serving

as policy analyst for the Georgia State Senate, has accepted a position as policy advisor to the Governor's office of Georgia.

The Special Event Co. hired program coordinator, **Makeda Pride**, to its Cary-based planning team. Pride will assist all program managers with the planning and execution of events.

ON THE BOARDS

Argos Therapeutics, an immunooncology company in Durham, formed the company's first Scientific Advisory Board. The board

includes: **Charles Drake** of the Johns Hopkins Sidney Kimmel Cancer Center; **Robert Figlin** of the CedarsSinai Samuel Oschin Comprehensive Cancer Institute; **Bernard Fox** of the Earle A. Chiles Research Institute, Providence Portland Medical Center; **Gerald Linette** of the Washington University School of Medicine; **Thomas Schwaab** of the Roswell Park Cancer Institute; and **Robert Seder** of the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, National Institutes of Health.

Fairfield Harbour, a residential boating and golf community located near historic New Bern, announced that **Ann Simpson** has been named president of the Fairfield Harbour Property Owners Association board of directors. In addition, community members **William Beery** and **Wayne Strasbaugh** have been re-elected to the board.

Smith Anderson partner **Kirk Warner** has been elected to serve on the board of directors of the North Carolina Association of Defense Attorneys. Warner will serve a three-year term.

Leadership North Carolina has added new members to its 2015/2016 board of directors. They are: **Paul Boney** of LS3P Associates; **Charlene Foley** of Blue Cross Blue Shield of North Carolina; **Curt Ladig** of Delta Dental of North Carolina; **Natalie Perkins** of Clean Design; **Terri Helmlinger Ratcliff** of North Carolina State



University; **Armistead Sapp** of SAS Institute; and **Kristy Teskey** of John M. Belk Endowment.
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