

Moves and Appointments

by Andy Sheets

Tax Notes' Moves and Appointments is a regular column providing the latest on personnel changes within the tax community.

Private Practice

Jennifer Benda, in Denver, will be promoted to partner at Holland & Hart LLP, effective January 1, 2024. She is currently a tax attorney who focuses on tax controversy and litigation. Before joining the firm in 2022, she was a shareholder at Hall Estill. She earned her JD from George Washington University School of Law and her MS in accounting (tax) from Texas A&M University.

Peter Farrell has joined Brown Rudnick LLP as a tax partner in Washington. He focuses on federal income tax issues, such as tax planning and structuring of cross-border financing, mergers and acquisitions, and joint ventures. Previously, he was special counsel at Baker Botts LLP. He earned his JD from William & Mary Law School and his LLM in taxation from Georgetown University Law Center.

Michael J. Burwick has joined Becker & Poliakoff as a shareholder in New York. He focuses on tax deferral, mitigation, and minimization. Previously, he was a partner at Armstrong Teasdale LLP. He earned his JD and LL.Ms in tax and securities law and financial taxation from Georgetown University Law Center.

Rees Broome PC, in Tysons Corner, Virginia, announced the following promotions, effective January 1:

- **Tiffany L. Burton** will be an equity shareholder. She focuses on tax, business, and M&A issues. She earned her JD from Florida State University College of Law and her LLM in taxation from Georgetown University Law Center.
- **John P. Morgan** will be a shareholder. He assists closely held businesses, individuals, and families on taxes, estate planning and administration, and succession planning. Previously, he was an attorney at Ritzert & Leyton PC. He earned his JD from the Catholic University of America, Columbus School of Law, and his LLM in taxation from Georgetown University Law Center.

Academia

Monte A. Jackel will become graduate tax program scholar in residence at the University of Baltimore School of Law, effective in January 2024. He is currently a federal tax consultant at his firm, Jackel Tax Law, in Silver Spring, Maryland. He previously served as an attorney-adviser with the Treasury Office of Tax Policy and as an associate chief counsel and special counsel with the IRS Office of Chief Counsel. He earned his JD from Hofstra University's Maurice A. Deane School of Law and his LLM in taxation from New York University School of Law. ■

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