

Member News – February / March, 2016

Hughes Blake, Dublin, Ireland

On February 13 an article written by Kieran McCarthy on *Family Business Planning* was published in The Irish Examiner newspaper.

Caliber Advisors Inc, San Diego, USA

On February 17, Akila Narayanan, CFA spoke (via a live webcast) on *Valuation of Your Intangible Assets: Practical Tools and Applications*. Complimentary registration was offered to Integra members in the USA.

Wagemann + Partner, Berlin Germany

Matthias Piaszinski advised that the firm was recently ranked among the top 10 firms in Germany. On March 3, the entire [article](#) was reported in the News section of our website. Congratulations to the firm.

Glass Jacobson, Baltimore & Washington, USA

The firm is proud to announce a new name – Glass Jacobson Financial Group, a new logo and a new [website](#).

Levi & Levi, Montreal, Canada

Congratulations to Jeremy Levi for graduating from the 3-year CPA CANADA IN-DEPTH TAX COURSE. This course is Canada's preeminent tax education program and augments Jeremy's extensive tax knowledge which he draws upon regularly as he consults and advises clients on Canadian and International tax issues.

Jeremy is now continuing his tax endeavors through membership and training at THE SOCIETY OF TRUST AND ESTATE PRACTITIONERS — the leading international organization for trust and estate professionals.

Global CPA (HK) Limited, Hong Kong and Shanghai, China

Aries Mak advises that the firm has combined their Shanghai and Guangzhou offices into one branch in Shanghai.

Swenson Advisors, San Diego, USA

Steve Austin announced that the next CFO Study Group will meet April 26 in San Diego to discuss the topic *How Do I Prepare for the New Lease Accounting Standard?* Note: There will be a session at the May conference in Vancouver on Lease Accounting.

Wilder Coe, London, UK

The firm is pleased to announce that Pauline Hudd has joined the London office of Wilder Coe. Pauline Hudd is an experienced stamp taxes specialist who comes to Wilder Coe after working with KPMG for 14 years.

With stamp taxes in UK payable on any transfer of UK shares and all transactions in UK land, and with the rules becoming increasingly complex, there is renewed focus on this area of tax. In addition the Annual Tax on Enveloped Dwellings (ATED) means that many overseas companies face an annual charge on their UK residential property holdings.

Pauline has extensive experience in all types of transactions gained through her years in practice and previously in her role as Assistant Controller at HMRC Stamp Office. She advises on property purchases and disposals, mergers and acquisitions, international company reorganizations, as well as re-financing projects and unwinding offshore holding structures to extract property. She can help guide clients through the complexities of the legislation, ensure they take advantage of available reliefs and meet their compliance obligations.

For further information on these services please contact Pauline on 020 616 8820

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JIB Group, Moscow, Russian Federation

Pleased be advised that as a result of a merger, JIB Group has ceased operations and therefore withdrawn from Integra International.