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Anniversaries, Awards and Appointments



MEMBERS ON THE MOVE

Ralph E. Allen, of the Orange County Chapter, is now Chief Operating Officer at Allen Matkins Leck Gamble Mallory & Natsis LLP, in Irvine, California.

Cynthia Conover, of the Capital Chapter, is now Office Administrator at Shearman & Sterling, LLP, in Washington, DC.

Dawn L. Gray, of the Alaska Chapter, is now Legal Administrator at Landye Bennett Blumstein LLP, in Anchorage, Alaska.

Susan C. Hume, an independent member from Region 4, is now HR Director at Roberts Markel Weinberg Butler Hailey PC, in Houston, Texas.

Patrick Johansen, CLM, of the Greater Chicago Chapter, is now National Practice Manager at Seyfarth Shaw LLP, in Chicago, Illinois.

Patricia Kucharski, CLM, of the Tucson-Old Pueblo Chapter, is now Director of Administration at Farhang & Medcoff, PLLC, in Tucson, Arizona.

Risa A. Robitaille of the Orange County Chapter, is now Administrator at Stuart Kane LLP, in Newport Beach, California.

Peggy Smith, CLM, of the Florida Capital Chapter, is now Accounting Manager at Ausley & McMullen, in Tallahassee, Florida.

THE CALL TO LEADERSHIP

It's an exciting time to be a member — and leader — in ALA. Have you thought about answering the call to leadership? Consider nominating a fellow member or even yourself this year. Position descriptions and a nomination form are available <u>here</u>.

Deadline: July 31



MINNESOTA MEMBER HONORED WITH DIVERSITY AWARD

ALA would like to recognize **Shari Tivy**, Director of Human Resources for Bowman and Brooke LLP, has been honored with the Hennepin County Bar Association's Diversity Award. Shari is a member of the Minnesota Chapter.

Congrats, Shari!

CHAPTER ANNIVERSARIES

This month marks three milestone anniversaries! Congratulations to the following chapters:

Edmonton Chapter – 30th anniversary Northern Virginia Chapter – 35th anniversary South Carolina Chapter – 35th anniversary

Congrats, all! We are proud of the support you provide to your members every day.

IN MEMORY OF...

Traycie Dalton Gee, who passed away in April. She was a member of the Utah Chapter and worked for Kirton McConkie.

Robert Harris, who passed away in May. He was a former member of the Raleigh/Durham Chapter and a past winner of the ALA National Award for Excellence.

John Sullivan, who passed away in May. Sullivan was ALA Past-President (1983-1984) and an independent member in Region 6.

ALA sends our deepest condolences to their friends and family.