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People in business

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Ron White has joined Vanover and Associates to develop and execute the company's production safety systems training program.



White

White is the former president of InfoSafe Inc. and has over 36 years experience in workplace regulation, engineering, design, compliance and safety management. He has previously developed three MMS-accredited PSST programs.

White will enhance the broad range of services offered by Vanover including developing and teaching over 40 different health, safety and environmental training programs. He is also responsible for developing, implementing and managing HSE Management plans, policies and procedures; performing personnel knowledge, skills and abilities assessments; and conducting audits to verify compliance with federal, state and local regulatory guidelines.

Cox Louisiana has promoted **Margret Huval** to director of fleet operations for the Southeast region. In this role, Huval will be responsible for regionalizing all Cox fleet functions in Louisiana, Florida and Georgia. She will direct a team that manages over 1,500 vehicles.



Huval

Huval has more than 15 years experience managing corporate fleet operations. She joined Cox in 2009 as fleet supervisor, directing fleet operations in Baton Rouge, Lafayette and New Orleans. Prior

to Cox, she was fleet manager for PoolCorp.

Huval is a member of NAFA Fleet Management Association and the South Louisiana Fleet Task Force. She was named one of the Top 25 Women in Fleet Management by NAFA and was a Fleet Manager of the Year nominee.

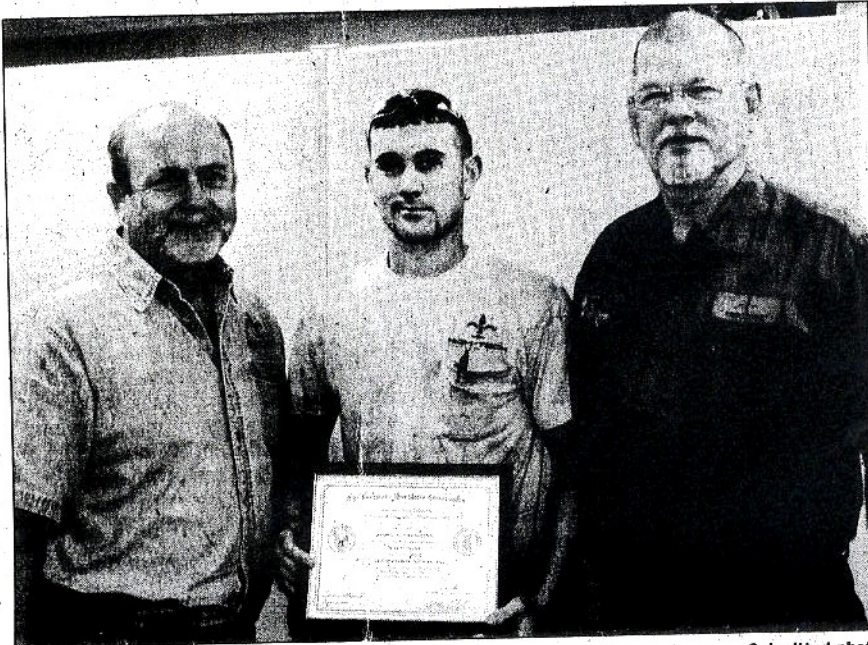
Stuller Inc. has named **Carol Skarlat** as its new chief technology officer. Skarlat previously was the chief information officer for Motorola's Global Telecom Business Unit.

Skarlat was with Motorola for 15 years. In addition, she is a graduate gemologist and a member of the Women's Jewelry Association.

In her new role, Skarlat will be responsible for leading Stuller's strategic and operational IT planning, fostering innovation, prioritizing IT initiatives and coordinating the deployment and management of IT systems. She also will provide strategic vision regarding future information technology development.

In addition, two immediate changes were made to streamline and increase the prime manufacturer's product development and merchandising processes. Harold Dupuy, former executive vice president of marketing and merchandising, was named chief merchandising officer. In this role, he will be responsible for managing all merchandising programs for Stuller's seven business units and the newly-added customized jewelry division.

Also, Stuller's 30-member marketing division was realigned with the sales division under former executive vice president of sales Bob Cox, who becomes chief sales and marketing officer.



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John Stebbins of High Tech Components has earned his Journeyman Certificate for CNC Machinist through an apprentice program. This certification is through a partnership with the Louisiana Workforce Commission, Apprenticeship Division, and High Tech Components. To receive the certification, one must meet certain job training requirements and go through classroom training in all areas of manufacturing. Pictured from left are General Manager Joseph LeFouge, Stebbins and Training Coordinator Dennis Hetherington.

Wes Castille of Lafayette has been named to the Louisiana State Board of Embalming and Funeral Directors by Gov. Bobby Jindal.

The board regulates embalmers, funeral homes and funeral directors; handles consumer complaints; and establishes requirements for funeral homes and those engaged in the care and disposition of the deceased.

Castille is the president of Martin & Castille Funeral Home in Lafayette. He will serve as a licensed funeral director representing District C, as required by statute.

James Charles McFaul of Lafayette has been named to the Region IV Human Services District Board by Gov. Bobby Jindal.

The board operates

and manages community-based programs and services relative to public health, mental health, developmental disabilities and substance abuse in Acadia, Evangeline, Iberia, Lafayette, St. Landry, St. Martin and Vermilion parishes.

McFaul was the manager of the Region IV Office of Mental Health until he retired in 2007. As manager, he was responsible for providing care to more than 4,000 patients. He will serve as an at-large member, as required by statute.

Herbert Schilling of Lafayette has been named to the Small Business Entrepreneurship Commission by Gov. Bobby Jindal.

The commission works to assess, evaluate and review various state programs dealing with small

business and entrepreneurship.

Schilling is the owner of Schilling Beer Distributors in Lafayette. He will serve as a representative of small business owners from the Seventh Congressional District, as required by statute.

Scott Smith of Lafayette has been named to the Louisiana Licensed Professional Vocational Rehabilitation Counselors Board of Examiners by Gov. Bobby Jindal.

The board examines all applicants for licensure and recommend to the board each successful applicant for licensure, attesting to their professional qualifications to be licensed professional vocational rehabilitation counselors.

Smith is a vocational rehabilitation counselor

with Rehabilitation and Vocational Consultants. He will serve as a licensed professional vocational rehabilitation counselor, as required by statute.

Allen Bacque of Lafayette has been appointed to the State Board of Architectural Examiners by Gov. Bobby Jindal.

The board holds examinations and grants certificates that entitle the holder to practice as an architect in Louisiana.

Bacque is an architect with MBSB Group Architecture and Interiors. He will serve as a representative from Architectural Examiner District 4.

Two new sales associates have joined the team of ERA Stirling Properties in Lafayette.



Ortego

Jane B. Ortego and **Kay Rockweiler** previously worked at RE/MAX Acadiana.

Rockweiler has six months of real estate sales experience.

Ortego has 35 years of experience and holds Certified Residential Specialist, Graduate Realtor Institute and Council of Real Estate Brokerage designations.

She is a member of the National Association of Realtors, the Louisiana Realtors Association, the Realtor Association of Acadiana and the Realtor National Marketing Institute. Her specialties include first-time homebuyers, new construction and relocation.



Rockweiler