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ADVERTISING

ZEHNDER COMMUNICATIONS: Lindsey Meaux has been hired as public relations associate.

ASSOCIATIONS

GREATER NEW ORLEANS HOTEL & LODGING ASSOCIATION: Martin L. Driskell, general manager of InterContinental New Orleans, was elected president. Vice president is Tod Chambers, Roosevelt Hotel New Orleans; secretary is [tab] Gil Zanchi, New Orleans Marriott; treasurer, Joe Blanchek, New Orleans Marriott Convention Center; and immediate past president and chairman of the board, Amy Reimer, International House. The 2011 elected board of directors includes Peter Ambros, Astor Crowne Plaza; David Bilbe, Loews New Orleans Hotel; Steve Caputo, Bienville House; Brett Chittenden, Days Inn New Orleans Airport; Russell Miller, The Ritz-Carlton Hotel; Bruce Perone, New Orleans Fine Hotels; John Romano, Hilton St. Charles; David Teich, Windsor Court Hotel; Angela Thompson, W New Orleans Hotel; Kathleen Young, Chateau LeMoyne French Quarter; Frank Zumbo, Renaissance Pere Marquette.

SOUTHEAST LOUISIANA CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN PAYROLL ASSOCIATION: Donna Pierre Rochon has been elected president; Catherine Chan, vice president; Lakisha Harris, secretary; Charles Borne, treasurer; Don Carroum, government liaison; Lauren Bunney, membership coordinator; and Connie Nockton and Ginny Hughes, public relations coordinators.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN BUSINESS OWNERS: Jessica Rareshide of Rare Insight has been installed as president of the New Orleans chapter, Gina Ruttley of Ericksen, Krentel & LaPorte as past president and treasurer, and Cynthia Fromherz of Research Edge as secretary.

ASSOCIATION FOR WOMEN ATTORNEYS, NEW ORLEANS: Anne Neeb was elected president, Lacrechia Cade vice president, Machel Hall treasurer, Kelly Barbier corresponding secretary and Sharonda Williams recording secretary. Appointed to the board were Lindsay Spann, Jeannine Roques, Katie Lasky, April Watson and Susie Morgan.

OFFSHORE MARINE SERVICE ASSOCIATION: Todd Hornbeck, CEO of Hornbeck Offshore Operators, will become chairman of the board; Robert Clemons, vice president and general manager of the Americas Division of SEACOR Marine, will advance to vice chairman; and Ben Bordelon, executive vice president of Repair Bollinger Shipyards, will serve as secretary and treasurer. Jim Adams was named president and CEO.

BANKING

Hibernia Homestead Bank: Charles Labouisse, Clare Landreneau and Nanette Moreno have been promoted to assistant vice presidents.

BOARDS

Locke Lord Bissell & Liddell: Victoria de Lisle, a partner in the New Orleans office, has been appointed to the board of directors.

CRIMESTOPPERS OF GREATER NEW ORLEANS: Glenn W. Hayes has been elected chairman, Gregory G. Hoffman is

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chairman-elect, Pam Schafer is secretary, Melvin M. Pechon is treasurer and Janice Thomas Foulks is vice chairwoman.

CONSTRUCTION

Barriere Construction: Douglas G. Olson has been named manager of the company's new Alternative Project Delivery Team and Rene Duplantis as manager of the Concrete Paving Division.

DEATH CARE

STEWART ENTERPRISES: Glenn G. McMillen has joined the corporate development team.

ENGINEERING

Waldemar S. Nelson and Co.: James B. Lane has been promoted to director and chief operating officer, Kenneth H. Nelson has been promoted to executive vice president and Ginger Nelson Dodge has been promoted to corporate secretary.

FOUNDATIONS

NEW ORLEANS JAZZ & HERITAGE FESTIVAL AND FOUNDATION: Nancy Marinovic has been elected president; Clifford Johnson, first vice president; Demetric Mercadel, second vice president; Donna Santiago, secretary; and Kathleen Turner, treasurer.

EJGH FOUNDATION: Wayne E. Thomas is chairman, Grady Hurley is chairman-elect, Tom L. Callicutt Jr. is treasurer, Robert Mathis is secretary, and Nancy Hudson Miller is immediate past chairman. Board members are John A. Blancher II, Larry Boudreaux III, Carlo C. Christina, Ginger Crawford, Tommy S. Cvitanovich, Dr. Charles E. Eckert, John H. Gin, William L. Goggans, Janice Kishner, Chad Landry, Julie Murphy, Dr. Paul Monsour, Christy Senner, Lawrence J. Sisung Jr., Fred Parker and Darryl Ward.

HOTEL

CHATEAU BOURBON NEW ORLEANS: Andrea Richey has been hired as director of sales.

HOLIDAY INN DOWNTOWN SUPERDOME: Ryan Ware has been hired as executive chef and Melissa Mahony as catering sales manager.

HONORS

AMERICAN TOWMAN MAGAZINE: Scott A. Mullen of Moon's Towing Service has received the Order of Towman and American Towman Commendation.

LOUISIANA RESTAURANT ASSOCIATION: Doug Villavaso of Black & Gold Bistro & Bar was named active member of the year, Robert Breaux of Conco Food Service was named associate member of the year, Dickie Brennan of Dickie Brennan & Co. is a Hall of Fame inductee, Robert Giancontieri of T.K.R. Enterprises won the Presidential Award and Billy Nungesser, Plaquemines Parish president, received the Distinguished Service Award.

THE NEW ORLEANS DENTAL ASSOCIATION: Dr. Terry F. Fugetta is the recipient of the 2010 Honor Dentist Award.

LOUISIANA ENDOWMENT FOR THE HUMANITIES: Patricia Gay, executive director of the Preservation Resource Center, will receive the Lifetime Contribution to the Humanities award.

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INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

GEOCENT: Jaclyn Szubinski is the new marketing assistant for Geocent. Nick Dobson is an experienced consultant II assigned to the company's Veterans Administration Data Integration project. Joshua Barone is an experienced consultant I who is working on Geocent's Base Level Tracking System (BLITS) Project. Michelle Russo is a principal consultant on the Chapter 33 project.

LEGAL

BERNARD , CASSISA, ELLIOTT & DAVIS: Jack Culotta has joined the firm as a partner.

Jackson Lewis: Jason Stein has been chosen for partnership in the firm's New Orleans office.

Lugenbuhl, Wheaton, Peck, Rankin & Hubbard: Dan Centner, Joseph Briggett and Kristen Gresham have been hired as associates.

MARKETING

BERNING MARKETING: Genevieve Douglass joins the company as an account executive, and Jeremy Dolan joins the company as webmaster.

THE MARKETING CENTER: Duane Pitre has been hired as digital production specialist for the Optimize Your Practice digital marketing services.

PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

STIRLING PROPERTIES: John Reynolds has been named manager of Clearview Mall.

REAL ESTATE

LATTER & BLUM: Susanne Hepburn and Ann Gutter have joined the Mandeville office and Mary Ann Swaim has joined the Old Metairie office.

RETIREMENT

EAGAN INSURANCE AGENCY: Dottie Gettys, senior vice president, is retiring after more than 45 years in the insurance industry.

SCHOOLS

Holy Cross School: Michael E. Guillot has been named assistant headmaster, director of institutional advancement.

SOCIETY

LOUISIANA SOCIETY FOR RESPIRATORY CARE: Melissa Smith, St. Tammany Parish Hospital respiratory protocol coordinator, has been elected president of Chapter Eight.

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Send items about company personnel moves and organization officer or award announcements to money@timespocayune.com. Photos should be submitted in jpg format. Announcements are limited to people who live or work full time in the New Orleans area.

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