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Haskell & White Announces Promotions in Audit and Business Advisory Services Department

Orange County accounting and auditing firm recognizes internal talent with two promotions

IRVINE, Calif. – January 20, 2015 – Haskell & White, one of Southern California’s largest independently owned accounting, auditing and tax consulting firms, has promoted two individuals in the Audit and Business Advisory Services Department in a move that will assist the firm in providing the highest level of client service. Luigi Ramirez of Santa Ana was promoted to in-charge associate, and Tracy Cuculic McLaughlin of Yorba Linda is now an audit manager.

The firm is a longtime advocate of promoting from within, which has proven a powerful tool for boosting morale, increasing employee retention, maximizing efficiency and maintaining close relationships with clients.

“We are proud to recognize Tracy and Luigi’s dedicated work for the firm and are looking forward to seeing the impressive contributions they will undoubtedly make in their new roles,” said Wayne Pinnell, managing partner of Haskell & White.

Ramirez joined the Irvine office as a staff accountant after one year at a Big Four firm and an internship with a national firm. He received a bachelor’s degree in accounting and business administration from the University of Southern California. As in-charge associate, his new responsibilities will include planning, supervising and executing audits in the manufacturing, real estate and nonprofit industries.

McLaughlin has been with Haskell & White for four years, specializing in the real estate, service and distribution industries. In her new role, she will perform quarterly reviews and year-end audits for public and private companies as well as nonprofit organizations. McLaughlin received her bachelor’s degree in sociology from University of California, Los Angeles, and a Master of Business Administration from California State University, Fullerton.

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