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Abel Personnel, a certified Women Owned Business filling positions in Pennsylvania, Maryland, Michigan and Virginia since 1969, has recently added Garrett Saxon as a new IT Admin and Social Media Specialist. Garrett brings over 15 years of experience in social media, including 4 years of professional work in the tech space, along with expertise in web development and IT support. This combination enhances Abel Personnel's digital capabilities and support. Inquiries or job specific questions can be directed through the Abel website at www.abelpersonnel.com or emailed toinfo@abelpersonnel.com. Contact for additional inquiries concerning social media strategy, web design, or IT support can be made through email to gsaxon@abelpersonnel.com.

Barley Snyder is pleased to announce the following: Honorable Stephen P. Linebaugh (Ret.) has been elected to the board of directors for the Northern Central Railway of York (NCR); Central Penn Business Journal (CPBJ) has selected partner Jeff Lobach as a 2024 Icon Honors recipient; Millersville University's College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences (AHSS) has appointed managing partner Jennifer Craighead Carey to serve as a member of its Advisory Board; Dauphin County Bar Association (DCBA) has named attorney John "J." Quain Chair-Elect of its Young Lawyers Section; partner Luke Weber has been elected Vice President of the Lancaster Bar Association's Board of Directors; attorney George C. Werner has been named General Counsel of the firm.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Capital Region (BBBSCR) welcomed over 225 students from partner school districts to their second annual Historically Black Colleges & Universities (HBCU) Fair during Black History Month. High school students from eight area high schools arrived at WITF, Central Pennsylvania's PBS and NPR member station, for the HBCU Fair. "We are deeply grateful to our school partners and to our corporate community providing a network of support for our youth, and to Sheetz for donating today's lunches," says Dunn. "And, we are especially grateful to our 2023/24 DEI Presenting Partner, The GIANT Company, for supporting the growth of our HBCU Fair and our ongoing DEI program initiatives." The GIANT Company's sponsorship supports BBBSCR's development of specialized mentoring programs and initiatives throughout 2023 & 2024 that are customized to address the needs of underserved youth.

Boyer & Ritter announces the following: CEO Robert J. Murphy and Principal Thomas J. Taricani made Pennsylvania Business Central's Top 100 People for 2024, recognizing individuals who positively impact their communities and Central Penn Business Journal has named Boyer & Ritter CEO Robert J. Murphy among the magazine's 2024 Icon Honors recipients, recognizing individuals who have left a mark in their fields.

Leading accounting and advisory firm, **Brown Plus**, is pleased to announce that the Firm has hired four new team members across Pennsylvania and Maryland: Lori Muri joined the Firm as an Outsourced Accounting Associate; Alexis Petrides joined

Brown Plus as an Audit Associate specializing in accounting and auditing services for the insurance industry; Canyon Zeigler started with Brown Plus as an intern and is now a Tax Associate; Gwen Jeffers joined Brown Plus as an Administrative Assistant with 18 years of administrative experience; Brown Plus, was recently ranked one of the largest audit firms in the United States on AM Best's list of the Top Audit and Actuarial Firms – 2023 Edition. This marks the third consecutive year that Brown Plus has received this national distinction.

Since 1984 Campbell Commercial Real Estate, Inc. has been a leader in the commercial real estate industry, prioritizing client objectives, education, and specialization to ensure success. Although small by design, their productivity is unmatched, consistently holding the area's highest per-agent transaction production. Now CCRE is announcing a significant milestone with the formation of a new entity, **Campbell Commercial Partners LLC**. This partnership combines the extensive expertise and experience of Art Campbell, Jessica Gasper and Larry Kostelac, who together have over 75 years of combined experience. The primary focus of Campbell Commercial Partners LLC is to ensure continued success for years to come, with Gasper and Kostelac stepping into leadership positions.

Campbell Commercial Partners announce the following transactions: Lane Enterprises, headquartered in the Greater Harrisburg Area has leased a new corporate headquarters. After major renovations, Lane will be moving into 21,850 +/- square feet at 275 Grandview Ave, Camp Hill. Art Campbell and Jessica Gasper of CAMPBELL Commercial represented the Lane Enterprises, Mike Curran of Landmark Commercial Realty represented the building owner, 275 Grandview Avenue LLC. Indie Realty Holdings, LLC has purchased 3130 Morningside Dr, Camp Hill for \$700,000 from Letort Group, LLC. The Morningside building will be the new home for Dustin O'Brien with Edward Jones Investments. The current office of Edward Jones will be moving from their current Wesley Drive location in February 2024. Art Campbell and Jessica Gasper represented the sellers, Letort Group, LLC. Roy Brenner of **Landmark Commercial Realty** represented the buyers.

It's the season for chocolate gifts to warm the heart and warm drinks to warm your hands. It's also the season for the Cumberland Valley Coffee and Chocolate Trail, launching on February 1, 2024. The Cumberland Valley Coffee and Chocolate Trail first launched last year from the **Cumberland Valley Visitor Bureau**, and returns with 15 participating locations specializing in locally-crafted coffee and chocolate across Cumberland County, Pennsylvania. Participating in the Cumberland Valley Coffee and Chocolate Trail is free, and users can earn prizes and receive discounts along the way. Prizes include a keychain, sticker, coffee scoop, and stone car coaster. Users can sign up for free at VisitCumberlandValley.com beginning Wednesday, February 1st and begin checking into places immediately by entering...

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the four-digit pin at each location into the mobile passport. The Cumberland Valley Coffee and Chocolate Trail runs from February 1st through May 12, 2024.

Doceo, a leader in business technology services throughout the MidAtlantic Region, is excited to announce that it has successfully completed the acquisition of Document Essentials. Document Essentials, a technology reseller and service company, founded in 1992 by Brian McMearty, has developed an impressive reputation over its 32-year history. The entire Document Essentials team will remain with the company under Doceo's care and guidance. Document Essentials will continue to operate from its present location at 2605 Lord Baltimore Drive, Baltimore Maryland. Doceo currently operates in 5 states, and the District of Columbia, with a network of 13 sales and service locations. To explore the comprehensive solutions Doceo offers, please visit www.mydoceo.com.

F&M Trust is pleased to announce the following recent hires and promotions: Ellen Diehl and Molly O'Keefe have been hired as Treasury Relationship Manager; Christian Hall has been hired as Technology Services Analyst; Anne Bednar has been promoted to Assistant Vice President; Mckenzie Besecker has been promoted to Lead Financial Services Representative; Courtney Davis has been promoted to Electronic Banking Specialist; Courtney Eversfield has been promoted to Lead Financial Services Representative; Michell Frieze has been promoted to Assistant Wealth Advisor; Warren Hurt has been promoted to Senior Vice President; Ellen Ile has been promoted to Assistant Vice President; Karen Metz has been promoted to Assistant Vice President; Ben Musser has been promoted to Technology Services Manager; Katie Myers has been promoted to Retail Operations Specialist; Phil Pantano has been promoted to Senior Vice President; Kayla Penwell has been promoted to Loan Servicing Team Lead; Bill Pryor has been promoted to Senior Vice President; Danielle Ritter has been promoted to Assistant Vice President; Chip Wasson has been promoted to Senior Vice President; Caity Webber has been promoted to Financial Services Representative III; and Betsy Yumlu has been promoted to Vice President. F&M Trust recently donated \$2,000 to support a series of programs at Joseph T. Simpson Public Library in Mechanicsburg. The contribution will sponsor the library's Run for Reading and Bowling for Books events, as well as the Family Fall Festival and the Family Holiday Party in 2024. F&M Trust recently donated \$6,000 to sponsor "Tuesdays with Morrie," one of five productions during the 2024 summer series at Totem Pole Playhouse. F&M Trust recently donated \$2,000 to Safe Harbour, a not-for-profit organization that provides a continuum of housing services for those experiencing homelessness in Cumberland County. The donation was part of a fundraising challenge sponsored by F&M Trust in which the bank made an initial \$1,000 contribution to Safe Harbour's annual campaign and agreed to donate an additional \$2,000 when 25 individuals or companies made contributions of \$1,000 or more.

Join **Harrisburg University's STEM-Up Network** for their Success in Stem Women's Leadership Summit on Friday, April 12 from 8:00am-3:00pm at Members 1st Federal Credit Union, 5000 Marketplace Way, Enola. Learn more and register here: <https://www.stemupnetwork.org/2024-success-in-stem-womens-leadership-summit/>

Junior Achievement of South Central PA is gearing up for two very busy months! Can you spare a day or two to help JA students? Below is a snapshot of our upcoming volunteer opportunities. Programs highlighted in yellow have the highest needs at this time. Want to know more about a program? Click [HERE](#) for program overviews. To sign up for one or more programs you may click on the link below OR contact Junior Achievement directly. The volunteer sign-up link below will show the full list of openings through the end of the school year. [Click here to sign-up.](#)

The **Kiwanis Club of Greater West Shore** has recently moved their meeting location to Marzoni's Brick Oven, Ritter Road, Mechanicsburg. The Club supports five West Shore high school Key Clubs where students grow as individuals and leaders through service to the community. We meet on the first and third Wednesdays at 6:00 PM. New members are welcome. For additional information email kiwanisws@gmail.com.

Mid Penn Bank is pleased to announce the promotion of Heather Hall to Central PA market president and chief lending officer. With Hall's promotion, the Bank bolsters its senior executive management team to continue to bring best-in-class community banking to its customers and communities. Mid Penn Bank announces the promotion of Scott Micklewright to president of the commercial and consumer bank and chief revenue officer of the company. In this capacity, Micklewright will oversee all aspects of commercial and consumer banking including loan activity, deposit activity, cash management, interchange and credit card revenue, as well as the regional team structure. announces the promotion of Jordan D. Space to president of the private bank and chief operating officer of the company, effective January 12, 2024.

Representative Delozier will be hosting a job fair and government services fair for constituents of the 88th Legislative District which will, in addition to business and employers, include various state agencies and legislative information booths. It will be taking place on Thursday, March 14th from 10 AM – 3 PM at the Mechanicsburg First Church of God Community Center, 201 East Green St., Mechanicsburg, PA 17055. If you would like to participate as a vendor and set up a table at this event, please fill out our [vendor form here](#). There is no cost to participate.

As the new Board Chair (Robert Caplan) and the past Board Chair (Carolyn Dumaresq) of **The Foundation for Enhancing Communities (TFEC)**, we are sharing the following retirement message from Janice R. Black, President & CEO of TFEC since 1994. Her 29 plus years of service to this community will be forever remembered. We wish her all the best in what the future holds for her. "The time has come. The time is right. After much difficult deliberation, I have decided to retire, effective June 30, 2024. It will be hard to say good-bye, but I take comfort in knowing that TFEC is a strong foundation that serves as a model for other community foundations throughout the country. Jennifer J. Doyle has been named Interim President and Chief Executive Officer. Jennifer began her career at TFEC back in 2008 as a Program Officer and has held various positions throughout her 15-plus-year career including Asset Development Associate, Director of Development and Community Investment, and most recently Vice

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President of Philanthropy and Community Investment. Jennifer's passion and commitment to TFEC throughout her tenure and selfless dedication to the communities, donors, and nonprofits we serve have readied her for this advancement. The Foundation for Enhancing Communities (TFEC) is pleased to announce that Debbie Garrison has been promoted to Senior Philanthropic Officer and Erin Gilbert has been promoted to Philanthropic Officer.

UPMC in Central Pa. hiring teams are inviting community members to any UPMC hospital campus in the region every Tuesday between Jan. 30 and March 26 to learn more about UPMC careers. The "Talk to Us Tuesdays" sessions are offered from 8 a.m. to noon. Talk to Us Tuesdays is a casual opportunity for clinical and licensed health care professionals to explore rewarding careers at UPMC and learn about UPMC's Total Rewards package, which is designed to support employees' total well-being — physically, financially, emotionally and professionally. For more information, contact Emma Hohl at hohlee@upmc.edu, or visit careers.upmc.com to explore all of UPMC's opportunities.

The team at UPMC Central PA Surgical Oncology has performed one of the most innovative procedures for advanced, metastatic cancer of the abdomen. Hyperthermic intraperitoneal chemoperfusion or HIPEC is a type of advanced cancer therapy that requires skilled surgical oncologists and is only performed at leading cancer centers. "We're very excited to expand our surgical oncology services and bring this advanced level of cancer care to this region and our patients," Kyo Chu, M.D., director of Surgical Oncology for UPMC in Central Pa., said. "This is another example of how we can offer our patients advanced cancer care close to home. UPMC Central PA Surgical Oncology's first HIPEC procedure was performed at UPMC West Shore by Samer AlMasri, M.D., assisted by his partner, Chu, as well as Mohammad Haroon Asif Choudry, M.D., a surgical oncologist at UPMC Hillman Cancer Center in Pittsburgh. The patient, a 72-year-old man, is recovering well at home. To learn more about surgery and cancer care in central Pennsylvania, visit UPMCHillman.com/CentralPA.

YWCA Carlisle & Cumberland County is proud to introduce the first annual Persimmon Awards: Honoring Women of Achievement to be held during lunchtime on May 29, 2024 at Allenberry Resort. In a world where the achievements of women have historically been undervalued or overlooked, these awards serve as a platform to honor women's excellence, resilience, and invaluable impact on our local communities. Tickets are \$45 per person, and tables of 8 are also available for \$320. Additionally, we still have sponsorships available. You can purchase tickets and learn about sponsorships at <https://ywcacarlisle.org/programs/persimmon-awards-2024/> or contact jhaven@ywcacarlisle.org.

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10 - 19 years

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Artistic Imprints, Inc.
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Jones Financial Group
LegalShield
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Pennsylvania American Water
Pennsylvania Wealth Management
Safe Harbour, Inc.
The Overlook

5 - 9 years

44 Business Capital
Allenberry Resort
Barley Snyder

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1 - 4 years

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