Communiqué

In Print

Robert Reilly, firm managing director, was interviewed for an article that appeared in the Summer 2013 issue of *INSIGHT*, the monthly journal of the Illinois CPA Society. The title of this article was "What's It Worth? Digging Down to the Real Value of Your CPA Firm or Practice Takes a Big, Healthy Dose of Reality." The article was written by Sheryl Nance-Nash.

Robert Reilly authored an article that appeared in the May 2013 issue of the *ABI Journal*. The title of the article was "Income Tax Consequences of Debt Modification."

Robert Reilly authored an article that appeared in the August 2013 issue of the *ABI Journal*. The title of the article was "Conversion Considerations for the Reorganized Company."

Robert Reilly authored an article that appeared in the September 2013 issue of the *ABI Journal*. The title of the article was "Asset Valuation Data-Gathering and Due Diligence Procedures."

Robert Reilly authored an article that appeared in the July/August 2013 issue of *Construction Accounting and Taxation*. The title of the article was "Construction Industry Bankruptcy Valuation Issues."

Robert Reilly authored an article that appeared in the August 2013 issue of the *Practical Lawyer*. The title of the article was "What Lawyers Need to Know About Intangible Asset Economic Damages Due Diligence."

Robert Reilly authored an article that appeared in the Summer 2013 issue of the *Practical Tax Lawyer*. The title of the article was "Tax Implications of the Intellectual Property Valuation Process."

Robert Reilly authored an article that appeared in the Summer 2013 issue of the *American Journal of Family Law*. The title of the article was "Family Law Intangible Asset Valuation and Due Diligence."

In Person

Robert Reilly, firm managing director, delivered three presentations at The 43rd Annual Appraisal for Ad Valorem Taxation Conference of Communication, Energy and Transportation Properties, which was held at Wichita State University from July 28 to August 1, 2013. The topics of those presentations were "Appraisal and Legal Challenges in Extracting Intangibles from the Unit," "Everything You Always Wanted to Know bout Fair Value Accounting (But Were Afraid to Ask)," and "Valuing Customer Relationships—Do They Really Have Value?"

Robert Reilly will deliver two presentations at the upcoming AICPA-sponsored 2013 Forensic Valuation Conference from November 10 through 12, 2013, in Las Vegas. The topic of those presentations will be "Analyzing Intellectual Property Royalty Rate Data: Are There Signals in the Noise" and "Current Valuation Issues in Bankruptcy."

Robert Reilly will also deliver a presentation at the 16th Annual Subchapter S Bank Association conference in San Antonio on October 24, 2013. The topic of that presentation will be "Capital Markets and Subchapter S Bank Valuations."

Chip Brown, managing director in our Atlanta office, participated in a teleconference sponsored by the American Bar Association's Joint Committee on Employee Benefits on June 20, 2013. Chip was one of the panelists who discussed the topic of "Employee Stock Ownership Plans (ESOPs): Litigation Trends and Hot Button Issues."

Steve Whittington, Atlanta office manager, delivered a presentation on September 18, 2013, at the New South Chapter of the ESOP Association conference in Stone Mountain, Georgia. The topic of Steve's presentation was "Hot Topics on ESOPs."

Steve Whittington will also participate in a panel discussion at the ESOP Association's annual conference November 7, 2013, in Las Vegas. The topic of the presentation is "How Is a Valuation Different than a Fairness Opinion?"

In Encomium

Steve Whittington, Atlanta office manager, was appointed to the Valuation Advisory Committee of The ESOP Association. His term on the Valuation Advisory Committee will begin in 2014.