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... for the implementation of sound, long-term tax policies that promote the global competitiveness of the U.S. technology industry. The Silicon Valley Tax Directors Group is composed of representatives from leading technology companies with corporate offices predominantly located in the area between San Francisco and San Jose, California (widely known as "Silicon Valley").

The group engages with global tax policy makers for the purpose of sharing information about the technology industry and enabling open dialog regarding tax policy. It was formed in 1981 with current members representing the following companies:

Organization

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Benchmark Electronics, Inc.	Matt Beckler; Vice President, Tax
Blackhawk Network, Inc.	Christian A. Howald; Vice President, Global Tax
BMC Software, Inc.	Matt Howell; Vice President, Global Tax
Broadcom Inc.	Ivy Pong; Vice President, Global Taxation
Cadence Design Systems, Inc.	Dean Ozawa; Vice President, Corporate Tax
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Ciena	Liz Tracey; Director of Global Tax
Cirrus Logic, Inc.	Sarah Wallis; Vice President, Tax
Citrix	Brian Shytle; Vice President, Corporate Treasurer
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Representative

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Expedia Group	Gordon Beckstead; Senior Vice President
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GlobalLogic	James K. Lucas; Vice President, Tax
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HP Inc.	Brian Lynn; Global Head of Tax
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Informatica Inc.	Jeffrey Wu; Vice President of Tax
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Instacart	Mike Wittig; Vice President of Tax
Intuit Inc.	Sandra Hahn; Global Head of Tax
Intuitive Surgical	Jonathan C Grahmann; Vice President - Tax
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LiveRamp, Inc.	Markus Dinkel; Vice President, Corporate Tax
Logitech Inc.	Gretchen Horwitz; Global Head of Tax
Lucid Motors	Angela Sun; Global Head of Tax
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Meta Platforms, Inc.	Frances Erskine; Vice President, Tax

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Micron Technology, Inc.	Alex Biegert; Corporate Vice President, Tax
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Netskope	Erin Stuart-Cayot; Vice President Global Tax
Nutanix Inc.	Priya Roche; Vice President, Global Tax
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Ouster Inc.	Alecia Wu; Senior Director of Global Tax
Palo Alto Networks	Jeffrey A. Levenstam; Vice President Global Tax
PayPal Holdings Inc.	Ameeta Patel; Senior Vice President, Chief Tax Officer
Penguin Solutions	Hans Tanzler; Vice President, Tax
Pinterest	John Buchta; Vice President, Tax
Pure Storage, Inc.	Lance Heinig; Vice President, Tax & Trade
Qualcomm, Inc.	Roberta L. Swanson; Vice President, Global Head of Tax
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Stripe	Timothy Berger; Head of Tax
SurveyMonkey	Kent Nguyen; Senior Tax Director
Synopsys, Inc.	Jill Harding; Vice President Tax, Treasury & Corporate Planning
Tesla, Inc.	Joe Gruber; Vice President, Tax
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WideOrbit	Maureen Mukai; Vice President Tax
Workday Inc.	Teresa Chen; Vice President, Tax
Yahoo, Inc.	Darin Orr; Vice President, Tax
Yelp Inc.	Ed Jajeh; Vice President, Tax, Treasury and Workplace
Zillow Group, Inc	Thea Handelman; Vice President Tax
Zoom Video Communications, Inc.	John Lee; Head of Tax
Zscaler, Inc	Jay Lall; Vice President, Tax

Worldwide Totals for Companies Represented by Group Members

REVENUE

\$3.1 Trillion

RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT

\$379.1 Billion

EMPLOYEES

5.4 Million

SVTDG MEMBERS

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Statement of Purpose

The purpose of the Silicon Valley Tax Directors Group is to promote sound, long-term tax policies that support innovation and the global competitiveness of the U.S. technology industry. Members of this group believe that tax policies should enhance opportunities for growth by encouraging and rewarding enterprises that develop goods and services that meet international market standards.

The companies represented by the Group depend on research and development in order to remain on the cutting edge of technology innovation and to compete in the international marketplace. Due to their large expenditures on research and development, it is necessary to maintain worldwide sales levels. (Approximately half of all U.S. technology revenue comes from international sales.)

The Group believes that long-term tax policies should enhance and support innovation and competitiveness by:

- 1 Stimulating increased research and development.
- 2 Making it easier for U.S. corporations to compete internationally.
- 3 Encouraging investment in capital assets.
- Bolstering efforts to develop and reward a skilled
 U.S. workforce.

Our purpose is to strive for the implementation of long-term tax policies that will allow the U.S. high technology industry to continue to be innovative and competitive in the global marketplace.

Visit the Silicon Valley Tax Directors Group Website at **www.svtdg.org**



Co-Chair, Silicon Valley Tax Directors Group

Robert F. Johnson

Senior Vice President, Global Tax and Customs; Cisco Systems, Inc.

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Education

B.S. Accounting, Pennsylvania State University

Professional Organizations

Board - Alliance for Competitive Taxation (ACT); Tax Committee - Business Round Table (BRT); Tax Committee - National Foreign Trade Council (NFTC); Tax Committee - United States Council for International Business (USCIB); Tax Committee - Business at OECD (BIAC); Tax Committee - Information Technology Industry Council (ITI); Tax Committee -Coalition for American Innovation (CAI)

Background

Public accounting and corporate tax management. Current responsibilities include management of Cisco's global tax and customs obligations and leading and Cisco's global tax and customs team.

Company Profile

Cisco Systems, Inc. 170 West Tasman Drive San Jose, California 95134

Cisco designs and sells a broad range of technologies that power the Internet. Cisco's platforms are integrated across networking, security, collaboration, applications and the cloud.



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Vice President of Tax and Treasurer; Dolby Laboratories, Inc.

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Education

B.S.C. Santa Clara University; C.P.A. in California and Hawaii

Professional Organizations

Board Member Silicon Valley Chapter of Tax Executive Institute; California Society of Certified Public Accountants: Hawaii Society of Certified Public Accountants

Background

Public accounting. Current responsibilities include worldwide corporate tax, treasury and risk management.

Company Profile

Dolby Laboratories, Inc. 1275 Market Street San Francisco, California 94103

Dolby Laboratories, Inc. creates audio and imaging technologies that transform entertainment and communications at the cinema, at home, at work, and on mobile devices.



Co-Chair, Silicon Valley Tax Directors Group

Stephen A. Bonovich

Vice President, Tax; Open Al

Education

B.A. Hamilton College; J.D. Hastings College of the Law, University of California; LL.M. New York University

Professional Organizations

California State Bar, American Bar Association, Tahirih Justice

Background

Started in big SF law firms, Sun Microsystem, Intel Corporation, Agilent Technologies.

Company Profile

Open Al 3180 18th Street Suite 100 San Francisco, CA 94110

Open AI seeks to ensure that artificial general intelligence benefits all of humanity.



Anita VanHall Vice President, Tax and Treasury; 10x Genomics, Inc.

Education

M.B.A Michigan State University; Professional Program Accounting

Professional Organizations

Santa Clara County Chapter TEI

Background

EY (Tax) in Cleveland, Woodland Hills and San Jose offices. Tax and treasury leader for biotech and technology companies.

Company Profile

10x Genomics, Inc.

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10x Genomics builds products to interrogate, understand and master biology. Our products have been adopted by researchers around the world, including the top 100 global research institutions and the top 20 global pharmaceutical companies, and have been cited in over 1,500 research papers on discoveries across the life sciences, including oncology, immunology, and neuroscience.



Dina K. Eppley Chief Tax Officer; Accenture

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Education

B.S. Accounting, University of New Orleans; CPA Louisiana

Background

Arthur Andersen, tax intern, 1990–1991; Arthur Andersen, tax manager, 1991–1997; Offshore Logistics, tax director, 1997–1998; Accenture, 1998–current

Company Profile

Accenture

1255 Treat Boulevard, Suite 250 Walnut Creek, California 94597

Accenture is a Fortune 500 professional services company specializing in technology consulting, cloud, security, etc.



Vinh Hoang Vice President, Global Tax; Adobe Inc.

Education

B.S., Business, California Polytechnic State University; C.P.A California

Professional Organizations

Santa Clara Valley Chapter of Tax Executives Institute and American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

Background

Public accounting and corporate tax management. Current responsibilities include global tax management and planning.

Company Profile

Adobe Inc. 345 Park Avenue, MS E07 San Jose, California 95110-2704

Adobe is a diversified software company and a global leader in digital media and digital marketing solutions. Adobe's creative, marketing, and document offerings enable everyone to design and deliver exceptional digital experiences worldwide.



Jerome N. Meyer

Vice President, Global Tax; Advanced Micro Devices, Inc.

Company Profile

Advanced Micro Devices, Inc. 2485 Augustine Drive Santa Clara, California 95054

For nearly 50 years, AMD has driven innovation in high-performance computing, graphics and visualization technologies — the building blocks for gaming, immersive platforms and the datacenter. Hundreds of millions of consumers, leading Fortune 500 businesses and cutting-edge scientific research facilities around the world rely on AMD technology daily to improve how they live, work and play. AMD employees around the world are focused on building great products that push the boundaries of what is possible. (NASDAQ: AMD).



Mirei Yasumatsu

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Education

B.S.B.A., J.D., M.B.A. Washington University in St. Louis; LL.M. (Taxation) New York University School of Law

Professional Organizations

California State Bar; California Society of Certified Public Accountants; Santa Clara Valley Chapter of Tax Executive Institute

Background

Public accounting and corporate tax management. Currently responsible for worldwide corporate tax management.

Company Profile Airbnb, Inc.

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Airbnb was born in 2007 when two Hosts welcomed three guests to their San Francisco home, and has since grown to over 4 million Hosts who have welcomed more than 1 billion guest arrivals in almost every country across the globe. Every day, Hosts offer unique stays and experiences that make it possible for guests to connect with communities in a more authentic way.



Rajvi Shah

Vice President, Tax; Agilent Technologies

Education

M.B.T., University of Southern California (USC)

Professional Organizations

AICPA, TEI (Silicon Valley Chapter)

Background

Over 20 years of experience in tax operations, strategy, and planning (Big 4 + Industry). Current responsibilities include Global Direct & Transaction Taxes

Company Profile

Agilent Technologies 5301 Stevens Creek Blvd Santa Clara, California 95051

Agilent Technologies Inc. is a global leader in life sciences, diagnostics and applied chemical markets, providing application focused solutions that include instruments, software, services and consumables for the entire laboratory workflow.



Joy Loh

Vice President, Tax and Treasury; Align Technology, Inc.

Education

B.S. Business Administration, Accounting and Marketing, University of California at Berkeley

Professional Organizations

Santa Clara Valley Chapter of Tax Executives Institute; California Society of Certified Public Accountants

Background

Current responsibilities include worldwide corporate tax, treasury and risk management. Former roles in public accounting, and corporate tax in industry.

Company Profile

Align Technology, Inc. 2820 Orchard Parkway San Jose, California 95134

Align Technology is a leading global medical device company that is changing lives through better smiles with the Invisalign® system, the most advanced clear aligner system in the world, and iTero® intraoral scanners and services. Align has revolutionized the dental and orthodontic industry by combining artificial intelligence and machine learning, digital imaging and visualization, biomechanics and material science to develop the most advanced clear aligner system in the world.



Damon A. Richardson Vice President, Global Tax; Alphabet

Education

B.S. University of California, Riverside; J.D. University of California, Los Angeles

Professional Organizations

Board Member; University of California, Riverside Board of Trustees

Background

Public Accounting Experience: PwC - International Tax; Private Industry Experience: Agilent Technologies -International Tax; Google/Alphabet: Current Role: Vice President, Global Tax; Previous Roles: Vice President, International Tax; Director, International Tax Counsel; International Tax Counsel.

Company Profile Alphabet

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Alphabet Inc (Alphabet), the holding company of Google, is a global technology company. It offers a wide range of products and platforms including Search, Google Maps, calendar, ads, Gmail, Google Play, Android, Google Cloud, Chrome, and YouTube. It also offers hardware products such as Pixel phones, smartwatches, and Google Nest home products. The company offers online advertising services through its Google Network services.



Kurt Lamp

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Education

BA in Economics, University of North Dakota; J.D. University of North Dakota; LL.M in Taxation New York University

Professional Organizations

Tax Foundation, Tax Executives Institute, Council on State Taxation, Washington Bar

Background

Currently responsible for global tax matters at Amazon. Previously with Arthur Andersen 1994–1997 and Microsoft 1997–2010.

Company Profile

Amazon.com, Inc. 234 Ninth Avenue, Second Floor Seattle, Washington 98109

We seek to be Earth's most customercentric company We are guided by four principles: customer obsession rather than competitor focus, passion for invention, commitment to operational excellence, and long-term thinking. Our business now encompasses a large variety of product types and services offerings. This includes the products we sell to consumers through our online and physical stores, services we offer to third-party sellers to sell and fulfill their products, subscriptions like Amazon Prime, on-demand technology services through AWS, and advertising services.



Edward R. Gwynn Vice President of Tax;

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Education

B.B.A., University of Texas (Arlington); M.S.T., University of Texas (Arlington)

Professional Organizations

Texas CPA, American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

Background

Previously spent 17 years at Arthur Andersen and Ernst & Young and 6 years as VP of Tax at MDC Holdings, Inc. Currently managing Ancestry's worldwide corporate tax function.

Company Profile

Ancestry.com 1300 W Traverse Parkway Lehi, Utah 84043

Ancestry, the global leader in family history and consumer genomics, harnesses the information found in family trees, historical records, and DNA to help people gain a new level of understanding about their lives.



Phillip Bullock Head of Tax; Apple Inc.

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Education

B.S.B.A. Accounting, Information Systems, Virginia Tech; M.P.A., Taxation, The University of Texas at Austin

Background

Currently responsible for worldwide corporate tax matters at Apple. Former roles in public accounting, corporate tax and financial management.

Company Profile

Apple Inc. One Apple Park Way Cupertino, California 95014



Ryan Pierson

Vice President, Global Tax; Applied Materials, Inc

Education

B.A. Accounting & Information Systems, Michigan State University; M.S. in Accounting (specialization in tax), Michigan State University

Background

International Tax Services at Grant Thornton and Ernst & Young; former head of tax at Dana Incorporated; current head of tax at Applied Materials

Company Profile

Applied Materials

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Timothy C. Seitz

Senior Vice President, Finance & Government Affairs; Aptiv PLC

Education

B.B.A., Eastern Michigan University; J.D., University of Colorado Law School

Professional Organizations

Colorado Bar, Colorado and American Bar Associations. Colorado CPA (Expired 2019).

Background

Past experience includes: Principal, KPMG, Value Chain Management. Senior Vice President, Tax, Trade, Financial Supply Chain Design; Flextronics International, Ltd. Advisory Panel Eclipse Ventures; Partner, Deloitte & Touche, LLP, various offices.

Company Profile Aptiv PLC

5 Hanover Quay, Grand Canal Dock Dublin 2 Ireland

Aptiv is a European multi-national headed by Aptiv AG, a publicly traded Swiss resident entity. Collectively, the Aptiv Group is one of the largest industrial technology suppliers in the global automotive and mobility industry. Its mission is to be a leader provider of technology solutions that integrate hardware, software, data and analytics into solution sets that together make mobility safer (reducing injury and property damage), greener (facilitating transition to cleaner and more sustainable energy sources), and more connected (harnessing the power of data to improve efficiency, access, and congestion).



Hayden Marshall

Director, Tax; Arista Networks

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Education

B.A., The University of Melbourne, Australia; B.Comm., Deakin University, Australia; C.A. (Chartered Accountant), Australia

Professional Organizations

Silicon Valley Chapter of the Tax Executive Institute; Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand

Background

Hayden started his career in 2004 as a Chartered Accountant at PwC in Melbourne, Australia, before moving into Industry. He joined the Symantec tax team in 2009 following an acquisition and then joined the Arista tax team in 2018. Current role at Arista Networks is the head of global tax, leading all direct and indirect corporate tax matters.

Company Profile

Arista Networks

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Arista Networks is an industry leader in software driven cognitive cloud networking solutions for large-scale data center and campus workspace environments. Arista's award-winning platforms deliver availability, agility, automation analytics, and security through an advanced network operating system.



Morgan Randolph

Global Head of Tax; Atlassian

Education

BBA from Texas Tech University; MST from the University of Texas at Arlington - College of Business

Professional Organizations

Tax Executives Association - Austin; Texas State Board of Public Accountants - CPA

Background

Public accounting and private industry, primarily in technology. Currently responsible for worldwide tax management.

Company Profile

Atlassian

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Atlassian's mission is to unleash the potential of every team. We make collaboration software tools including Jira, Confluence and Trello.



Stashu J. Stemkowski

Vice President, Global Tax, Payroll and Stock; Autodesk, Inc.

Education

B.A. Economics, Rhodes College; M.S. Accounting, Rhodes College

Professional Organizations

American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

Background

Public accounting and corporate tax management. Current responsibilities include global corporate tax, payroll and stock administration management.

Company Profile

Autodesk, Inc. One Market, Suite 400 San Francisco, California 94105

Autodesk is changing how the world is designed and made. Our technology spans architecture, engineering, construction, product design, manufacturing, media, and entertainment, empowering innovators everywhere to solve challenges big and small. From greener buildings to smarter products to mesmerizing blockbusters, Autodesk software empowers innovators to design and make a better world for all.



Matt Beckler

Vice President, Tax; Benchmark Electronics, Inc.

Education

B.A. in Accounting, Grand Canyon University; MBA, Arizona State University

Professional Organizations

America Institute of Certified Public Accountants; Arizona Society of CPAs; Association of Financial Professionals (CTP certification); Tax Executives Institute

Background

Public accounting and private industry. Current responsibilities include global corporate tax.

Company Profile

Benchmark Electronics, Inc. 56 South Rockford Drive Tempe, Arizona 85288

Benchmark provides comprehensive solutions across the entire product life cycle by leading through its innovative technology and engineering design services, leveraging its optimized global supply chain and delivering world-class manufacturing services in the following industries: commercial aerospace and defense, medical, industrial, semiconductor capital equipment and advanced computing and communication. Benchmark's global operations include facilities in seven countries and its common shares trade on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol BHE.



Christian A. Howald

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Education

JD, University of Houston Law Center; MBA, University of Houston; BBA, Accounting, Harding University

Professional Organizations

State Bar of Texas - Tax Section

Background

Christian previously spent over 18 years in public accounting providing tax technical and income tax accounting services involving multiple disciplines and jurisdictions, including providing preacquisition tax services to both private equity and strategic buyers. He received his B.B.A. in Accounting from Harding University and both his J.D. and M.B.A. from the University of Houston. Christian is a licensed member of the State Bar of Texas and a Certified Public Accountant in California and Texas.

Company Profile

Blackhawk Network, Inc. 6220 Stoneridge Mall Road Pleasanton, California 94588

Blackhawk Network is a leading prepaid payment network utilizing proprietary technology to offer a broad range of prepaid gift, telecom, and debit cards, in physical and electronic forms, as well as related prepaid products and payment services.



Matt Howell Vice President, Global Tax; BMC Software, Inc.

Education

M.P.A. Taxation, B.A., University of Texas at Austin

Professional Organizations

American Institute of Certified Public Accountants; Texas Society of CPAs; Manufacturers Alliance (MAPI)

Background

Public accounting and corporate tax management. Currently responsible for worldwide corporate tax management.

Company Profile

BMC Software, Inc. 2103 CityWest Boulevard Houston, Texas 77042

BMC delivers software solutions that help IT transform digital enterprises for the ultimate competitive business advantage. We have worked with thousands of leading companies to create and deliver powerful IT management services. From mainframe to cloud to mobile, we pair high-speed digital innovation with robust IT industrialization-allowing our customers to provide amazing user experiences with optimized IT performance, cost, compliance, and productivity. We believe that technology is the heart of every business, and that IT drives business to the digital age.



Ivy Pong

Vice President, Global Taxation; Broadcom Inc.

Education

MS Taxation; MS Accounting; BA; CPA California

Professional Organizations

Tax Executives Institute

Background

Public accounting and tax management in hi-tech industry. Currently oversee worldwide corporate tax planning, reporting, compliance, audit and controversy.

Company Profile

Broadcom Inc. 3421 Hillview Avenue Palo Alto, California 94304

Broadcom Inc. is a global technology leader that designs, develops and supplies a broad range of semiconductor and infrastructure software products. Broadcom's category-leading product portfolio serves critical markets including data center, networking, software, broadband, wireless, storage and industrial.



Dean Ozawa

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B.A. University of California, Davis; C.P.A.

Professional Organizations

Tax Executives Institute

Background

Seven years of public accounting with Arthur Andersen LLP. Joined Cadence Design Systems, Inc. in March, 1994. Promoted to Vice President in November 2001. Responsible for managing corporate tax function.

Company Profile

Cadence Design Systems, Inc. 2655 Seely Avenue, Building 5 San Jose, California 95134

Cadence is a leading supplier of electronic design technologies and engineering services. Cadence products and services are used to accelerate and manage the design of semiconductors, computer systems, networking equipment, telecommunications equipment, consumer electronics, and other electronics based products. With approximately 11,200 employees and 2023 revenues of approximately \$4.09 billion, Cadence has sales offices, design centers, and research facilities around the world. The company is headquartered in San Jose, California, and trades on the NASDAQ under the symbol CDNS.



Stephanie Lam

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Education

B.A. Accounting, San Jose State University

Company Profile

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Chegg, Inc., through its web site Chegg.com, is a student hub allowing students to connect to the people and tools needed to succeed throughout their high school and college career. The company offers an array of scholastic materials including textbook rentals, homework help, scholarship connections, course organization and scheduling enhancing education for millions of students by saving them time, saving them money, and helping them get smarter.



Director of Global Tax; Ciena

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Education

Liz Tracey

B.S. Brigham Young University, Marriott School of Business; CPA Maryland

Professional Organizations

Silicon Valley Chapter of the Tax Executive Institute; Board Member The Tax Council

Background

Current responsibilities at Ciena include global corporate tax: reporting, planning, compliance, tax policy, and transfer pricing.

Prior to joining Ciena, was SVP of Taxes and Legislative Affairs at The Rouse Company and a Senior Manager at EY focused on corporate and partnership tax planning and transactions.

Company Profile

Ciena

50 West San Fernando Street San Jose, California 95113

Ciena is a global leader in networking technology - optical and routing systems, services, and automation software to address the world's increasing digital connectivity demands on land, cloud, or submarine. Ciena's customers/partners include 85% of the world's largest communication service providers. Ciena continues to develop transformational technologies with a relentless drive to innovate.

Corporate headquarters: 7035 Ridge Road Hanover, Maryland 21076



Sarah Wallis

Vice President, Tax; Cirrus Logic, Inc.

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Education

BBA Texas A&M University; MS Accounting (Tax) Texas A&M University; C.P.A. Texas

Professional Organizations

Tax Executives Institute, Central Texas Chapter President

Background

Public accounting and corporate tax management. Current responsibilities include global tax controversy, financial reporting, transfer pricing, tax planning, and tax compliance.

Company Profile

Cirrus Logic, Inc. 800 West 6th Street Austin, Texas 78701

Founded in 1984 in Silicon Valley, Cirrus Logic is a leader in low-power, high-precision, mixed-signal processing solutions. Leveraging a broad portfolio of hardware, software and proprietary algorithms, Cirrus Logic excels at developing IP-rich solutions that create innovative user experiences for the world's top mobile and consumer applications.



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Education

B.A. Acctg University of Florida; M.S.T University of Florida

Background

Joined Citrix from EY in 2003 to build global tax department. Manage all aspects of global Tax in publicly traded multinational company. As career progressed, expanded role to include treasury, source to pay and real estate/facilities.

Company Profile Citrix

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Citrix is a digital workspace platform that gives employees everything they need to be productive in one unified experience while arming IT with the visibility, simplicity, and security needed to enable and control it all. Since 1989, Citrix has made it easier for people to access the applications and content they need to do their very best work – wherever and whenever work needs to get done. Today, more than 100 million users across 400,000 organizations – including 98% of the Fortune 500 – trust Citrix to power a better way to work.



Quang Nguyen Vice President Tax; Confluent, Inc.

Education

Bachelor of Accountancy, University of Oklahoma; Master of Science, Taxation, California State University, Fullerton; Master of Business Administration, Chapman University

Professional Organizations TEI, AICPA

Background

Public accounting. Current responsibilities include global corporate tax.

Company Profile

Confluent, Inc. 899 West Evelyn Avenue Mountain View, California 94041

Confluent is on a mission to set data in motion. We have pioneered a new category of data infrastructure designed to connect all the applications, systems, and data layers of a company around a real-time central nervous system. This new data infrastructure software has emerged as one of the most strategic parts of the next-generation technology stack, and using this stack to harness data in motion is critical to the success of modern companies as they strive to compete and win in the digital-first world.



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Education

BS Accounting Rutgers University; CPA New York

Professional Organizations AICPA

Background

Senior Tax Manager at EY (1994-2005). Co-head of Global Tax Acct at Citigroup (2005-2007). VP and Global Head of Tax at AIG (2007-2015). Senior Tax Partner at KPMG (2015-2024). Currently, head of tax at CrowdStrike

Company Profile

CrowdStrike 150 Mathilda Place Sunnyvale, California 94086

CrowdStrike is a leader in cybersecurity. The company secures the most critical areas of risk - endpoints and cloud workloads, identity, and data - to keep customers ahead of today's adversaries and stop breaches.



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Education

J.D., Harvard University; B.A., Rutgers University

Background

Current responsibilities include global corporate tax.

Company Profile

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Education

Juris Doctor, Howard University School of Law, Georgetown University Law Center; Bachelor of Commerce, University of Calgary; B.A., University of California at Los Angeles

Professional Organizations

Member, California Bar; Member, New York Bar; Member, International Fiscal Association; Member, Chief

Background

Corporate Tax Law at Sullivan & Cromwell and Loeb & Loeb; Formerly with The Coca-Cola Company and Google



Glen A. Kohl

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Education

B.S. Tufts University; J.D. Yale Law School; LL.M. New York University School of Law

Professional Organizations

California State Bar; American Bar Association; Manufacturers Alliance (MAPI)

Background

Corporate and tax law in law firms and an internet bubble company; U.S. Treasury Official. Responsibilities include Tax and Treasury function. Formerly with Electronic Arts, Amazon and Stripe.

Company Profile

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Background

Big 4 and private industry. Current responsibilities include worldwide corporate tax management.

Company Profile

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Dropbox provides the platform and tools to help individuals and distributed teams securely create content and share it with collaborators—from anywhere.



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B.A., Albion College; J.D., Tulane Law School

Professional Organizations

State Bar of Michigan

Background

Eight years of public accounting; 18 years in private industry, including nine years as head of tax. Extensive experience globally in international, Federal and state tax, tax accounting, strategic planning, mergers and acquisitions, project management, compliance and regulations, transfer pricing, systems management, data analysis, forecasting and process improvement. Additional proven aptitude in policies and procedures, budgeting, client/vendor relations, implementations, and tax research.

Company Profile

Dynatrace

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B.COMM Australian National University; LL.B Australian National University; Chartered Accountant, Australia

Professional Organizations

Silicon Valley Chapter of the Tax Executive Institute; Chartered Accountants of Australia & New Zealand

Background

Almost 20 years with Deloitte in offices around the world, including Washington National Tax - International Tax and Tax Accounting. International tax operations and accounting roles at Bunge, AIG, and GE/Synchrony. Currently, Head of Tax for eBay Inc.

Company Profile

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We connect people and build communities to create economic opportunity for all. At eBay, we create pathways to connect millions of sellers and buyers in more than 190 markets around the world. Our technology empowers our customers, providing everyone the opportunity to grow and thrive—no matter who they are or where they are in the world. And the ripple effect of our work creates waves of change for our customers, our company, our communities and our planet.



Heather Norko

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Education

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Professional Organizations

Westchester County Tax Executive Institute; Connecticut Valley Chapter Tax Executive Institute

Background

Heather Norko is currently VP of Tax and Treasury at Elastic N.V., a search technology company based in Mountain View, California. Bringing more than 25 years of diverse tax and finance experience, she leads a distributive and remote tax and treasury function in all faucets of corporate income tax (tax planning, provision, M&A due diligence and integration, audits) and corporate treasury (forecasting, liquidity management and investing).

Company Profile

Elastic N.V.

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Elastic N.V. is a search company which delivers technology solutions designed to run in public or private clouds in multi-cloud environments. It primarily offers Elastic Stack, a set of software products that ingest and store data from various sources and formats, as well as perform search, analysis, and visualization.



Jim Crane

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Education

B.S.B.A. Washington University in Saint Louis; C.P.A. (inactive) Missouri

Professional Organizations

Silicon Valley Chapter of Tax Executives Institute

Background

Private industry. Currently responsible for global corporate tax.

Company Profile

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Electronic Arts is a global leader in digital interactive entertainment. We develop, market, publish and deliver games, content and services that can be experienced on game consoles, PCs, mobile phones and tablets. At our core is a portfolio of intellectual property from which we create innovative games and experiences that deliver high-quality entertainment and drive engagement across our network of hundreds of millions of unique active accounts.



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Professional Organizations

Certified Public Accountant; American Bar Association; AICPA; California CPA; Tax Executive Institute; IFA

Background

Public accounting and private industry. Current responsibilities include global corporate tax.

Company Profile

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Expedia Group leverages platform and technology capabilities across an extensive portfolio of businesses and brands to orchestrate the movement of people and the delivery of travel experiences on both a local and global basis.



Brian O'Cuiv

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Education

Bachelor of Laws, University College Dublin; Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting, Dublin City University; Member - Irish Chartered Accountant and Irish Taxation Institute; CPA (California)

Background

PwC Ireland, 2001–2010; PwC San Jose 2010–2014 (Director); PwC San Francisco 2015–2021 (Partner); Faire Wholesale, 2022-present

Company Profile

Faire Wholesale Inc

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Faire is a wholesale marketplace taking a data-driven approach to connect local, independent retailers with the best brands and artisans to stock their shelves with the best goods. Faire retailers rely on Faire for the convenience of ordering from thousands of their favorite brands all in one place, net 60 payment terms, free returns on opening orders, and freight caps. For brands, the platform provides powerful sales, marketing, and analytics tools, so sellers can simplify their wholesale business and focus on making great products.



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Education

B.B.A.. Accounting - University of Iowa; Masters of Tax - University of Denver

Professional Organizations

American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, Tax Executives Institute

Background

Public accounting and corporate tax. Currently responsible for global tax function.

Company Profile

Flex Ltd.

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Flex is the manufacturing partner of choice that helps a diverse customer base design and build products that improve the world. Through the collective strength of a global workforce across 30 countries and responsible, sustainable operations, Flex delivers technology innovation, supply chain, and manufacturing solutions to diverse industries and end markets.



Lisa Askenazy Felix

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Education

LL.M. Taxation/NYU Law; J.D./GWU Law; Licensed in NY, DC, MI

Background

Law firm, public accounting and private industry specializing in blockchain, cryptocurrency and digital assets. Responsibilities include worldwide corporate tax matters for Forte.

Company Profile

Forte Labs, Inc.

Forte is an infrastructure provider for the integration of blockchain technologies into the gaming space. Forte's platform enables features such as seamless, embeddable token wallets, non-fungible token (NFT) minting and selling, payment rails, and other services built specifically for blockchain token economies and the management of digital and virtual assets.



Sharon Heck

Vice President, Treasurer and Chief Tax Counsel; GE Vernova

Education

Sharon holds a Juris Doctor degree from Creighton University, a Master's degree in taxation from Georgia State University and a Bachelor's degree in accounting from Troy University.

Background

Sharon Heck serves as Vice President, Treasurer, and Chief Tax Counsel for GE Vernova. Sharon leads a global team of more than 700 global professionals across the tax, treasury, and stat functions of the company.

Company Profile

GE Vernova

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GE Vernova is a planned, purpose-built global energy company that includes Power, Wind, and Electrification businesses and is supported by its accelerator businesses of Advanced Research, Consulting Services, and Financial Services. Building on over 130 years of experience tackling the world's challenges, GE Vernova is uniquely positioned to help lead the energy transition by continuing to electrify the world while simultaneously working to decarbonize it. GE Vernova helps customers power economies and deliver electricity that is vital to health, safety, security, and improved quality of life.



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Senior Director, Head of Tax; Genentech Inc.

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Background

Senior Manager at Arthur Anderson in San Francisco. Tax Director at Broadvison. Joined Genentech in 2002. Currently responsible for managing Corporate Tax function.

Company Profile

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Founded more than 35 years ago, Genentech is a leading biotechnology company that discovers, develops, manufactures and commercializes medicines to treat patients with serious or life-threatening medical conditions. The company, a member of the Roche Group, has headquarters in South San Francisco.



Peter Chapman

Chief Tax Officer; Genesys Cloud Services

Education

B.S. Accounting, Indiana University; M.B.A., Indiana University; C.P.A. Indiana

Professional Organizations

Tax Executives Institute

Background

Public accounting (EY) and private industry. Current responsibilities include global tax.

Company Profile

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Every year, Genesys orchestrates billions of remarkable customer experiences for organizations in more than 100 countries. Through the power of our cloud, digital and AI technologies, organizations can realize Experience as a Service, our vision for empathetic customer experiences at scale. With Genesys, organizations have the power to deliver proactive, predictive, and hyper personalized experiences to deepen their customer connection across every marketing, sales, and service moment on any channel, while also improving employee productivity and engagement. By transforming back-office technology to a modern revenue velocity engine Genesys enables true intimacy at scale to foster customer trust and loyalty.



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Education

B.S. Weber State University, Ogden, UT; M.P.Acy. (Tax) Weber State University, Ogden UT; CPA California

Professional Organizations

Silicon Valley Chapter of the Tax Executive Institute

Background

Thirty years of tax experience in public accounting and Silicon Valley companies including tax lead roles in software, hardware and SaaS industries. Current responsibilities include worldwide tax planning and compliance for income and indirect taxes.

Company Profile

Gigamon Inc. 3300 Olcott Street Santa Clara, California 95054

Gigamon provides visibility into physical, virtual and cloud networks. By minimizing complexity and providing application-layer intelligence to every tool, customers can optimize performance, improve thread detection and incident response.



Chan K. Chea Vice President, Global Head of Tax; Gilead Sciences, Inc.

Education

MBT University of Southern California; BS University of California, Riverside

Professional Organizations

Tax Executives Institute, Orange County Chapter

Background

Public accounting (with AA and Deloitte). Private industry (mostly in biopharma). Areas of notable experience include international tax, transfer pricing, income tax accounting, global supply chain management, M&A/post-merger integration, and talent development

Company Profile

Gilead Sciences, Inc. 333 Lakeside Drive Foster City, California 94404

Gilead Sciences Inc. is a researchbased biopharmaceutical company that discovers, develops and commercializes innovative medicines in areas of unmet medical need.



James J. Gladen

Vice President Tax; GitLab Inc.

Education

B.S. San Diego State University; M.B.T. University of Southern California

Professional Organizations

Silicon Valley Chapter of the Tax Executive Institute

Background

29 Years of tax leadership, including the last 15 years as VP Tax, primarily in the software, SaaS, and electronic services industries. Current responsibilities include worldwide corporate tax management.

Company Profile

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James K. Lucas Vice President, Tax; GlobalLogic

Education

B.S. San Jose State University; M.S.T San Jose State University; C.P.A. California

Professional Organizations

Santa Clara Chapter of the Tax Executive Institute; American Institute of Certified Public Accountants; Silicon Valley Tax Directors Group

Background

Public accounting and private industry. Current responsibilities include global corporate tax.

Company Profile

GlobalLogic

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GlobalLogic helps brands create value across the entire product lifecycle not just by developing cutting-edge technology, but also by helping make mature products more relevant to digitally-savvy consumers. By using human-centered design practices, superior engineering skills, and agile delivery — we help customers reimagine their business, consumer interactions, and develop innovative products and services, with an accelerated time-to-market.



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Education

B.A. Accounting, Texas Tech University; J.D., Southern Methodist University School of Law

Professional Organizations

State Bar of Texas

Background

Mr. Cox has global responsibility for all tax matters of HPE and its subsidiaries, including income and transaction tax compliance, financial reporting, transfer pricing, planning, tax policy and audit/ controversy.

Company Profile

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HPE is a global, edge-to-cloud Platformas-a-Service company built to transform your business. How? By helping you connect, protect, analyze, and act on all your data and applications wherever they live, from edge to cloud, so you can turn insights into outcomes at the speed required to thrive in today's complex world.



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Education

JD, Harvard Law School; LLM, Georgetown University Law Center; BA (Business Economics), UC Santa Barbara

Professional Organizations

Tax Executives Institute, American Bar Association

Background

Law firm and public accounting. Manage global tax team at HP currently.

Company Profile

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HP, Inc. is a provider of products, technologies, software, solutions and services to individual consumers, small- and medium-sized businesses, and large enterprises, including customers in the government, health and education sectors. The Company provides personal computing and other access devices, imaging and printing products, and related technologies, solutions and services.



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B.B.S. Accounting and Finance University of Limerick

Professional Organizations

ACA Institute of Chartered Accountants Ireland, ITI Institute of Tax Ireland

Background

Big 4 International tax roles – Director in KPMG and Deloitte. Worked in Linkedin's tax team. Current responsibilities include management of the worldwide tax function for Indeed.

Company Profile Indeed

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As the world's #1 job site, with over 300 million unique visitors every month from over 60 different countries, Indeed has become the catalyst for putting the world to work. Indeed helps companies of all sizes hire the best talent and offers the best opportunity for job seekers to get hired.



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Education

B.S., Finance and Computer Information Systems from Miami University of Ohio. J.D. (Law), University of Cincinnati (Ohio).

Professional Organizations

American Bar Association, Division of Taxation

Background

Tax Partner, EY (2006-2024) in New York City in U.S. International Tax and Global Tax and Compliance in the Technology, Media, and Telecom Sector. Currently, Vice President of Tax of Informatica, Inc. in Redwood City, CA. I am responsible for the Company's planning, reporting, compliance, audits and worldwide indirect taxes.

Company Profile

Informatica, Inc. 2100 Seaport Boulevard Redwood City, California 94063

Informatica (NYSE: INFA), a leader in enterprise Al-powered cloud data management, brings data and Al to life by empowering businesses to realize the transformative power of their most critical assets. We have created a new category of software, the Informatica Intelligent Data Management Cloud (IDMC).



David Edquist

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Education

B.S. Finance, University of Illinois; J.D. University of North Carolina; LL.M. (Taxation) Georgetown University

Professional Organizations

San Diego Chapter of the Tax Executive Institute

Background

Public accounting and corporate tax management. Currently responsible for worldwide corporate tax management.

Company Profile

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Ingram Micro is a Fortune 100 Company that delivers a full spectrum of global technology and supply chain services to businesses around the world. Deep expertise in technology solutions, mobility, cloud, and supply chain solutions enables Ingram Micro's business partners to operate efficiently and successfully in the markets they serve.



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Background

Public accounting and private industry. Current responsibilities include overseeing global corporate tax.

Company Profile Instacart

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Instacart is powering the future of grocery through technology. We partner with retailers to help them successfully navigate the digital transformation of their businesses. Instacart was founded in 2012 to bring the grocery industry online and help make grocery shopping effortless. We started by uncovering what consumers want and then built enterprise-grade technology that allows retailers to meet those needs. We want to make it possible for any grocer, large or small, to navigate omnichannel operations and serve their customers better in all of the ways they choose to shop. Today, more than 750 national, regional, and local retail banners that collectively represent [more than 80%] of the U.S. grocery market partner with Instacart, which has helped them to grow faster than the market.



Global Head of Tax; Intuit Inc.

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B.S. Accounting/Finance, U.C. Berkeley;M.S. Taxation, Golden Gate University;M.B.A. University of Santa Clara;C.P.A. California

Professional Organizations AICPA, TEI

Background

Public accounting and corporate tax management. Currently responsible for worlwide corporate tax function.

Company Profile

Intuit Inc.

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Intuit Inc. provides business and financial management solutions for small businesses, consumers, and accounting professionals in the United States, Canada, the United Kingdom, Australia, India, and Singapore.



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Education

B.B.A and M.P.A, University of Texas at Austin

Professional Organizations

Texas Society of CPAs

Background

Public Accounting and private industry, primarily in technology. Currently responsible for all taxes globally.

Company Profile Intuitive Surgical



Diana Chan

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Education

B.A. UC Berkeley (Molecular & CellBiology); B.A. UC Berkeley (Economics);M.S.T. Golden Gate University(Taxation); C.P.A. California

Professional Organizations

Tax Executive Institution

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Michael Kelchen

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Education

BA University of Missouri-Columbia; JD Tulane University School of Law; LLM Northwestern University School of Law

Professional Organizations New York State Bar

Background

Vice President, Head of Global Tax for Keysight Technologies.

Company Profile

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Keysight provides electronic design and test instruments, software and services to enable our customers to design, development and manufacture electronic products.



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M.S. Taxation, California State University, East Bay

Professional Organizations Tax Executive Institute

Background

Public accounting and corporate tax management. Current responsible for worldwide corporate tax management.

Company Profile

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KLA-Tencor Corporation, a leading provider of process control and yield management solutions, partners with customers around the world to develop state-of-the-art inspection and metrology technologies. These technologies serve the semiconductor, data storage, LED, photovoltaic, and other related nanoelectronics industries.



Oren Ben Dor

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Education

LL.M. (Taxation) Georgetown University Law Center; LL.B , Tel Aviv University School of Law

Professional Organizations

Tax Executives Institute, Seattle Chapter; The New York State and Israel Bars

Background

Wall Street law firms, Silicon Valley public accounting (EY) and private industry. Currently responsible for worldwide corporate tax.

Company Profile KoBold Metals

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KoBold leads the world's largest mineral exploration R&D effort to advance the frontier of exploration technology with AI and novel hardware. KoBold is making mineral exploration a repeatable science through comprehensive data aggregation and artificial intelligence. Its proprietary AI tools build on a concept called Efficacy of Information (EOI), enabling KoBold to determine which data to collect at each exploration step to maximize uncertainty reduction. KoBold deploys the world's largest R&D budget dedicated to the search for scarce EV battery metals by exploring in over 60 projects across five continents and building the world's largest collection of geoscience information.



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Education

B.A. in Accounting and M.S. in Public Administration, Punjab University

Professional Organizations AICPA; CALCPA

Background

Twenty years of corporate tax experience with accounting firms and technology companies. Responsible for worldwide corporate taxes in the current position.

Company Profile

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Lam Research Corporation is a supplier of wafer fabrication equipment and services to the worldwide semiconductor industry.



Darius Portela

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Education

B.S. Business Administration (Accounting and Finance) The Master's University; M.S.A.T. Boise State University; C.P.A. Idaho, C.T.P.

Professional Organizations

Gem State Tax Symposium Board Member; American Institute of Certified Public Accountants; Tax and Design Committee Semiconductor Industry Association

Background

Public accounting and private industry, including US and international tax planning, global tax provision and reporting, compliance and transfer pricing, M&A due diligence and structuring. Current responsibilities include leading the global corporate tax & treasury function for a publicly traded semiconductor company.

Company Profile

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Lattice Semiconductor was founded in 1983 and is an American semiconductor company that specializes in the design and manufacturing of low power, fieldprogrammable gate arrays and related software solutions. With a large presence in Oregon and California and a global footprint including China, Philippines, Singapore, Malaysia, Taiwan, India, and Canada.



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B.Sc. (Biochem) University of British Columbia; MBA UBC; CPA British Columbia Canada

Professional Organizations

Chartered Professional Accountant of British Columbia; North Bay Tax Directors Group

Background

Public accounting, private and public industry experience. Current responsibilities include global corporate tax.

Company Profile

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Liftoff Mobile, Inc., a BlackStone Group portfolio company, is a leader in mobile app advertising by end to end technological functionalities that fuels the entire mobile app growth cycle across user acquisition, creative, engagement, influencer marketing, monetization and analytics.



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Education

B.S. Managerial Economics, University of California at Davis; M.S. Taxation, Golden Gate University; C.P.A. California

Professional Organizations Tax Executives Institute

Background

Public accounting and corporate tax management. Currently responsible for the management of LiveRamp's worldwide tax function.

Company Profile

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LiveRamp enables companies and their partners to better connect, control, and activate data to transform customer experiences and generate more valuable business outcomes. Our fully interoperable infrastructure delivers end-to-end addressability for the world's top brands, agencies, and publishers and our neutral and open approach ensures that our clients can select from among best-in-class partners and technology to meet their specific needs.



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Education

BBA, University of Cincinnati

Background

- 1994 2011 Deloitte Cincinnati, London, Chicago, New York
- 2011-2020 Cognizant VP, Global Tax
- 2020 2024 Baker Hughes, Chief Tax Officer
- Dec 2024 Present Logitech, Inc. -Global Head of Tax

Company Profile

Logitech Inc.

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Logitech International S.A. is a Swiss multinational manufacturer of computer peripherals and software. Headquartered in Lausanne, Switzerland, the company has offices throughout Europe, Asia, Oceania, and the Americas, and is one of the world's leading manufacturers of input and interface devices for personal computers (PCs) and other digital products. It is a component of the flagship Swiss Market Index, and listed on the Nasdaq.



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Education

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Professional Organizations

Santa Clara Valley Chapter of TEI

Background

Public accounting and corporate tax management. Current responsibilities include worldwide corporate tax.

Company Profile Lucid Motors

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Gregg S. Morrison

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Education

University of Connecticut (Acctg); University of New Haven (MS Taxation); Harvard Business School

Professional Organizations

Twice President of Orange County Chapter of the Tax Executive Institute; CT Society of CPAs (currently inactive)

Background

Public Accounting and Semiconductor Industry (Tax, Treasury, Shareholder Services, Operations). Current responsibilities at Marvell include Global Treasury & Tax, Enterprise Risk Management, and North American Payroll.

Company Profile

Marvell Technology, Inc. 5488 Marvell Lane Santa Clara, California 95054

Marvell is a leading fabless semiconductor company with expertise in microprocessor architecture and digital signal processing that drives multiple platforms including high volume storage solutions, mobile and wireless, networking, consumer and green products.



Rebecca Shaffer

Senior Vice President of Tax; Match Group

Professional Organizations

Pennsylvania Institute of Certified Public Accountants

Background

Five years of public accounting (EY); 20 years of tax experience in retail industry (Dicks Sporting Goods, Bloomin Brands and Michaels Arts and Crafts); New to technology in 2022 (Match)

Company Profile Match Group

Match Group owns and develops online dating services apps and websites including Match.com, Tinder, OK Cupid, Plenty of Fish among others.



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Professional Organizations

AWBi Board Member

Background

Public accounting and corporate tax management. Currently responsible for worldwide corporate tax affairs.

Company Profile

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Our mission is to give people the power to build community and bring the world closer together.



Alex Biegert

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Education

Masters of Accounting, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill; B.A., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Professional Organizations

California Certified Public Accountant (inactive)

Background

Public accounting and corporate tax management. Currently responsible for worldwide corporate tax.

Company Profile

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We are a world leader in innovative memory solutions that transform how the world uses information. For over 45 years, our company has been instrumental to the world's most significant technology advancements, delivering optimal memory and storage systems for a broad range of applications.



Daniel Goff

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Education

B.S. Accounting, University of Idaho; J.D. University of Idaho; LL.M. (Taxation) New York University School of Law

Professional Organizations

Tax Executives Institute, Manufacturers Alliance (MAPI), and the California and Idaho State Bars

Background

Corporate Tax. Current responsibilities include worldwide corporate tax management.

Company Profile

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Microsoft was founded in 1975. Our mission is to enable people and organizations throughout the world to do more and achieve more by creating technology that transforms the way people learn, work, play, and communicate. We develop and market software, services, and devices that deliver new opportunities, greater convenience, and enhanced value to people's lives. We do business worldwide and have offices in more than 100 countries.



Lisa Wadlin

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Education

B.S. University of Virginia; M.S. University of Virginia; CPA Virginia

Professional Organizations

American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, Steering Committee and Planning Committee member of Tax Council Policy Institute

Background

Ex-EY international tax partner. Current responsibilities include all aspects of global tax, including financial reporting, direct and indirect tax compliance, M&A, planning, transfer pricing and global controversy.

Company Profile

Netflix, Inc. 100 Winchester Circle Los Gatos, California 95032

Netflix is the world's leading internet television network with over 109 million streaming members in over 190 countries enjoying more than 125 million hours of TV shows and movies per day, including original series, documentaries and feature films. Members can watch as much as they want, anytime, anywhere, on nearly any internet-connected screen. Members can play, pause and resume watching, all without commercials or commitments. Additionally, in the U.S., our members can receive DVDs delivered quickly to their homes.



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Education

B.S. Economics; M.S. Accounting; M.S. Taxation

Professional Organizations

Tax Executive Institute; American Institute of Certified Public Accountants; Board and Audit Committee of Encompass Community Services

Background

Have been the leader of Global High Tech tax departments for 20+ years including Plantronics, Cymer and JDS Uniphase. Prior to leading the tax function worked for Ernst and Young and tech companies in their tax groups.

Company Profile

Netskope

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Netskope is a cloud application analytics and policy company which provides a SaaS based platform that enables enterprises to keep their data and users secure worldwide. It offers Netskope Security Cloud that provides visibility and real-time data and threat protection when accessing cloud services, websites and private apps from anywhere on any device.



Priya Roche

Vice President, Global Tax and Treasury; Nutanix Inc.

Education

M.S. Taxation, San Jose State University; C.P.A. California, MBA Finance

Background

Manage all aspects of global Tax and Treasury in publicly traded, high growth multinational companies. Experience in both public accounting and Technology companies.

Company Profile

Nutanix Inc. 1740 Technology Drive San Jose, California 95110

Nutanix, Inc. is a cloud computing company that sells hyper-converged infrastructure software, cloud services, and software-defined storage.



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Education

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Company Profile NVIDIA Corporation

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NVIDIA is a world leader in visual computing. Beginning as a standard PC graphics chip company, NVIDIA has transformed into a specialized platform company that targets four very large markets – Gaming, Enterprise Graphics, Datacenter and Auto – where visual computing is essential and deeply valued. NVIDIA is focused on the field of visual computing delivering value through PC, mobile and cloud architectures.



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BS Elmira College; MBA Sacred Heart University; MS Taxation University of New Haven; CPA, New York

Professional Organizations

North Bay Tax Directors Group, TEI, AICPA, NYSSCPA

Background

Currently Head of Tax and Treasury for Okta, responsible for all tax and treasury matters globally. Prior to Okta, held tax/treasury leadership roles at Blackhawk Network, Time Inc. and 21st Century Fox, and was also a TMT tax partner with Ernst & Young and a senior manager with PwC, both in New York.

Company Profile

Okta

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Okta is the leading independent identity management platform for the enterprise. Okta's vision is to enable everyone to safely use any technology, and we believe identity is the key to making that happen. Okta's mission is to bring simple and secure data access to people and organizations everywhere.



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Education

Master of Taxation; University of Wisconsin Milwaukee; Bachelor of Science in Accounting, Spanish Minor, University of Wisconsin

Background

Shannon Janis is the Vice President, Global Tax and Finance Transformation at onsemi, a Fortune 500 manufacturer of intelligent power and intelligent sensing semiconductor products. She has over 20 years of experience in global tax operations, including 8 years at onsemi, and has a broad base of knowledge in the areas of global tax policy and incentives, transfer pricing, international tax and M&A.

Company Profile onsemi

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onsemi (Nasdaq: ON) is driving disruptive innovations to help build a better future. With a focus on automotive and industrial endmarkets, the company is accelerating change in megatrends such as vehicle electrification and safety, sustainable energy grids, industrial automation, and 5G and cloud infrastructure.



Greg Hilbrich

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Education

B.S., Chemical Engineering, University of California, Davis; J.D., University of California, Berkeley (Boalt Hall); Member of Ohio and California State Bars; Ohio C.P.A.

Professional Organizations

Tax Executives Institute

Background

Private law practice and corporate tax management. Current responsibilities include tax and customs.

Company Profile

Oracle Corporation

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Oracle Corporation, the world's largest enterprise software company founded in 1977, engages in the development, manufacture, distribution, servicing, and marketing of database, middleware, and application software designed to help customers manage and grow their business operations. The company operates in five segments: New Software Licenses, Software License Updates and Product Support, Consulting, On Demand, and Education. Oracle distributes its products and services to businesses of many sizes, government agencies, educational institutions and resellers.



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Professional Organizations

Santa Clara Valley Chapter of the Tax Executive Institute; California Society of Certified Public Accountants

Background

Public accounting and industry. Current responsibilities include worldwide corporate tax.

Company Profile

Ouster Inc. 5521 Hellyer Avenue San Jose, California 95138

Ouster, Inc. is building the eyes of autonomy. We are a leading global provider of light detection and ranging ("lidar") sensors for the automotive, industrial, robotics, and smart infrastructure industries. Ouster's products include high-resolution scanning and solid-state digital lidar sensors, Velodyne Lidar sensors, and software solutions.



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Education

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Professional Organizations

Silicon Valley Chapter of Tax Executives Institute

Background

Big 4 international tax services partner; in-house responsibilities now include global income tax planning, provision and compliance; indirect tax; and property tax.

Company Profile

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We are the global cybersecurity leader, known for always challenging the security status quo. Our mission is to protect our way of life in the digital age by preventing successful cyberattacks.



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Education

B.A. Stanford University; JD, MBA, LLM Georgetown University Law Center

Professional Organizations

California Bar Association, ABA, TEI, USCIB

Background

Global corporate tax

Company Profile

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PayPal is a leading technology platform company that enables digital and mobile payments on behalf of consumers and merchants worldwide. We put our customers at the center of everything we do. We strive to increase our relevance for consumers, merchants, friends and family to access and move their money anywhere in the world, anytime, on any platform and through any device. We provide safer and simpler ways for businesses of all sizes to accept payments from merchant websites, mobile devices and applications, and at offline retail locations through a wide range of payment solutions across our Payments Platform.



Vice President, Tax Penguin Solutions

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Education

LLM (Tax) - University of Florida; JD -University of Florida; MBA - University of Florida; M.S. (Accounting) - University of Florida; B.S. (Accounting) - University of Florida; Executive Education (General Management) - Harvard Business School; C.P.A. - Florida; Licensed Attorney - Florida

Professional Organizations

Tax Section of the Florida Bar (member); Federal Bar Association (member); American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (member)

Background

Leading the global tax function at Penguin Solutions, a multinational artificial intelligence company.

Company Profile

Penguin Solutions 39870 Eureka Drive

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Penguin Solutions, Inc. is an end-to-end technology company. The Company's segments include Advanced Computing, Integrated Memory, and Optimized LED. Its Advanced Computing segment offers specialized platform solutions and services for artificial intelligence, high-performance computing, machine learning, advanced modeling and the internet of things that span the continuum of edge, core and cloud under its Penguin Computing and Stratus brands. Its Integrated



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Company Profile Pinterest

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Pinterest's mission is to bring everyone the inspiration to create a life they love. It's the biggest dataset of ideas ever assembled, with over 100 billion recipes, home hacks, style inspiration and other ideas to try. More than 440 million people around the world use Pinterest to dream about, plan and prepare for things they want to do in life.



Lance Heinig

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Education

B.A. California State University, Hayward, Accounting & Finance; M.S.T. California State University, Hayward; C.P.A. California

Professional Organizations

Santa Clara Valley Chapter of the Tax Executive Institute

Background

Public accounting. Current responsibilities include worldwide corporate tax.

Company Profile

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Education

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Professional Organizations

Orange County Chapter of the Tax Executive Institute; America Institute of Certified Public Accountants; Board Member Girl Scouts of Orange County; Tax Committee Semiconductor Industry Association

Background

Public accounting and private industry. Current responsibilities include global corporate tax and Trade.

Company Profile

Qualcomm, Inc.

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We are a global leader in the development and commercialization of foundational technologies for the wireless industry, including 3G (third generation), 4G (fourth generation) and 5G (fifth generation) wireless technologies and processor technologies including highperformance, low-power computing and on-device artificial intelligence (AI) technologies. Our technologies and products are used in mobile devices and other wireless products.



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Education

B.B.A.-Accounting, Adelphi University, New York; M.B.A.-Taxation, Pace University, New York; J.D.-Law, Quinnipiac University, School of Law

Professional Organizations

Tax Executive Institute, AICPA; NYSSCPA; New York Bar and Connecticut Bar

Background

30 years experience establishing and leading US, European and Asian multinational companies» corporate tax departments, with responsibility for global planning, compliance and controversy. Current responsibilities include worldwide corporate tax management.

Company Profile

Ring Central, Inc. 20 Davis Street Belmont, California 94002

Leading provider of business cloud communications and contact center solution on its global platform empowering mobile and distributed workforce to communicate, collaborate and connect via any mode, decice and device location through three essential UCaaS products, team messaging, video meetings and cloud phone system.



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Education

B.A. University of California at Riverside;J.D. University of Oregon;LL.M. Georgetown University

Professional Organizations American Bar Association

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Education

B.S. University of Southern California, M.S.T. Golden Gate University, C.P.A. California

Professional Organizations

Silicon Valley Chapter of the Tax Executive Institute; California Society of CPAs

Background

Public accounting and private industry experience. Current responsibilities include global corporate tax.

Company Profile

Roku, Inc. 1173 Coleman Avenue San Jose, California 95110

Roku is a leading developer and provider of a TV streaming platform that connects and benefits the shift of the entire TV ecosystem to streaming for viewers, content partners and advertisers.



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Rubrik is the market leader in Cloud Data Management, the world's first platform to orchestrate data for hybrid cloud enterprises anytime, anywhere. We blend future-proof architecture with consumer-grade simplicity to pioneer a fresh approach to an old problem.



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Education

B.A. Economics, UCLA; MST, Golden Gate University

Background

Darryl started his career at Ernst & Young. After almost 17 years with the firm, he joined McKesson to lead the company's financial tax reporting function. Thereafter, Darryl joined Visa to lead the company's domestic tax planning and controversies function. Currently, he is responsible for alesforce's global tax function as well as other finance functions.

Company Profile

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Salesforce is the world's leading customer relationship management technology, helping you build and improve your customer relationships. In 1999 we pioneered cloud-based CRM, and today we're helping organizations of all sizes re-imagine their business for the world of Al. How? With Agentforce, providing trusted, autonomous AI agents that take action for your employees and customers. With unified data from all your systems, so every employee has a 360-degree view of every customer. And with #1 CRM apps for your sales, service, marketing, commerce, and IT teams.



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Education

B.S. Indiana University, Kelley School of Business: C.P.A. Georgia

Professional Organizations

Georgia Society of CPAs; International Fiscal Association; Tax Executives Institute

Background

Public accounting and large US publicly traded multinationals spanning numerous industries including manufacturing, insurance, and technology. Current responsibilities include all aspects of global corporate tax.

Company Profile

Samsara, Inc. 1 De Haro Street San Francisco, California 94103

Samsara (NYSE: IOT) is the pioneer of the Connected Operations[™] Cloud, which is a platform that enables organizations that depend on physical operations to harness Internet of Things (IoT) data to develop actionable insights and improve their operations. Samsara operates in North America and Europe and serves tens of thousands of customers across a wide range of industries.



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Education

MAcc, Accounting/Tax, Brigham Young University

Professional Organizations

Utah CPA, American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

Background

Previously spent time at Grant Thornton LLP, Goldman Sachs & Co., Ancestry, and Unity Technologies. Currently managing Sandisk Corporation's global tax function.

Company Profile

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Sandisk will focus on delivering a broad and ever-expanding portfolio of flashbased products. Sandisk also pursues emerging development of disruptive, new memory technologies.



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Background

Public accounting and private industry. Current responsibilities include global corporate tax.

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Education

Masters in Accounting from Nagarjuna University, India; CPA California

Professional Organizations

America Institute of Certified Public Accountants

Background

Dhunaka worked at EY for about 15 years and 4 years at Semtech. Currently, Head of Global Tax at Semtech and responsibilities include global tax and trade matters.

Company Profile

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Semtech is a leading supplier of high performance analog and mixed-signal semiconductors and advanced algorithms.



Jennifer A. Raney

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Education

B.S. Business Administration, Accounting Concentration; CPA, State of California

Professional Organizations

Tax Executives Institute

Background

Big 4 accounting firm (EY San Jose) and high-tech public company industry experience. Current responsibilities include global corporate income and indirect tax as well as treasury.

Company Profile SentinelOne

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SentinelOne was founded in 2013 by an elite team of cybersecurity and defense experts who developed a fundamentally new, groundbreaking approach to endpoint protection. SentinelOne is a pioneer in delivering autonomous security for the endpoint, datacenter and cloud environments to help organizations secure their assets with speed and simplicity. SentinelOne unifies prevention, detection, response, remediation and forensics in a single platform powered by artificial intelligence.



Elisabeth Loew

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ServiceNow was founded on a simple premise: a better technology platform will help work flow better. Our purpose is to make the world work better for everyone. We help global enterprises across industries, universities and governments to digitize their workflows - the individual tasks that need to be executed to get a job done. Our technology platform, which we refer to as the Now Platform, seamlessly connects workflows across siloed organizations and systems in a way that unlocks productivity, improves experiences for both employees and customers and delivers real business outcomes.



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Education

M.B.T. University of Southern California; B.A./B.S. University of California, Berkeley; C.P.A. California

Professional Organizations

Los Angeles Country Chapter of Tax Executives Institute; American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

Background

Public accounting and corporate tax management. Currently responsible for worldwide corporate tax management.

Company Profile

Snap Inc.

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Hundreds of millions of people use Snapchat every day to Snap with family, watch Stories from friends, see events from around the world, and explore expertly-curated content from top publishers. In short, we are a passionate team working hard to build the best platform in the world for communication and storytelling.



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Education

J.D. University of Ottawa; LL.M. Corporate Law New York University; LL.M. Tax New York University

Background

Former roles in law firms, public accounting, and private industry. Currently responsible for worldwide corporate tax management.

Company Profile

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Snowflake created the Data Clouda global network where thousands of organizations mobilize data with near-unlimited scale, concurrency, and performance. Inside the Data Cloud, organizations unite their siloed data, easily discover and securely share governed data, and execute diverse analytic workloads. Snowflake's platform is the engine that powers and provides access to the Data Cloud, creating a solution for applications, collaboration, cybersecurity, data engineering, data lake, data science, data warehousing, and unistore. Snowflake's vision is a world with unlimited access to governed data, so every organization can tackle the challenges and opportunities of today and reveal the possibilities of tomorrow.



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Education

Bachelor of Science, Accounting and Management, Santa Clara University; Juris Doctor, Santa Clara University

Professional Organizations

Silicon Valley Chapter of Tax Executive Institute; American Institute of Certified Public Accountants; California State Bar Association

Background

Public accounting and private industry. Current responsibilities include global corporate tax.

Company Profile Sophos

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Sophos is an industry-leading cybersecurity company. Sophos is a global leader in next-gen, cloudmanaged network and end user cybersecurity, harnessing the power of world-leading artificial intelligence, through deep learning neural networks, to adapt ever more quickly to the emerging threat landscape.



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Education

B.S. Accounting Rider University; MST Tax Pace University

Professional Organizations

AICPA, NJSCPAS, ACT, BRT

Background

Spent three years at KPMG in NYC, then various roles in Industry with majority at BD as head of international tax, and 13 years of EVP - Global Tax at Mastercard.

Company Profile

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Education

M.B.A Accounting and Tax, Golden Gate University; CPA California Professional Organizations San Jose Chapter of the Tax Executive Institute; America Institute of Certified Public Accountants

Background

Public accounting (EY & others) and private industry. Current responsibilities include global corporate tax, treasury, and risk insurance management.

Company Profile

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Kent Nguyen

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Education

B.A. University of California Los Angeles;M.S.T San Jose State University;C.P.A California

Professional Organizations AICPA

Background

Big 4 and industry experience, specializing in technology companies.

Company Profile

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SurveyMonkey is a leader in agile experience management, providing Software-as-a-Service ("SaaS") solutions that help businesses collect and analyze stakeholder sentiment at scale.



Jill Harding

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Synopsys, Inc. is the Silicon to Software[™] partner for innovative companies developing the electronic products and software applications we rely on every day. As the world's 16th largest software company, Synopsys has a long history of being a global leader in electronic design automation (EDA) and semiconductor IP and is also growing its leadership in software quality and security solutions. See more at: http://www.synopsys.com/ Company/AboutSynopsys/Pages/ CompanyProfile.aspx.



Joe Gruber

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Education

University of Pennsylvania BA; University of Miami School of Law JD; New York University School of Law LLM

Background

Law Firm and private industry. Most recently spent past eight years as Senior Vice President of Global Tax at Pfizer.

Company Profile

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Tesla designs, develops, sells and leases high-performance fully electric vehicles and energy generation and storage systems and offer services related to our sustainable energy products. Our mission is to accelerate the world's transition to sustainable energy.



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Background

Chief Administrative Officer and Senior Vice President Tax. A strong finance leader with extensive expertise in life science and technology companies with 20+ years of experience in leading and managing all aspects of financial strategy and operations, including accounting, tax, financial planning and analysis, treasury, and investor relations.

Company Profile

The Cooper Companies

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Cooper Companies is a global, consumer-centric medical device company that supports how people want to live, at every stage of life. We are a global company with nearly 15,000 employees located in 30 countries across Europe, Asia, Africa, and the Americas. Our corporate headquarters are in San Ramon, CA.



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Background

Public accounting and corporate tax management; previously led global tax functions for Avery Dennison Corporation and Delphi Automotive PLC

Company Profile

The Walt Disney Company

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The Walt Disney Company operates as an entertainment company worldwide. The company operates in five segments: Media Networks, Parks and Resorts, Studio Entertainment, Consumer Products, and Interactive. The company was founded in 1923 and is based in Burbank, California.



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Education

B.S. Economics University of San Francisco; M.B.A. Saint Mary's College

Background

Private industry. Current responsibilities include global corporate tax.

Company Profile

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Trimble is transforming the way the world works by delivering products and services that connect the physical and digital worlds. Core technologies in positioning, modeling, connectivity and data analytics enable customers to improve productivity, quality, safety and sustainability. From purpose built products to enterprise lifecycle solutions, Trimble software, hardware and services are transforming industries such as agriculture, construction, geospatial and transportation and logistics.



John Schreiber

Vice President, Global Tax; Twilio Inc.

Education

MBA, Michigan State University; BSBA, Central Michigan University

Professional Organizations

Licensed Active California CPA; Manufacturers Alliance for Productivity and Innovation; American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

Background

Public accounting and private industry experience. Current responsibilities include worldwide direct and indirect tax matters.

Company Profile

Twilio Inc. 101 Spear Street, Fifth Floor San Francisco, California 94105

Twilio is the world's leading cloud communication platform that enables customer engagement across channels – SMS, voice, video, WhatsApp, email and more.



Kirsten Nordlof

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Education

B.A., Comparative Literature, University of Oregon; J.D., University of Oregon; LL.M., University of Washington

Professional Organizations

Washington State Bar

Background

Kirsten is a lawyer by training and a finance executive by experience. She started her career in the Big Four as an M&A consultant advising technology companies and private equity on large complex transactions in San Francisco, New York, Washington DC and Berlin. She has spent the last decade growing and leading finance functions in the technology industry. Her first love is tax, her passion is nurturing talent and building diverse teams. #taxiscool

Company Profile

Uber Technologies 1515 3rd Street San Francisco, California 94158

Uber's mission is to create opportunity through movement. We started in 2010 to solve a simple problem: how do you get access to a ride at the touch of a button? More than 25 billion trips later, we're building products to get people closer to where they want to be. By changing how people, food, and things move through cities, Uber is a platform that opens up the world to new possibilities.



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Senior Vice President Finance; UiPath

Education

BA Finance and Stock Exchange, Academy of Economic Studies, Bucharest, Romania

Professional Organizations

Fellow ACCA Member; Member of Romanian Chamber of Tax Advisors; Previous Board Member (2017–2019) of American Chamber of Commerce in Romania; Member in American Chamber of Commerce in European Union.

Background

Private accounting and tax experience, more than 20 years of experience in this area. Involved predominantly in corporate tax matters, business model reorganisation and efficient tax structure models. Previous tax partner within PwC Romania, had leadership roles for PwC in Central Eastern Europe for Technology industry. Current responsibilities include global corporate tax, tax modelling, equity taxation and payroll operations.

Company Profile

UiPath

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UiPath is at the forefront of technology innovation and thought leadership in automation, as the provider of an end-to-end platform that can help customers realize the true potential of digital transformation.



Jenna Wei

Tax Director; Upstart Holdings, Inc.

Education

Master of Science in Taxation from Golden Gate University and Bachelor of Arts in Economics from University of California, Berkeley

Professional Organizations

California-licensed CPA and America Institute of Certified Public Accountants

Background

Public accounting and private industry. Current responsibilities include all aspects of corporate tax matters including financial reporting, direct and indirect tax compliance, information reporting, and tax planning.

Company Profile

Upstart Holdings, Inc.

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Upstart Holdings, Inc. and its subsidiaries (Nasdaq: UPST) apply modern data science and technology to the process of originating consumer credit. The Company helps originate credit, including personal and auto loans, by providing lending partners with access to a proprietary, cloudbased, artificial intelligence lending marketplace. As the Company's technology continues to improve and additional lending partners adopt the Upstart platform, consumers benefit from improved access to affordable and frictionless credit.



Trevor Russ

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Education

B.A. Business (Accounting) University of Washington; M.S. Professional Accounting (Taxation) University of Washington

Professional Organizations

Tax Executives Institute, Washington State CPA

Background

Big 4 public accounting and private industry. Currently responsible for global tax at Upwork.

Company Profile

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Upwork operates the world's largest work marketplace that connects businesses with independent talent from across the globe, as measured by gross services volume.



Wayne G. Monfries

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Education

B.S. Business Administration (Accounting), Georgetown University

Professional Organizations

Tax Executives Institute

Background

Public accounting and corporate tax management. Currently responsible for worldwide corporate tax management.

Company Profile

Visa Inc. 900 Metro Center Boulevard Foster City, California 94404-2775

Visa Inc. operates as a payments technology company worldwide. The company facilitates commerce through the transfer of value and information among consumers, merchants, financial institutions, businesses, strategic partners, and government entities. It operates VisaNet, a processing network that enables authorization, clearing, and settlement of payment transactions. In addition, the company offers card products, as well as value-added services. It provides its services under the Visa, Visa Electron, Interlink, V PAY, and PLUS brands. The company was founded in 1958 and is headquartered in San Francisco, California.



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Professional Organizations

Orange County Chapter of the Tax Executive Institute; American Institute of Certified Public Accountants; California Society of CPAs

Background

Two terms at Arthur Andersen in public accounting. Started tax function at Sage Software and am currently on my second term with Western Digital. Current responsibilities include corporate tax across the entire organization both indirect and direct.

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Education

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Professional Organizations

Santa Clara Valley Chapter of the Tax Executive Institute

Background

Public accounting and hi-tech industry. Current responsibilities include Workday's global corporate tax management.

Company Profile

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Workday is a leading provider of enterprise cloud applications for finance and human resources. Founded in 2005, Workday delivers financial management, human capital management, and analytics applications designed for the world's largest companies, educational institutions, and government agencies.



Darin Orr

Vice President, Tax; Yahoo, Inc.

Education

B.A., Accounting – Brigham Young University; MAcc, Accounting - Tax Brigham Young University; C.P.A. California

Background

Business leader and global corporate tax expert at Yahoo with diverse experience across multiple industries and companies. Deep expertise in a variety of tax related matters. Significant Board of Directors (Public Company and Private Equity) involvement. Strong focus on team engagement and development.

Company Profile

Yahoo, Inc.

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Yahoo's media, technology and business platforms connect hundreds of millions of people around the world to the things they love. With apps and sites like Yahoo Sports, Yahoo Finance, Yahoo Fantasy, Yahoo Mail and more and a powerful, open platform that connects brands and publishers to passionate fans, Yahoo is all about putting an exclamation point on what you're into.



Ed Jajeh

Vice President, Tax, Treasury and Real Estate; Yelp Inc.

Education

B.A. and B.S., University of California at Davis; J.D., Catholic University; LL.M., Georgetown University

Professional Organizations

TEI; California Bar

Background

Public Accounting, in-house tax counsel and tax management. Currently responsible for global tax, treasury and real estate matters.

Company Profile

Yelp Inc.

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Thea Handelman

Vice President Tax; Zillow Group, Inc

Education

Yale University, B.A.; University of Oregon School of Law, J.D.; NYU School of Law, L.L.M.

Background

I started my professional career at Curtis, Mallet-Prevost, Colt & Mosle doing domestic and international tax planning. I left in 2010 to join NBCUniversal's Tax Team doing M&A and domestic and cross border tax planning. In 2015, I joined Amazon where I lead international tax planning for the digital and device business lines. In October 2020, I joined Zillow as the Tax VP.

Company Profile Zillow Group, Inc

Zillow, a leading real estate technology company and website, is building an on-demand real-estate experience. Whether selling, buying, renting or financing, Zillow helps customers can get into their next home with speed, certainty and ease.



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Company Profile

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Education

B.A. Economics, University of California, San Diego; M.S. Accountancy (Tax), San Diego State University; C.P.A. California

Professional Organizations

Board of Directors, Tax Executives Institute, Silicon Valley

Background

Public accounting and private industry. Responsibilities include global corporate tax.

Company Profile

Zscaler, Inc

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The evolution of social, mobile, and cloud has created a need for different security requirements and connectivity. Zscaler's purpose-built security platform puts your defenses and controls where the connections occur — the internet — so that every connection is fast and secure, no matter how or where users connect or where their applications reside.