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**Tyler L. Christensen** was recently hired as a full-time urologist at Ogden Clinic. He completed his undergraduate studies at Utah State University and received his medical degree from the University of Utah.

Dewsnup, King and Olsen has named **Edward B. Havas** as its president. Havas, a DKO founding member, focuses his practice on representing victims in negligence, product liability, medical malpractice, mining accidents and other catastrophic injury and wrongful death cases.

Miller and Co. has hired **Sally Aste**, **Richard Rivera** and **Mike Shipler** for its professional-agent team. Aste has been a full-time Realtor for 39 years and has earned the CRS and GRI designations. Shipler has been a full-time Realtor for more than 23 years and Rivera for more than 10 years.

**Ken C. Johnsen** has rejoined the law firm of Parr Brown Gee & Loveless. He is a former Geneva Steel executive and brings extensive corporate and legal experience in the areas of finance, securities, bankruptcy, real estate and general litigation.

Excel Eye Center announced that **Jon B. Gunther** has joined its practice. He specializes in all retinal conditions, including diabetic eye disease and macular degeneration, as well as in general-eye conditions, including cataracts. He is practicing at Excel's Provo and American Fork offices and is accepting new patients.

**Stacy Christopherson** of the North Davis office of Coldwell Banker Residential Brokerage recently completed the special Coldwell Banker Military Market training. Included in the program was instruction on veteran home financing and military housing allowance programs.

IKEA Draper has named **Tony Williams** as the new store manager. He most recently served as a project leader responsible for the multimillion-dollar outfitting and launching of IKEA stores in several states.

Garden Terrace Alzheimer's Center of Excellence has an executive director, **Gary Burraston**. He was administrator for other long-term care facilities, including Life Care Center of Bountiful. He is a Utah native, and earned his bachelor's degree in health-care administration from Weber State University in 1992.

RBC Wealth Management has hired two employees for its Salt Lake City office. **Sam Vetas** is senior vice president-financial consultant, and **Brianne Aune** was hired as senior financial associate. They both came from UBS Financial Services Inc.

Staker Parson Cos. has hired **Gordon Staker** as estimating and sales manager for south construction, which includes all locations south of the Beck Street plant in North Salt Lake. He started with Staker Paving and Construction in 1969 as one of the founders and has held positions in the estimating, sales and marketing departments of the company. Most recently he served as the estimating and sales manager for Utah County.

**Michael O'Brien** has been appointed as one of five members of the newly established Utah Securities Commission. The Securities Commission replaces the Securities Advisory Board and works closely with the Utah Division of Securities to set policy, adopt administrative rules and adjudicate enforcement actions brought by the division. O'Brien is a shareholder with Van Cott, Bagley, Cornwall & McCarthy and co-chairman of the firm's Securities Practice Group.

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