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Vice-President Regulatory Affairs Chartered Professional Accountants Canada

### **Executive and Professional Experience**

### Vice-President, Regulatory Affairs, Chartered Professional Accountants Canada (CPA Canada) 2015 – Present

National in scope, this position reports to CPA Canada's CEO and the CPA profession's Chair of the Public Trust Committee. The role includes being the Secretary and a Member of the CPA profession's Council of Chief Executive's Public Trust Committee and providing staff support to its various standing committees, task forces and working groups comprised of staff and volunteers. The responsibilities of the position include supporting the development of common regulatory structures and processes that are at least as robust as international standards in appropriate areas of regulation for all provincial and territorial CPA bodies and participation on Working Groups of the Government of Canada's Advisory Committee on Money Laundering and Terrorist Financing (ACMLTF).

### CEO and Executive Director, Institute of Chartered Accountants of Nova Scotia (ICANS) 2005 – 2015

This position entailed provincial and national leadership responsibilities for the management and implementation of the strategic direction of the profession with oversight from the Boards of the Provincial Bodies and CPA Canada. It included membership in the CPA profession's Council of Chief Executives and the chairing of national committees.

# KPMG LLP 1983 – 2005

Articled and progressed through the firms' management structure to hold the position of Associate Partner – Private Client Advisory Services. This role included client service with respect to wealth planning and serving as a resource to other offices regarding specialized areas of expertise such as executive compensation.

#### **Education, Recognition and Professional Memberships**

- 1983 Bachelor of Commerce (Cum Laude) Saint Mary's University
- 1985 Chartered Accountancy
- 2007 Fellow Chartered Accountant
- 2015 Doctor of Civil Law, Honoris Causa Saint Mary's University

Memberships include CPA Canada and CPA Nova Scotia