



# FOUNDATION BOARD CANDIDATES

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## Matt Carey



Matt Carey is the U.S. Head of Insurance Solutions at New York Digital Investment Group. Previously, Matt was the co-founder and CEO of Blueprint Income, the digital annuity marketplace, prior to its sale to MassMutual. Prior to founding Blueprint Income, Matt was a policy advisor at the US Treasury Department and an investment banker at Lazard. Matt received an MBA from the Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania and BA from the University of Pennsylvania. He lives in Winston-Salem with his partner, Elise Peters Carey, and their three children.

Matt and Elise are members of the Grogan Society.

## Penn Broyhill, JD



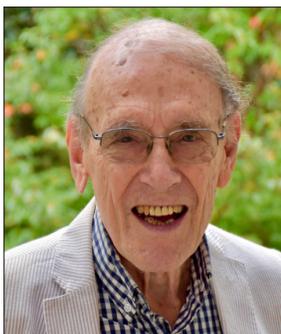
Penn Broyhill serves the State of North Carolina as an assistant district attorney, primarily prosecuting felony drug crimes in Forsyth County.

Upon graduating from Vanderbilt University with a degree in Human and Organizational Development with a focus in Public Policy, he moved back to his hometown of Winston Salem, initially working as a field director for a gubernatorial campaign. He attended Wake Forest School of Law where he led the American Associates for Justice Trial Team and received the Robert Goldberg Award for Trial Advocacy.

He currently lives in Winston Salem with his wife, Natalie. He is a board member of Appalachian State's Hayes School of Music Advisory Board, The Appalachian Summer Music Festival Advisory Board, Green Hills Cemetery in Asheville, NC, and the Children's Law Center of Central NC. He also serves as a middle school lacrosse coach at Summit School.

Penn and Natalie are members of the Grogan Society.

## D. Elwood "Woody" Clinard



Winston-Salem native D. Elwood "Woody" Clinard has spent his life investing his time, money, and creativity to enrich our community. Together with his late wife Helen, Woody became passionate about supporting children, families, and education early on. From 1966 to 1968, he served on the Board of Directors of Family Services. A year later, in 1969, realizing how important the early years of learning were, he and Helen helped to found the Association for the Benefit of Child Development, the forerunner of what is today Imprint Cares.

Over 20 years ago, Woody became involved with Planned Parenthood to help young people become knowledgeable about their own bodies so that they could make informed decisions. In providing this support, he came to understand a deeper problem—some kids could not read. Since then, he has served as a literacy tutor first at Old Town and then at Read Write Spell. Woody is still involved in Planned Parenthood, Imprint Cares, and Family Services along with several other local non-profits: the Hispanic League, Forsyth Education Partnership, Dress for Success, Habitat for Humanity, Senior Services, Children of Vietnam, REACH Conference for Women, Freedom Schools, El Buen Pastor Latino Community Services, American Friends Service Committee, Bread for the World, UNCTV, WFDD, Exceptional Citizens' Week at Camp Fatina, Crop Walk, and Friendship Force of Central North Carolina.

Woody served as honorary chair of the Raising Every Child Capital Campaign. He is a member of the Grogan Society.

## **J.K. Givens**



J.K. Givens is Qorvo's corporate vice president and general counsel serving as secretary to Qorvo's Board of Directors. He is responsible for all corporate legal matters, including legal filings, intellectual property (IP), technology licensing, contracts and litigation activities.

Mr. Givens joined Qorvo in 2020 and has deep experience leading legal teams through complex acquisitions and growth in emerging markets while driving process improvement. He was previously vice president and chief counsel of Colfax Corporation, a leading diversified industrial company providing orthopedic care and fabrication technology products and services, where he was responsible for global M&A matters and served as general counsel to ESAB, one of the world's largest welding companies. Prior to this, Mr. Givens was in private practice at Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom, where he represented corporate and private equity clients, and focused on cross-border M&A and corporate finance matters.

He received his law degree from Harvard University, where he was an editor of the Harvard Law Review, and his bachelor's degree from Yale University.

J.K. and Ashley are members of the Grogan Society.

## **Obi Ikwechegh, MD**



Dr. Ikwechegh is a diplomate of the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology as well as the American Board of Preventive Medicine (Addiction Medicine).

Mental wellness is essential to our overall health, this is why Dr. Obi is motivated to seek synergies between proven pharmacotherapy, self-driven monitoring of social/biological rhythms and tailored psychotherapies. He works to validate the import of mental health diagnoses while actively collaborating with patients to reinforce their own strengths towards a

full life. As part of a patient-centric team, he is aligned with the vision of Kairos Medical Consulting whose main objective is to uphold the model of care that recognizes that you are more than your diagnoses. That is why he believes in offering the opportunity for collaboration at every step of your treatment journey with an impeccable team that is dedicated to your success. Kairos Medical believes that the clients voice is very important and every decision begins and ends with the client.

Dr. Obi is a member of the Grogan Society.

## Vivián Joiner and Stephanie Tyson



Vivián and Stephanie are the owners, chef and hostess of Sweet Potatoes restaurant where they serve southern-inspired uptown, down-home cooking.

### Vivián Joiner

Vivián has a strong background in guest relations, spending more than twenty combined years in retail and restaurant service. Her genuine care and concern for people helped to strengthen her eye for detail allowing her to function well in many aspects of guest service. Vivián has managed restaurants from fast food, independent, casual to extremely high volume all helping add to her success in the industry.

### Chef Stephanie Tyson

Stephanie is a creative chef who has turned growing up in the South into the soul of her restaurant, Sweet Potatoes.

Born in North Carolina, Chef Tyson spent countless hours dreaming of leaving for the bright lights of anywhere else. But once she left to travel and cook around the world, she could not believe what a relief it was to come home again. Trained in culinary arts at Baltimore International College, Chef Tyson and Vivian opened their award-winning restaurant in 2003 in the downtown Arts District of Winston-Salem, where they live.

Chef Tyson has written two cookbooks. One titled Well, Shut My Mouth. Reviewed by the late Dr. Maya Angelou who said, "everything about this book is correct except the title. Anyone with a taste bud in their mouth should follow these recipes and open their mouth."

## Nick Gonzalez



Nick Gonzalez is a Partner and Team Leader at Linville Team Partners, a commercial real estate firm. He joined the team in 2014, with a core focus on investment property sales, working with investor & institutional clients in both acquisition & disposition of real property & businesses.

Nick has extensive experience in property investing, renovation, management, & sales, allowing him to provide his clients with tailored strategies to meet their goals. Nick is a firm believer in relationships,

not accounts and that a team-based mentality often yields the best results. As a partner, Nick oversees the brokerage consisting of 18 staff and brokers. Additionally, Nick is the team leader to three real estate professionals focused on delivering top-notch results. His core focus is on investment property sales, working with investor and institutional clients in both acquisition and disposition of real property and businesses.

Nick has experience and background in property investing, renovation, management and sales which helps provide his clients with tailored strategies to achieve their goals. Nick has a talent for finding off-market investment opportunities and has extensive experience in 1031 Exchanges as well as other real estate tax-planning strategies. He graduated from UNCSA with a BFA.

## **Julie Johnson, JD, CAP®**



Julie Johnson is a Senior Vice President and manager of the Philanthropic Solutions Team within Wells Fargo Wealth & Investment Management. She is privileged to lead a specialized national team within Philanthropic Services that provides strategy, education, and support to Philanthropic Specialists across the country who work directly with individuals, families and non-profit institutions to define and achieve their philanthropic goals. She is a national philanthropic business leader with over 21 years of experience in Wealth Management and Fiduciary Services, holds her Chartered Advisor in Philanthropy (CAP®) designation from the American College of Financial Services and is a 21/64 Certified Philanthropic Advisor.

She is active in her community as an advocate for children as a volunteer North Carolina Guardian Ad Litem and serves on the Research, Education & Advocacy Committee of the Women's Fund for the Winston-Salem Foundation.

Julie and her spouse are members of the Grogan Society.

## **Ernest Logemann, CPA — TREASURER**



Ernest V. Logemann has been certified public accountant with Gray, Callison Jones, CPA PA (formerly Gray, Callison Co., PA) for over 38 years. Prior to his accounting career, he was teacher for 12 years with the Winston-Salem Forsyth County School system at Atkins High School. He holds memberships in the American Institute of CPAs and the NC Association of CPAs. As an advocate of community involvement, he has served on the Forsyth County Tanglewood Park Board and the Winston-Salem Parks and Recreation Commission. Currently, he serves as Treasurer of Forsyth Services, Inc.'s Board of Directors. He graduated from East Carolina University and contributes to his alma as member of the Pirate Club and has served as chairman of the East Carolina Alumni Association Board of Directors (currently an emeritus board member). His accounting coursework was obtained from UNC Greensboro. During

the children's public school career, he was active in various school PTAs and was President of the Reynolds High School Booster Club. Ernest and his spouse, Martha, are the parents of two daughters (Katherine and Anna) and grandparents of Margaret Olivia Ogletree.

Ernest and his wife are members of the Grogan Society.

## **Teneshia Miller**



Teneshia Miller currently serves as Senior Customer Support Representative for Gryphon House, Inc., a publisher of early childhood books and resources located in Lewisville, NC.

Closely involved with the world of early childhood education, she has held previous roles as a preschool teacher and worked in various positions at Kaplan Early Learning Company from Customer Support to Curriculum, Assessment, and Professional Learning. A member of Kaplan's inaugural Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee, she is the acting chair of its Training and Development subcommittee dedicated to creating equitable opportunities for personal and professional growth for all employees at Kaplan. She resides in Winston-Salem with her partner of 25 years and their daughter.

## **Virginia Pleasants, JD — SECRETARY**



Born and raised in Winston-Salem, Virginia Pleasants is a business law and estate planning attorney in the Forrest Firm's Winston-Salem office. Virginia earned both her Business Administration degree and law degree from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. She currently serves on the Board of the Westlawn School and has previously served on the Winston-Salem Foundation Women's Fund grant review committee.

Virginia is a member of the Grogan Society.

## **Peggy Reingold — VICE CHAIR**



Peggy Reingold is the former Community Relations Consultant for Wells Fargo, serving the Triad and Western North Carolina. She has been active on many local community boards, including the Arts Council of Winston-Salem and Forsyth County, Kate B. Reynolds Charitable Trust, United Way, Family Services, RiverRun International Film Festival, Children's Law Center and Fellowship Home. She previously served as board chair of the Arts Council of Winston-Salem and Forsyth County and the RiverRun International Film Festival.

Peggy was co chair of the Family Services Raising Every Child Capital Campaign (2017-2019) along with her husband, Bill. They are members of the Grogan Society.

## Anne Rainey Rokhar — CHAIR



Anne returned to her hometown of Winston-Salem, NC from Dubai in 2008. In 2009 she purchased The Snob Shop, a high-end consignment shop where she worked as a girl of 12. In 2014 Anne brought to fruition a longtime vision and passion and founded Trouvaille Home, an interior design firm and home furnishings store in Winston-Salem, NC.

After graduating from Randolph-Macon's Woman's College in Virginia, Anne landed in NYC and began her career as a film and commercial producer in North America, Europe and the Middle East. Her documentaries and features have premiered and been nominated for awards at the Cannes, Tribeca and Dubai International Film Festivals. Anne relocated to Dubai 2006-08 as Head of Production for film company, Desert Door Productions. While in Dubai, Anne was voted one of Ahlan Magazine's "100 Most Influential People in Dubai." Anne was also Agency Director of NYC Fashion and Beauty PR firm RED PR from 2002-2006 and named a top 25 Publicist by Women's Wear Daily.

Anne is proud to serve as the current President of UNCSA Board of Visitors, the current Chair of Family Services Domestic Violence Awareness Month and as former Chair of the Forsyth Humane Society Annual Gala. She is involved with many other Arts and Humanitarian advocacy groups.

Anne is a member of the Grogan Society.

## Christy Cox Spencer



Christy Cox Spencer began her career with JKS Incorporated in 1989. From working in the customer experience, accounting, and signage production departments to eventually becoming vice president in 2002, she has gained experience in every aspect of the business over the past 32 years. As vice president, she pushed the company to embrace new technologies, set policy standards, created cohesion between departments, and spearheaded company rebranding initiatives while also establishing herself as a respected team member.

In 2019, Christy became the majority owner of the business and took over as president of the company. As part of her new executive structure, she moved the corporate offices back to downtown Winston-Salem and is focused on B2B opportunities that foster community involvement and growth.

Widely known in her community for her enthusiasm, passion for people, and marketing expertise, Christy is proud to call Winston-Salem, North Carolina home.

Christy is a member of the Grogan Society.