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Stribling & Associates recently announced that company controller **Lisa Crane Wacks** will direct all



accounting activities for Stribling & Associates and Stribling Marketing Associates. Wacks, who has been with Stribling &

Associates as controller for three years, succeeds **Robert Blau** with these responsibilities; he is retiring after 17 years as Chief Financial Officer with the company.

"Lisa is a proven and distinguished professional with a wealth of experience to provide our company with continuing expertise for our internal financial and accounting services. We are grateful to Bob Blau for his many years of valuable service and his professional guidance, which has contributed greatly to the growth of Stribling & Associates over the past several decades," said **Elizabeth F. Stribling**, president of Stribling &

Associates.

Wacks has more than 15 years of professional accounting experience within various industry specializations. Prior to joining Stribling & Associates, Wacks served in supervisory and managerial roles throughout the majority of her career, advising public accounting firms in both New York and Florida. She previously served as accounting supervisor in three major accounting firms, where she directed external and internal audit planning, maintained budgets, prepared fieldwork and developed audit reports.

She holds a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from the **University of Florida** and a Master of Science in Taxation from **Florida International University**. She also served as President of the New York and South Florida local chapters of the **American Woman's Society of CPAs** from both 2001 and 2002 fiscal years, and is a member of the **New York State Society of CPAs** and the **Florida Institute of Certified Public Accountants**.