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Scottsdale Area Chamber of Commerce Proudly Appoints Three New Members to Rising Young Professionals Board of Directors

(Scottsdale, AZ – July 22, 2024) - The Scottsdale Area Chamber of Commerce proudly announces its FY2024/2025 SRYP Board of Directors. This diverse and dynamic group is poised to continue SRYP's mission of leadership, advocacy, and community engagement.

SRYP, a program of the Scottsdale Chamber, is for Valley professionals aged 23-39 working to build and strengthen the link between the young professional demographic and the business leaders of Scottsdale, cultivating a community for everyone. The SRYP Board educates, elevates, and enhances Scottsdale's young professionals by providing a network where like-minded individuals can come together to support their career aspirations and the community.

"Each new Board member brings unique skills and innovative ideas that will enhance and expand our program," says Aaron Howard, SRYP's new Board Chair. "We are excited to welcome strong new individuals to the Board who are eager to step into their new roles leading the group."

Newly Appointed Executive Committee Members:

- Aaron Howard, Owner of <u>Howard Wealth Advisors</u>. Aaron will assume the role of Chair of the Board. Aaron is a graduate of Scottsdale Leadership class 38, and was a volunteer with Special Olympics Programs in Grand Junction, Colorado.
- Sarah Dalton, Administrative Fellow at <u>HonorHealth</u>. Sarah will assume the role of Vice Chair of the Board. Sarah is the owner of SJD Clayworks & Bern Dog Bowls, and works with Arizona Healthcare Executives, the Junior League community programs, Desert Mission Food Bank, HonorHealth Medical Explorers program, and Local First Arizona.
- **Reagan Wolfe**, Property Administrative Associate with <u>SimonCRE</u>. Reagan will assume the role of Secretary. Reagan coordinated SRYP's Jeopardy Night Mixer at the Civic Center Library, and volunteered at Parada Del Sol and the SRYP Police Day.

Returning Executive Officer:

Courtney Crubaugh, Director of Human Resources Strategy, Mayo Clinic

New Board Members:

- Phil Meyers, Entrepreneur
- Jake Nance, Financial Planner, Edward Jones
- Stephanie Viboch, Recruiting Manager, <u>Blue Signal Search</u>

The Board assumed their positions the first week of July, ready to serve the current and future members of SRYP. One of the group's highlighted goals for this year is to collaborate with other young professional groups around the Valley, creating overlapping networks and encouraging broader involvement for everyone. SRYP has had great success growing the program, more than doubling their membership since 2022/2023.



Mark Stanton, CEO and President of the Scottsdale Area Chamber of Commerce, commented, "The Scottsdale Chamber is proud to welcome the newest members of our Scottsdale Rising Young Professionals Board. Their leadership will steer us towards continued growth and ensure maximum benefit for all stakeholders."

For a complete listing of SRYP's Board of Directors, and more information about the program, CLICK HERE.

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About the Scottsdale Area Chamber of Commerce

The Scottsdale Area Chamber of Commerce is the largest business organization in Scottsdale providing advocacy, education, networking, leadership development and exposure opportunities to our member businesses. The Chamber actively works to maintain Scottsdale's high quality of life and create an environment where business innovation, excellence and entrepreneurship can thrive. Serving ALL of Scottsdale since 1947. For more information or to learn how to become a member visit <u>scottsdalechamber.com</u> or call 480.355.2700.

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