



## North Carolina State Board of Certified Public Accountant Examiners

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### NC CPA BOARD ELECTS 2012-2013 OFFICERS

**Raleigh, NC** – On March 21, 2012, the members of the North Carolina State Board of Certified Public Accountant (CPA) Examiners elected officers for 2012-2013. In a unanimous vote, Jose R. Rodriguez, CPA, was re-elected President; Wm. Hunter Cook, CPA, was re-elected Vice President; and Maria T. Lynch, Esq., was re-elected Secretary-Treasurer.

Rodriguez, who was recently re-appointed to the Board by Governor Perdue, is a member of the Executive Committee, the Audit Committee, and the Communications Committee. He is a past member of the Professional Standards Committee and the Professional Education & Application Committee. A member of the NCACPA and AICPA, Rodriguez is a partner with KPMG LLP and is a member of the KPMG LLP Board of Directors.

A member of the Board since 2009, Cook is a member of the Executive Committee and the Professional Standards Committee. A member and past Chair of the NCACPA, he is also a member of the AICPA. Cook is an audit partner with Dixon Hughes Goodman LLP and is Partner-in-Charge of the firm's Manufacturing, Distribution, and Services Group.

One of two public members of the Board, Lynch was appointed to the Board in 2007 and reappointed in 2010. She is a member of the Executive Committee, Chair of the Professional Education and Applications Committee and Chair of the Personnel Committee. Lynch is a partner in the Raleigh law firm, Lynch & Eatman LLP.

*Established by Chapter 93 of the North Carolina General Statutes, the North Carolina State Board of Certified Public Accountant Examiners is an occupational licensing board that grants certificates of qualification as certified public accountants (CPAs) to those individuals who meet the legal requirements. The Board also adopts and enforces the rules of professional ethics and conduct to be observed by CPAs in this State. There are more than 19,000 active North Carolina CPAs.*

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