September 4, 2018
Alex Lintner
Group President
Experian

Alex Lintner is the president of Experian’s Consumer Information Services. Experian is a global leader in providing analytical tools, information, and marketing services to organizations and consumers to help them manage the risk and reward of financial decisions, generating over $4.3B in revenue and $1.2B in EBIT.

Alex is responsible for overseeing Experian’s U.S. consumer credit bureau and the company’s National Consumer Assistance Center. His leadership will advance the company’s efforts to build a stronger connection to consumer data and direct-to-consumer initiatives, focusing on empowering the consumer through credit and financial education and financial education.

Alex is a University of Tulsa alum and received his undergrad business degree from the in 1984. He received his MBA from Boston College.

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October 17, 2018
Colleen Taylor
Executive Vice President
MasterCard

Colleen Taylor is Executive Vice President, New Payments, at Mastercard. In this role, Colleen is responsible for driving volume growth from B2B, Government and new economy (P2P, C2B, B2C, BlockChain, etc.) sources. Colleen joined Mastercard from Capital One, where she most recently served as head of Treasury Management and Enterprise Payments. She was also the Market President for Brooklyn & Queens. Colleen has had a successful career in finance with various positions at Wachovia Bank/Wells Fargo and J.P. Morgan in the US and the UK.

Colleen is a Spelman College graduate and received her MBA from The Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania. Colleen chairs the Samaritan Village Daytop Foundation Board, serves on the board of Year-Up New York and is a trustee of Spelman College, her alma mater.

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President & CEO
Matrix Service Company
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Dana Weber
President & CEO
Webco Industries
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Steve Berberich
President & CEO
California ISO
April 23, 2019

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May, 2019
Thanks to the amazing support of FOF members and friends, we raised $73,290 from 86 donors. On behalf of all future students who will benefit from scholarships and an improved School of Finance, Operations Management, and International Business as a result of your giving, Thank you!

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Internships and Mentoring

Your support of the Finance department through contributions to the Finance Excellence Fund is very much appreciated. It helps build the endowment for future scholarships for finance students and supports the resources our finance students and faculty need to succeed in their classes and careers.

Another way to support the finance students is through internships and mentoring. While our students receive a world-class education at the University of Tulsa, adding experience to the education helps develop these students by putting into practice what they have learned, and gaining the guidance and experience of area professionals as they begin and continue to advance in their careers.

If you have an internship opportunity for a finance student, whether it is a summer internship or one that occurs during the academic year, please contact Ryan Flugum (Ryan-Flugum@utulsa.edu, 918-631-2956) in the School of Finance and he will be happy to help find the right student for your internship.

In addition, another way to have a substantial impact on a student is to serve as a mentor to a student as they complete their education and begin their career. Providing career advice, discussing next steps, letting students know about your experiences and successes provides a real connection to students that will help them advance now and in the future. Please consider mentoring a student.

New Finance/OM Faculty

This fall, two new tenure track faculty members, Meagan McCollum and Kazim Topuz, joined the School.

Meagan McCollum earned her PhD in Finance from Louisiana State University and her MS in Finance, with a concentration in Real Estate from the University of Alabama.

Prior to TU, she was an assistant professor of real estate at Baruch College, City University of New York. Her teaching will be focused on financial markets and institutions. Her real estate interests include real estate finance, household finance, and financial intermediation. She has published her work in journals including Journal of Banking and Finance, Applied Economic Letters, and Resource and Energy Economics.

Kazim Topuz is an Assistant Professor of Operations Management and Business Analytics. He has been investigating how data analytical methods, probabilistic graphical models, operations research, statistics and simulation can be effectively integrated into healthcare and aviation in order for managers and practitioners to make reliable, data-informed and cost-effective decisions.

Prior to joining TU, he taught at the Division of Management Information Systems in the Price College of Business at the University of Oklahoma, and worked for the Center for Health Systems Innovation at Oklahoma State University as a Research Fellow. In addition to his doctorate in philosophy from the Wichita State University, Dr. Topuz holds masters’ degrees in Information Systems Engineering from Lehigh University, and Industrial and Systems Engineering from Rutgers University.

Welcome to both Meagan and Kazim.
**Membership Event**

Please mark your calendars for the first Friends of Finance social event of the 2018-2019 year! On Monday, September 24th at 5:30 p.m., we will be touring H. A. Chapman stadium on The University of Tulsa’s campus.

We will have the opportunity to hear from members of the athletic department and football coaching staff about the upcoming season.

Appetizers and refreshments will be provided.

This event is open to all current members as well as those interested in getting involved with Friends of Finance.

RSVP’s are required and may be made by email judy-adair@utulsa.edu or 918-631-2588.

**Leadership**

Our Friends of Finance officers and directors for 2018-2019 are:

**Officers**
- President: Kala Sharp, ONEOK
- VP Programs: Roberta Preston, Girl Scouts of Eastern Oklahoma
- Treasurer: Phil Reedy
- Secretary: Jeff Husen, ONE Gas
- FEF Chair: Andrew Ziola, ONEOK
- Membership: Curtis French, Phillips66

**Directors**
- Bruce Currie, MidFirst Bank
- Ryan Flugum, University of Tulsa
- Marc Maun, BOK Financial
- Mike Neal, Tulsa Regional Chamber
- Greg Oliphant, Ceja Corporation
- Mike Osborne, Ernst & Young
- Lane Wilson, Williams
- Larry Wofford, University of Tulsa

**Membership**

Last year we had membership of 327. This year our membership goal is 400. Membership fees support all of the expenses associated with Friends of Finance. To renew your membership or join, go to [Membership Application](#). Encourage your friends and colleagues to do the same. Friends of Finance is the largest and strongest finance group in Oklahoma and the Southwest.

**Fees**

**Fees for the 2018-2019 year**
- $250 (Membership + all remaining luncheon fees)
- $75 (Tulsa area members - membership fee only)
- $10 (out-of-area members - outside 50 mile radius of Tulsa)
- $10 (current TU full-time student or TU graduate within the last year)
- $525 (Membership plus all remaining luncheon fees for yourself and one guest)
- $2,500 One reserved table (8 seats) at each luncheon

**Shuttle Service**

918 Shuttle Service will provide shuttle service from the parking lots along Gary Place to the Allen Chapman Student Center between 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. See [University of Tulsa Parking Map](#) for a campus parking map. Please let us know if you have questions.
Membership

Members to date are listed below (150).

Judy Adair  Jim Dilley  Joe Kidwell  Brad Rollins
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Andrew Aguirre  Ken Dornblaser  Jack Koehle  Robert Sartin
Barbara Allen  David Eastin  Andrew Lackey  Alex Schneider
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John Anderson  David Enke  Caron Lawhorn  Jana Shoulders
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Keith Bailey  Tally Ferguson  Sandy Leeds  Mark Smith
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Wen Chiang  Greg Hopeman  John Patterson  Doug Vincent
Mike Clark  Michael Hopper  Roberta Preston  Robert Wagner
Bria Colgan  Tracy Howell  Don Quint  Lindy Whorton
Jim Colgan  Jennifer Hua  Melissa Radford  Steve Wilkerson
Brice Collier  Rick Huck  Britt Radford  Scot Williams
Kevin Cooper  Allen Humbolt  Joe Ragsdale  Chris Wilson
Trey Cooper  Jeff Husen  Lisa Rambo  Paul Wilson
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Bruce Currie  Robert James  Frank Robson  Andrew Ziola
Patrick Curth  Jake Johnson  Harvie Roe  Barry Woods
Harry Dandelles  Cole Kidwell  Mike Rogers  Andrew Ziola
Executive Luncheon Sponsors

If your firm would like to gain some additional recognition and support FOF, it is now possible to be designated as a Friends of Finance Executive Luncheon Sponsor. A Luncheon Sponsor receives recognition in our newsletter, recognition at the meeting on PowerPoint slides prior to the meeting, recognition from the podium, and a table for eight at one luncheon with preferential seating. At least one member of the sponsoring firm will be seated at the Head Table with the speaker. The Luncheon Sponsorship is for one meeting. The cost to sponsor the luncheon is $2,500. Contact Judy Adair, (judy-adair@utulsa.edu or 918-631-2588) if you are interested in being a Luncheon Sponsor.

Take-A-Student to Lunch

One goal of Friends of Finance is to assist our students. Assistance may be in the form of employment advice, employment opportunities, and mentoring. In support of this, members and their firms may participate through our Take-A-Student to lunch program. Just contact Judy Adair at 631-2588 or judy-adair@utulsa.edu and tell her how many students you would like to host. She will arrange for the student(s) to meet you at the registration desk for the luncheon. Please ask for the student(s) when you check in.

Affiliate Programs

Tulsa’s Young Professionals

Giving Tulsa’s Young Professionals a voice. A voice in our community. A voice in the business community and ultimately, a voice in our future.

Tulsa's Young Professionals is a quality group of diverse young professionals working together to showcase Tulsa as a cool place to live, work and play. TYPros provides its members with opportunities to get in front of and build relationships with local community and business leaders.

Not only does TYPros give young professionals a voice - it gives them an outlet for affecting change in the Tulsa community. TYPros seeks to work hand-in-hand with current community and business leaders to learn from their experiences and to create a young professional-friendly atmosphere.

For more information, go to: http://www.typros.org/

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NAIC Contact: contact@tulsa.betterinvesting.net
Corporate Sponsors

A Corporate Sponsorship provides a table for eight at each luncheon with preferential seating; recognition in each newsletter; recognition at each meeting on PowerPoint slides prior to the start of each luncheon, a listing on a display board at each luncheon, and recognition from the podium at a number of the luncheons.

To ensure that individual members have adequate seating the Board has limited the number of Corporate Sponsors to fifteen. If you are interested in having your company participate, contact Judy Adair at 918-631-2588 or judy-adair@utulsa.edu for details. Corporate Sponsors for this year are: