

# AMPLIFY

Annual Review 2017



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The theme of the 2017 Annual Review is “Amplify”. To be effective, amplification requires that a message be delivered and heard by another so that they can in turn further the message to others. It is not necessary to be overbearing or loud to be heard. This wave of influence can only be transferred when information is shared from a place of trust, credibility, integrity, and authenticity. Our TAG Alliances community is built on the foundation of these key characteristics, and as such, we have a huge voice in the global community. Individually we are able to further our capabilities as an alliance, but together we are a massive force. This Annual Review is one such vehicle for amplifying the global message of the TAG Alliances.

Just as casting a stone onto the water’s surface forms a series of ripples that radiate outward, our actions, intentions and purpose as an organization cause a similar impact throughout the world. The ripple effect is so much greater than the original impact formed by the single stone. One small action can lead to incredible results. The metaphor of water is particularly compelling in symbolizing amplification, as it is organic and fluid yet also a dynamic force: water can be refreshing and revitalizing; it can be thirst quenching; it cuts steel at high pressures; and it can sculpt mountains in geologic time.

At TAG Alliances, we have taken on the goal of amplifying the strengths and prominence of our members and strategic partners, to each other as well as to industry, trade organizations, businesses, individuals, and other professional service providers. We aim to facilitate relationships, connections, collaborations, and work engagements throughout the world.

Our intention with this year’s Annual Review is to amplify the accomplishments of our alliance. We had tremendous success this year in recruiting a number of prominent new members. We are excited to see the high level of engagement from these new members and how well they have integrated within our community. As well, we have experienced an unprecedented level of creative and innovative projects between our members, and most impressively, a significant increase in the workflow between our lawyers and accountants. As an alliance, we continue to drive work to our members from international organizations and multinational companies. Overwhelmingly, these organizations have been very impressed with the international capabilities and quality of our member firms that they have engaged to handle international matters. These organizations view our members as a significant competitive alternative to the Big Four and international law firms.

We have been a full-service multidisciplinary alliance since 2003. As many new organizations embark on developing a multidisciplinary approach, we take pride in acknowledging that we have already created a mature, robust, diverse, and dynamic multidisciplinary community. We continue to be recognized by independent and reputable ranking services as an elite organization and one of the top multidisciplinary alliances in the world.

As a community, we challenge each and every one of our members to continue sharing, on a daily basis, the talents, successes and expertise of our global members to those around them. Our common goal is to inform businesses and individuals around the world that the TAG Alliances is their premier resource for international professional support. We continue to transform the way people obtain professional international services.



**Richard Attisha**  
President & CEO



**Melisa Attisha**  
Executive Vice President

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# The Year in Review

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**"ELITE"  
RANKED**

Legal  
Network/Alliance

*by Chambers Global*

**THIRD  
RANKED**

Accounting Alliance  
in the World

*by Accountancy Age*



**NEW MEMBERS**

**10**



**6**



**4**



**20**

New TAG Alliances  
Members

**+5.3%**

Overall Member Revenue Growth

**\$15,000+**

Charitable Funds  
Disbursed



**3**

Charitable Causes



**50+**

TAG Foundation Donors



**450+**

International Conference  
Attendees & Guests



**7**

Regional &  
Industry  
Meetings

**1**

Managing  
Partner  
Summit



**32**

New Member Selfies



## TAG Alliances' Global Reach



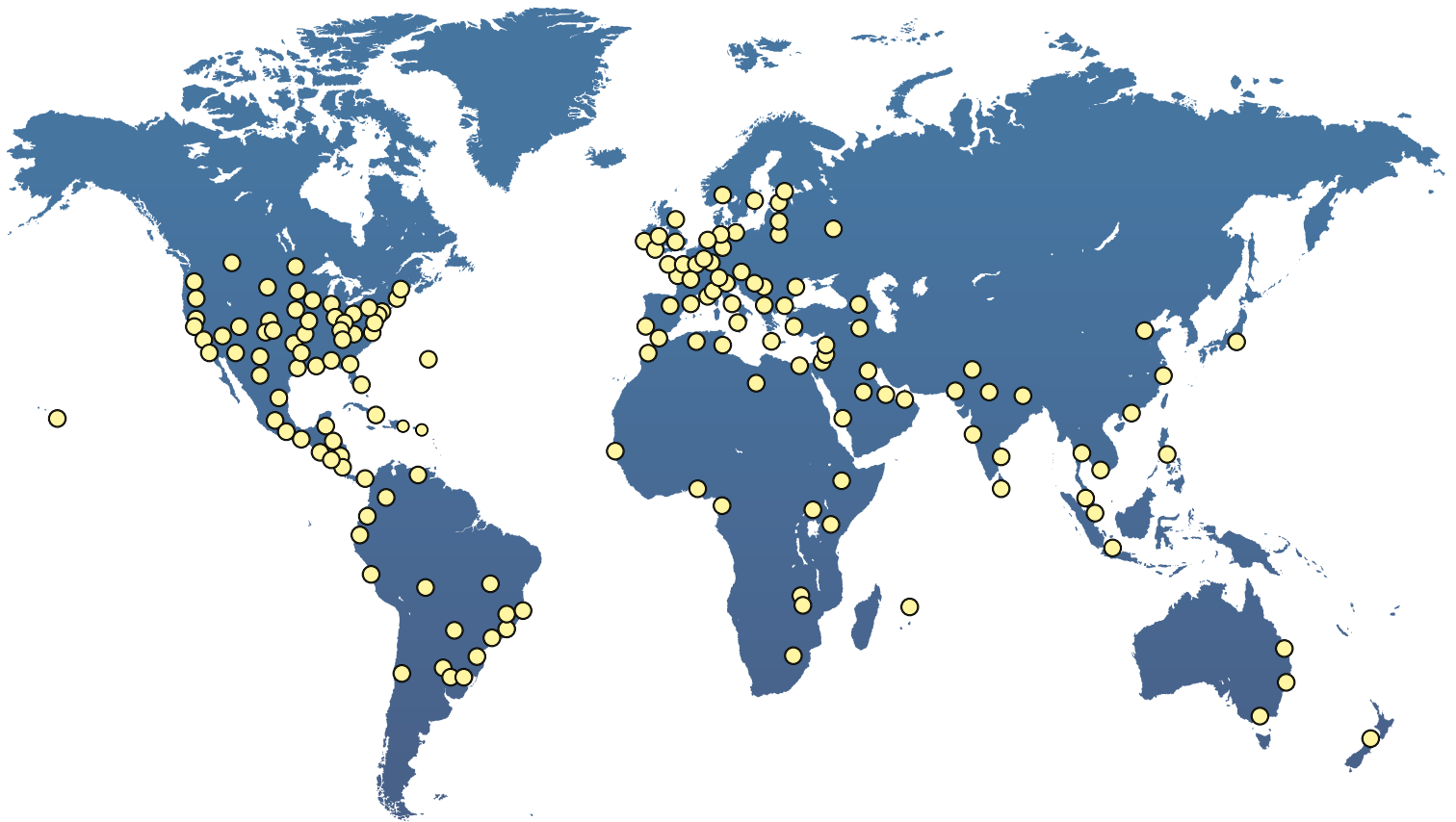
105+  
Countries



280+ / 650+  
Members / Offices



16,000+  
Professionals



TAGLaw Current Totals		
Countries: 96		
Total Firms: 160		
Total Offices: 395		
Region	Lawyers	Firms
Asia Pacific	1,481	20
Europe	2,483	50
Latin America	650	21
Middle East/Africa	515	18
North America	4,552	51
<b>Totals</b>	<b>9,681</b>	<b>160</b>

TIAG Current Totals		
Countries: 68		
Total Firms: 116		
Total Offices: 234		
Region	Employees	Firms
Asia Pacific	1,101	19
Europe	2,044	38
Latin America	784	23
Middle East/Africa	414	16
North America	2,480	20
<b>Totals</b>	<b>6,823</b>	<b>116</b>

TAG Alliances Combined Totals	
Countries: 106	
Total Members: 286	
Total Offices: 680	
Region	Members
Asia Pacific	39
Europe	94
Latin America	45
Middle East/Africa	34
North America	74
<b>Total Members</b>	<b>286</b>

TAG-SP data is included in TAG Alliances totals.

# Success Stories

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## *“Extraordinary Benefits to Our Firm”*

“Recently, we received a referral from Cornick Garber & Sandler in New York City (TIAG). We were able to deliver great service to the client and earn their trust which then led to the opportunity of referring the client to our local TAGLaw member in London, Boodle Hatfield. One referral yielded: extraordinary benefits to our firm, Cornick being able to service their client’s international needs, and the opportunity to strengthen our own local relationships.”

Lisa Spearman  
Mercer & Hole (London, England - TIAG)



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Cornick Garber Sandler  
Certified Public Accountants & Advisors

**Boodle  
Hatfield.**

## *“Knowledge Sharing...A Powerful Benefit”*

“At a recent TAG Alliances conference, I was able to discuss various practice management techniques with Kurt Baker of ESV in Sydney, Australia (TIAG)—a tremendous leader of his firm. We have started implementing some of these strategies and ideas at our own firm and they are already working well. This type of knowledge sharing is a powerful benefit of membership in TIAG and TAG Alliances.”

Basil Bielich  
Browne Craine and Co. (Isle of Man - TIAG)



BC  
Browne Craine & Co

ESV  
ACCOUNTING AND  
BUSINESS ADVISORS

## *Help in China*

“I was recently able to reach out to Steven Yu of Hiways Law Firm in Shanghai, China (TAGLaw) who assisted our client in locating governmental filings in China that were required in order for our client to complete their audit.”

Paul Tauber  
Coblentz Patch Duffy & Bass LLP (San Francisco, CA, USA – TAGLaw)



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Patch Duffy  
& Bass LLP

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LAW FIRM  
海华永泰律师事务所



## *“International Feel, Stretch and Range...”*

“Our firm, Portman International, has been a TIAG member for more than 10 years. Membership in TIAG and TAG Alliances gives us the international feel, stretch, and range to serve our client’s international needs.”

David Marinelli  
Portman International (Malta - TIAG)



## *“New Connections with Many More to Come.”*

“As new TIAG Members, we attended our first TAG Alliances International Conference in Quebec City. There, we were able to meet with so many great TIAG firms from around the world to explore opportunities to serve our clients. Specifically, we needed advice for a transaction in Ireland and met with John O’Connell of HSOC. We also talked with Robert Fortier of Mallette in Quebec to arrange a Francophone secondment for our firm. Participation in this conference, and membership in TIAG, has led to a number of new connections with many more to come.”

Gord Cummings & Chris Clifford  
D&H Group (British Columbia, Canada - TIAG)



## *“TAGLaw is Really Working.”*

“Jacintha Pillay of Sim Mong Teck in Singapore has been very helpful and patient as I work with a client who is exploring a new business in Singapore. TAGLaw is really working.”

Eric C. Marshall  
Eaton Peabody (Maine, USA - TAGLaw)



## *“We Worked Closely Together...”*

“We acted on behalf of an Indian corporation involved in an arbitration subject to New York law with London as the seat of the arbitration. We contacted Barry Werbin at Herrick who was able to advise on the New York law. During this matter, we worked closely together to advise the client on a strategy which, in the end, was very effective and the case settled on good terms.”

Jill Bainbridge  
Blake Morgan LLP (Southampton, England - TAGLaw)



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MORGAN

 HERRICK

## *“Successfully Resolved the Case”*

“We recently concluded a litigation matter referred to our firm by Berger Singerman (Florida, USA - TAGLaw). The case involved some significant employment / independent contractor issues. We represented the client in both a state administrative case and in a lawsuit. The client was able to successfully resolve the case. Ultimately, we were able to assist the client to receive insurance reimbursement for the cost of the litigation and other costs related to the case.”

Larry Drapkin  
Mitchell Silberberg & Knupp LLP (Los Angeles, California, USA - TAGLaw)



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SINGERMAN

## *1 Referral... 7 Figures... 15 years of Membership*

“A single TAGLaw referral resulted in a matter that generated a seven-figure fee for our firm—thus paying for our entire 15-year membership several times over.”

William Hardin  
Osborn Maledon, P.A. (Arizona, USA - TAGLaw)



OSBORN  
MALEDON

## *“Their Client is Now Our Client”*

“Wendy On of Fineman West (Los Angeles, California, USA - TIAG) had a client that started doing business in the Netherlands. The client was in contact with one of the Big Four firms, but Wendy suggested that they should contact our firm to see if we could assist them. Their client is now our client.”

Barry Nijkamp  
KRC Van Eldereren (Zwolle, Netherlands - TIAG)



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## *“This is Why We are Members of TIAG.”*

“Our firm had an international client with an urgent need for clarification on a matter concerning German Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP). I contacted SGP Schneider Geiwitz (Neu-Ulm, Germany - TIAG) who quickly responded. A time was arranged for direct communication with my client who received the guidance that they needed. This is exactly why we are members of TIAG.”

Brett Neate  
Zinner & Co. LLP (Ohio, USA - TIAG)



## *“Ready Access to a Reliable and Reputable Firm”*

“Our TAGLaw member in India, Kochhar & Co, helped us answer a point of Indian law that arose in the course of litigation. We were grateful to have ready access to a reliable and reputable firm.”

Kevin Koons  
Kroger, Gardis and Regas, LLP (Indianapolis, Indiana, USA - TAGLAW)





## *“The Many Benefits of Membership”*

“In January, a U.S. TAGLaw Member contacted us to see if we would be interested in representing one of their long-standing clients because their firm had a conflict which prevented their representation. We interviewed with the client and through the recommendation of the member, we were hired by the client. The matter continues. This is a great example of the many benefits of membership in TAGLaw and TAG Alliances.”

Greg Noschese  
Munsch Hardt (Texas, USA - TAGLaw)



MUNSCH  
HARDT

## *TIAG Members Create International Secondment Program*

Studio Rock (Milan, Italy) and Mercer & Hole (London, England) started a new collaboration this year: a “Professional” Exchange Program for their associates. Luca Viel, Senior Associate at Studio Rock was the first to pursue this opportunity, spending 8 months this year at Mercer & Hole’s offices in London.

*“The first attempt of this new collaboration was absolutely positive. It really helped both firms with the relationship with our London-based, Italian clients and it represents a nice growth opportunity for our associates.”*

Fedele Gubitosi; Studio Rock (Milan, Italy)

*“We have been delighted to have had this opportunity. Luca became a popular and useful member of the team and has helped create a really close working relationship between our firms that we can build on in the future.”*

Paul Maberly; Mercer & Hole (London, England)



Farewell party for Luca (middle) and his Mercer & Hole colleagues

STUDIO ROCK

mercerc & hole  
chartered accountants

## *TIAG Members Team Up for Tax Presentation*

After a number of significant changes were made in UK Tax Legislation, Browne Craine & Co saw the opportunity to collaborate with a UK TIAG Member in order to serve their clients in the Isle of Man that might be effected by these changes. In March, Liz Cuthbertson, senior tax partner of Mercer & Hole (London, England), traveled to the Isle of Man to promote her firm and lend her expertise during a presentation to Browne Craine & Co's clients.



Browne Craine & Co

mercer & hole  
chartered accountants

## *"Thanks to TAGLaw..."*

"One of our clients, a Bulgarian company developing a popular fashion brand in the Netherlands, needed urgent assistance after their former commercial agent raised a series of legal proceedings against them. Due to the immediate response from our colleagues at Nysingh, our client was duly represented at the court hearing only a few days later. Thanks to TAGLaw we managed to provide our client with highly qualified legal assistance in both Bulgaria and the Netherlands."

Emiliyan Arnaudov  
Popov & Partners Law Office (Bulgaria – TAGLaw)



nysingh  
advocaten-notarissen

## *"Bringing Us Together"*

"I am pleased to say that our firm has developed an excellent relationship with HUB International (Best Friend of TAG). They are assisting us with our insurance needs, and we appreciate their expertise, service, and excellent products. For our part, our firm has assisted HUB in a number of legal matters in British Columbia. Other Canadian TAG Alliances firms are assisting HUB in their respective Provinces as well. I thank the TAG Alliances for bringing us together."

John Sullivan  
Harper Grey LLP (British Columbia, Canada - TAGLaw)



Harper Grey LLP



## *“Able to Refer...”*

“A private equity client in New York City contacted me. He was working on an acquisition in Melbourne, Australia and needed an audit firm to perform due diligence. I was able to refer the client to our longtime TIAG member in Melbourne, Lowe Lippman.”

Robert Reitman

Cornick, Garber & Sandler, LLP (New York, New York, USA - TIAG)



**Cornick Garber Sandler**  
Certified Public Accountants & Advisors



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## *Cross-Disciplinary Collaboration*

“Recently, we have developed a relationship with our local TIAG member in Michigan and Ohio, Cohen & Company. This relationship has expanded and we are now planning joint events together.”

Mark Kowalsky

Jaffe, Raitt, Heuer & Weiss, P.C. (Michigan, USA - TAGLaw)



**Jaffe Cohen & Co**  
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A Professional Corporation  
Attorneys & Counselors

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## *From [Cold] Toronto to India...*

“Dear Rohit, Vijay and Piyush (of Kochhar & Co in India - TAGLaw):

I wanted to send this note to you to give you some feedback from one of my partners. Your firm recently did some work on a leasing matter for one of our clients and they were very pleased. Many thanks to you and your firm for this and a number of other matters for which we have received good feedback. It makes our job a lot easier. All the best from an unseasonably cold Toronto! ”

Steve Popoff

Blaney McMurtry LLP (Ontario, Canada - TAGLaw)



**Blaney McMurtry** LLP





## *“Impressive to our Clients”*

“One of our TAGLaw members in Texas, Dykema Cox Smith, recently assisted me with domesticating a subpoena in Texas to depose an expert witness. Additionally, they allowed me to use their office for the deposition. While this might not seem significant, it is helpful and impressive to our clients to be able to leverage the reach and access of our fellow TAGLaw members for out-of-state needs.”

Elizabeth Scott

Williams Mullen (North Carolina & Virginia, USA - TAGLaw)



**WILLIAMS  
MULLEN**

**DyKEMA**

## *“Immediately”*

“I had to carry out a comprehensive company search for a German-Austrian client. Several shareholder levels upstream appeared as Luxembourg holding companies. This led me to contact Catherine L’Hote of our TAGLaw member in Luxembourg, Adam & Bleser. Catherine provided me with the relevant information from the Luxembourg corporate registry almost immediately.”

Nils Wördemann

RWP Rechtsanwälte (Düsseldorf, Germany - TAGLaw)



## *“Cleaning up a “Mess”*

“A friend of mine had a mother with some tax issues in the United Kingdom. I referred my friend to Lisa Spearman of Mercer & Hole (London, England - TIAG) who successfully resolved a complicated, multi-jurisdiction tax mess.”

Russell Brown

LehmanBrown (Beijing & Shanghai, China - TIAG)



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雷博國際會計師  
International Accountants

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chartered accountants

## *“Doing it for a Friend”*

“I had a client in the UK with serious UK and U.S. tax issues. I reached out to Fuad Saba at FGMK (Chicago - TIAG) for his international tax expertise. Fuad met telephonically with the client and came up with a brilliant solution. When I asked him how much for the services, he said he was ‘doing it for a friend.’”

Norman Posner  
Samet & Company (Massachusetts, USA - TIAG)



## *Across the Pond*

Robert Levy of Kuit Steinart Levy LLP (TAGLaw) referred a local Manchester, UK logistics shipping provider which was interested in expanding into the U.S., with the specific intention of establishing it's U.S. operations with headquarters in Salt Lake City. Since then, Kirton McConkie has incorporated the client's business entity and begun facilitating immigration work visas for the British management.

Willis Orton  
Kirton McConkie (Utah, USA - TAGLaw)



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## *“Helped us Close the Deal”*

In 2016, we received a large matter. This client now accounts for 10% of our practices' billings. We received great support from Mercer & Hole (London, England - TIAG) which helped us close the deal.

John O'Connell  
HSOC (Ireland - TIAG)



# New Members

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## “First Impressions”

“Just days after our membership was finalized and announced, I was able to connect by e-mail with a number of members from various countries. I am so pleased by the warm welcome we received from everyone. We also had a very pleasant meeting with our local TAGLaw member in Cyprus, Tassos Papadopoulos & Associates LLC, and we are planning to have another one soon to further explore areas of collaboration. My first impressions of our TIAG membership are so positive and I believe our membership will greatly contribute to our strategic growth plan.”

Athena Constantinou  
APC Audit, Tax, Advisory Ltd (Nicosia, Cyprus - TIAG)



tassos papadopoulos & associates llc  
advocates | legal consultants

## New Member Success

“As a brand new TAG-SP member, we attended the International Conference in Quebec City. There, we met a number of fantastic accounting contacts, many of whom will likely refer investors and various clients to us. We also feel we will be in a good position to refer our existing clients out to these members for various matters and opportunities.”

Zafar Kanani  
Forbury Investment (UK - TAG-SP)



## HBS Law (Cambodia)

Established in 2005, HBS Law is one of the highest ranked law firms based in Cambodia. The firm serves a diverse client base which includes major Asian and multinational companies. HBS has excellent working relationships with key figures in Cambodia, including officials in the Ministry of Commerce, the Ministry of Finance, and the National Bank of Cambodia.

*(Main Contacts shown left to right: Tayseng Ly & Honn Bun)*



## Cabinet hhh Avocats (Morocco)

Cabinet hhh Avocats is one of the top mid-sized law firms in Morocco. The firm's professionals have served many high profile clients in an array of industries such as Procter & Gamble, Century 21, Foot Locker, General Mills, Major League Baseball, Motorola, NBA, Nestlé, and Starwood.

*(Main Contacts shown left to right: Ahmad Hussein & Zohra Hasnaoui)*

## Kellerhals Carrard (Switzerland)

For over 15 years, the partners of Kellerhals Carrard have been familiar faces within TAGLaw. Now, the firm has expanded the jurisdiction of its membership to cover all of Switzerland, enabling our members to benefit from the depth of expertise found within their seven offices throughout the country.

*(Main Contacts shown left to right: Frédéric Rochat & Edgar Philippin)*



## Cancio, Nadal, Rivera & Díaz, P.S.C. (Puerto Rico)

For more than four decades, CNR&D has stood out as one of the top law firms in Puerto Rico, offering a range of transactional and litigation services throughout multiple industries. Among its many accomplishments and accolades, the firm's professionals have successfully argued multiple cases before the Supreme Court of the United States.

*(Main Contacts shown left to right: Rubén M. Medina-Lugo & Frederick Martínez)*



## Ellul & Co. (Gibraltar)

Standing the test of time, much like the Rock of Gibraltar, Ellul & Co is a full service law firm established in 1973. Today, the firm is internationally recognized in a number of legal publications and is considered one of the top firms in the country. Additionally, the firm and its team have established themselves as leading experts in the emerging area of blockchain and cryptocurrencies.

*(Main Contacts shown left to right: Marc X. Ellul & Eric C. Ellul)*

## Lugenbuhl, Wheaton, Peck, Rankin & Hubbard (Louisiana, USA)

With more than 25 years of experience serving clients in the gulf coast region, Lugenbuhl is a preeminent full-service law firm with offices in New Orleans and Baton Rouge. In addition to being recognized for its commitment to diversity, the firm and its lawyers are consistently ranked in Chambers USA, Best Lawyers in America and Super Lawyers.

*(Main Contacts shown left to right: Benjamin W. Kadden & Stewart F. Peck)*



## Eldib & Co. (Egypt & Libya)

Eldib & Co. was first established in 1875 in the city of Alexandria. Today, the firm has offices in Cairo, Alexandria and Tripoli. Catering to clients across the legal spectrum including, but not limited to: Corporate and Commercial Law, Dispute Resolution, Oil and Gas, Construction, and Intellectual Property. The firm covers numerous industries from established sectors to emerging markets.

*(Main Contacts shown: Mohamed Eldib & Khaled Al Jazwi)*



## Law Office Yang & Co (Indonesia)

Founded in 2011 by Ferry Yang, Marcia Wibisono, and Saniah Wu, Yang & Co. is a leading commercial law firm in Indonesia. The reputation of its founding partners in the international legal community has allowed the firm to provide services to a wide array of international clients in a number of industry sectors.

*(Main Contacts shown left to right: Marcia Wibisono & Saniah Wu)*

## Walch & Schurti Attorneys at Law Ltd (Liechtenstein)

Founded in 1991, Walch & Schurti is an internationally-focused law firm in the Principality of Liechtenstein. Today, the firm has established itself as one of the most elite law firms in Liechtenstein by focusing on the highest quality standards and employing professionals who have received training from well-regarded institutions and firms around the world.

*(Main Contacts shown left to right: Moritz Blasy & Alexander Appel)*



**WALCH & SCHURTI**

ATTORNEYS AT LAW LTD  
RECHTSANWÄLTE AG



## Aumento Law Firm (Denmark)

Founded in 2009, Aumento is a full-service Danish law firm of 34 lawyers and 56 total employees. The firm and its lawyers are recognized in numerous practice areas by Chambers Europe, the Legal 500 and Who's Who Legal.

*(Main Contacts shown left to right: Anders Aagaard & Asaf Fazal)*





## APC Audit, Tax, Advisory Ltd. (Nicosia, Cyprus)

APC is a leading tax, audit, accounting, and consultancy firm in Cyprus, offering specialized services to local and international clients. The firm has become a leader in advising clients in specific sectors and niche areas including: sports and entertainment, shipping and luxury yachts, intellectual property, the fashion industry, and estate planning.

*(Main Contacts shown left to right: Athena Constantinou & Ioakim Thrasyvoulou)*

## Daudally, Lalani & Co. (Karachi, Pakistan)

Established in 1954, Daudally, Lalani & Co. specializes in the areas of audit & assurance, taxation, advisory, consulting and corporate affairs. In fact, the firm is on the auditors panel of the State Bank of Pakistan (SBP), Karachi Stock Exchange (KSE), Pakistan Commodity Exchange Limited (PMEX), Federal Board of Revenue (FBR), and Sales Tax Department of FBR.

*(Main Contact shown: Sikander Lalani)*



## RMA Senegal (Senegal)

RMA Senegal was founded in March 2007. Registered under the Senegalese accounting board (ONECCA), the firm's clients comprise some of the largest corporations and NGOs in Senegal, in addition to local and multinational companies. While based in Senegal, the firm has the capacity to conduct engagements throughout West Africa.

*(Main Contacts shown left to right: Papa Alboury Ndao & Papa Bathie Gueye)*

## Cabinet Comptable & Fiscal DERAMCHI (CCFD) (Algeria)

Since 1996, Cabinet Comptable & Fiscal DERAMCHI (CCFD) has provided accounting, tax, advisory and audit services to clients throughout Algeria and North Africa. Today, CCFD is one of the largest mid-sized firms in Algeria.

*(Main Contact shown: Riad Deramchi)*





## Premier Consulting S.A. (Greece)

Founded in 1999, Premier Consulting is one of the top independent accounting and advisory firms in Greece. Local SME's and Fortune 1000 companies alike trust Premier Consulting for both their international experience, and their sound understanding of the conditions and peculiarities of the Greek market.

*(Main Contacts shown left to right: Nikolaos Marselos & Ioannis Xenopoulos)*

## D&H Group LLP (British Columbia, Canada)

Founded in 1951 by David Dyke and Ian Howard, D&H Group is a full-service accounting firm based in Vancouver, British Columbia. Today, the firm is one of the top five independent firms in the Vancouver area and serves clients ranging from individuals to international businesses.

*(Main Contacts shown left to right: Arthur Azana & Craig Cox)*



## BALIKLI Audit | Advisory (Turkey)

Established in 2007, BALIKLI delivers financial services and advice to a broad range of businesses and corporate clients. The firm's founder, Tugba Balikli, has been ranked among the Top 17 Women Entrepreneurs in Turkey by the Womens Presidents' Organization (WPO).

*(Main Contact shown: Tugba Balikli)*



## Weaver (Texas)

A Top-40 accounting firm in the U.S., Weaver has been providing high-quality, customized services to clients for more than 65 years. In addition to traditional tax and audit services, the firm also provides a wide array of advisory services including risk, financial and IT advisory; energy compliance services; forensics and litigation; financial institutions consulting; and public company services.

*(Main Contacts shown left to right: David Rook & Clint Siddons)*

## Kanzlei Welten (Corporate Law Boutique in Switzerland)

Bernhard Welten, Founding Partner of Kanzlei Welten, has been a part of the TAG Alliances family since 2002. Previously a TAGLaw Main Contact before opening his own boutique firm, Bernhard and his firm specialize in Corporate Law and Litigation.



*(Main Contact: Bernhard Welten)*



## Forbury Investment Network Ltd (UK - Investment Services)

## The Commonwealth Environmental Investment Platform (CEIP) (UK - Environmental)

Forbury Investment Network (FIN), an associated company of TAGLaw member firm Clarkslegal LLP, matches visionary investors with early stage innovative technology companies for positive and sustainable change. Also associated with Clarkslegal LLP, The Commonwealth Environmental Investment Platform (CEIP) is a pan-Commonwealth network linking entrepreneurs and companies in the environmental sector to each other and to international investors.

*(Main Contacts shown left to right: Zafar Kanani & Michael Sippitt)*

# Alliance Events

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## *“I Was Able to Build Relationships”*

“We attended the International Conference in Quebec City as a new member of TAGLaw. At this event I was able to build relationships with so many people and arrange joint-marketing initiatives with numerous members.”

Marcia Wibisono  
Yang & Co (Indonesia - TAGLaw)



## *“The Relationships Built...”*

“During the Quebec City conference I was able to have several good meetings with the TIAG host firm, Mallette. The information gathered and relationships built will undoubtedly help our clients in the future, as many of them are doing business in Canada.”

Ray Polantz  
Cohen & Company (Michigan & Ohio, USA - TIAG)



## Spring 2017 - Paris

Spring 2017 marked a return to Paris, the city where we held our first international conference nearly 20 years ago. In a time when countries are being divided by their cultural differences, the diverse and historic city of Paris served as a perfect backdrop for us to celebrate the diversity found within the TAG Alliances community and honor the loyalty of our longstanding members. With keynote sessions by Fons Trompenaars and Itzik Amiel, attendees gained greater insight into reconciling the dilemma of cultural differences within the global marketplace and were given new tools to increase their “relations capital” and develop their “attentional networking.” Specialty Groups allowed participants to intimately dissect and discuss important issues such as succession planning, Brexit and international arbitration. The conference proceedings were concluded with a “Member Loyalty Award” Ceremony, to recognize more than 50 longstanding members who have contributed to our collective success. On the final evening, attendees enjoyed a beautiful Seine River Cruise to cap off a truly outstanding and memorable conference.



Founding TAGLaw Members receiving their “Member Loyalty Awards”



Founding TIAG Members receiving their “Member Loyalty Awards”



Delegates from Williams Mullen (North Carolina & Virginia - TAGLaw), Mallette (Quebec - TIAG) & Cohen & Company (Michigan & Ohio) on the Seine Networking Dinner Cruise.



Members Sean Farnell (Isle of Man - TIAG) & Frédéric Rochat (Switzerland - TAGLaw) with TAG Alliances President & CEO, Richard Attisha.



Ross Lane of Mercer & Hole (London, England - TIAG) presenting “Audit & Assurance: Life on the Other Side”



“Doing Business in Africa” Networking Lunch Table



Discussing alliance updates and strategy at the TIAG Advisory Board Meeting



“International Legal and Accounting Engagements: A View from the Driver’s Seat”



## Fall 2017 - Quebec City

Hundreds of years ago, the walls of Quebec City, the oldest fortified city in North America, warded off invaders and incoming threats. This past autumn, the open minds and hearts of Quebec's residents, including our host firms, welcomed and embraced visitors from around the world during our international conference. The conference focused on how professionals can protect their clients and firms from various threats such as cyber attacks, artificial intelligence, and climate change—disruptive forces that are impacting the global economy at a rapid pace. During our final session, we challenged our members to a BINGO networking game to utilize some of the marketing tips shared with us by our keynote speaker, Larry Kohn. Congratulations to Steve Popoff for winning a free conference registration for his firm, Blaney McMurtry (Ontario - TAGLaw), due to his networking skills during the BINGO game. Our final dinner, a "Lumberjack Soiree," allowed our plaid-attired attendees to celebrate and partake of unique Canadian fare and traditions including gourmet "poutine," maple syrup toffee, wooden spoons and... a musical chainsaw.



Welcome Dinner in the Chateau Frontenac.



The Triple Threat! Members from TAGLaw, TIAG and TAG-SP networking at the Gala Dinner.



John Farley of HUB International (Best Friends of TAG) conducts a live hack during "Data Breach Live".



TIAG Members Papa Ndao (Senegal) & Russell Brown (Beijing & Shanghai, China) take a selfie for "TAG Alliances Networking BINGO"



"Litigation & ADR and Audit & Assurance: Oops...What Happens When Auditors Miss Fraud" panelists.



Networking with new and old friends at the Gala Dinner.



Steve Popoff poses with Richard and Melisa Attisha after winning a free conference registration for his firm during "TAG Alliances Networking BINGO".



"The Black Mirror" The Impact of Technology on the Legal and Accounting Professions

## **TAGLaw Southeastern & Midwestern U.S.**

March 3-5, 2017 in Nashville, Tennessee

Hosted by: Bone McAllester Norton

## **TAGLaw Western North America**

March 10-12, 2017 in San Francisco, California

Hosted by: Coblenz Patch Duffy & Bass LLP

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March 17-19, 2017 in Luxembourg

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## **TAGLaw INTA Reception**

May 23, 2017 in Barcelona, Spain

Hosted by: Bufete Escura

## **TAG Alliances UK & Ireland**

June 24-26, 2017 in Kenmare, Ireland

Hosted by: LK Shields (TAGLaw)

## **TAGLaw IBA Reception**

October 10, 2017 in Sydney, Australia

Hosted by: Piper Alderman

## **TIAG Brazilian**

November 30, 2017 in Rio de Janeiro

Hosted by: Grupo Planus



Attendees in session at the TIAG Brazilian Regional in Rio de Janeiro.



Attendees network at the TAGLaw Western North America Regional Meeting reception.



Networking time at the TAG Alliances UK & Ireland Meeting in Kenmare, Ireland.



Members attend the TAGLaw European Regional Meeting in Luxembourg.



Bone Law attorneys presenting at the TAGLaw SE / MW Regional Meeting in Nashville.



In 2017, TAG Alliances held its fourth Managing Partner Summit in Chicago, Illinois. A diverse and talented group of law and accounting firm leaders from around the world spent two days sharing their experience and best practices in firm leadership, management and administration. The Summit was facilitated by Allan Koltin, a long-time advisor and consultant to top professional services firms, who also presented a keynote address outlining best practices in firm leadership. The Summit was sponsored by TAG Alliances' Chicago-based member firms: Barack Ferrazzano Kirschbaum & Nagelberg LLP (TAGLaw) and FGMK (TIAG); in addition to HUB International, a "Best Friend of TAG".



Day one of the TAG Alliances Managing Partner Summit.



Over 30 TAG Alliances Members from seven different countries attended this year's Managing Partner Summit in Chicago, Illinois.



Sophia Harris of Solomon Harris (Cayman Islands - TAGLaw) discusses best practices during a round table session.



Summit attendees pose at the Opening Dinner.



"What Keeps you Up at Night" round table session.

# TAG Foundation

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While member firms are charitable in their local jurisdictions, often they do not have a trusted outlet to respond to needs elsewhere. TAG Foundation provides a means for TAG Alliances members to contribute funds for charitable purposes around the world. Since its founding, TAG Foundation has disbursed over \$150,000.





## Hurricane Harvey Relief for Houston

In the aftermath of Hurricane Harvey, TAG Foundation contributed \$5,000 USD to the Houston Food Bank, which provided food and supplies right after the hurricane and for many months afterwards to residents in southeast Texas as they struggled to rebuild their lives. The organization works closely with a network of partner agencies to ensure food gets to those who need it most.



## Devastating Earthquakes in Mexico

TAG Foundation donated \$5,000 USD to Fundación ACIR, a Mexican non-profit organization that provides support for social projects to improve community wellbeing, especially for children in the most disadvantaged regions. All post-earthquake donations were used to set up temporary schools where buildings were damaged or destroyed by the earthquakes, while permanent ones are being built.

## Hurricane Relief for Puerto Rico

Fondos Unidos de Puerto Rico, working hand-in-hand with United Way, provided assistance with setting up refugee centers, as well as the distribution of water, power generators, prepared food and food vouchers for people affected by the hurricanes Irma and Maria. It also supported affiliated organizations that provided essential health services and other basic needs to the community. TAG Foundation contributed \$5,000 USD to the cause.



Special thanks to the following firms and individuals  
who contributed to TAG Foundation in 2017:

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Mitchell Silberberg & Knupp (Los Angeles, CA, USA - TAGLaw) became the first supporter of the Heather Heyer Foundation, which provides scholarships for students pursuing social justice-related degrees.



At the firm's 2017 retreat, Berdon (New York, USA - TIAG) teams learned the value of both charity and teamwork as they assembled bikes for children of Wounded Warriors.



As an Auxiliary Board member of Fresh Start Women's Foundation, Spencer Fane (Missouri, USA - TAGLaw) attorney Jessica Gale co-chaired the organization's inaugural Wine Women and Shoes Phoenix fundraiser that raised \$151,000.



Studio Legale Sutti (Italy - TAGLaw) served as pro bono counsel, sponsors and advisors to Lifenet Onlus in their construction of a hospital centre in Loul Sessène, Senegal, the first in the country entirely dedicated to gynecology and state-of-the-art obstetrics.



A team from Mercer & Hole (London, England - TIAG) stepped in to help MK Snap with some gardening on 2 May. This year, MK Snap are celebrating 25 years of helping young adults with disabilities to learn social and work skills, achieve independence and contribute to society.



ESV (New South Wales, Australia - TIAG) were recognized for its pro bono work in the AFR and Chartered Accountants ANZ top 100 survey. The number of pro bono hours carried out across the firm equates to a day for each member of staff.

# Our Global Team

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Shown left to right: Melisa Attisha, Executive Vice President; Chris Cervellera, Executive Director; Samantha Lutz, Marketing Coordinator; Ken Mayers, Conference Ambassador; Lourdes Allende, Director of Global Member Services and Richard Attisha, President & CEO



Jonathan Lloyd-Jones  
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Cole Attisha  
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# A Tribute to Ken Mayers

At our Fall 2017 International Conference in Quebec City, we honored Ken Mayers, the longest tenured team member of the TAG Alliances. Ken has officially retired from day-to-day operations as a member of our team. However, you will likely see Ken at future international conferences, where he will always be welcome as our Conference Ambassador.

Ken was the first employee hired by Peter Appleton Jones, back in 1999 when TAGLaw was founded. Since then, Ken has been instrumental in the development of the TAG Alliances and has served the organization with incredible energy, passion and commitment.

To symbolize Ken's commitment to our global community, we gave Ken a crystal Inukshuk statute with a special engraving. The Inukshuk represents cooperation, support, balance and humanity—all of the qualities that Ken exemplifies. Similar to the permanence of the Inukshuk, Ken's legacy among the TAG Alliances will stand the test of time.



**19**

Years Served



**36**

Conferences Attended



**∞**

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