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NY firm buys CPA Consulting Group

Team of more than 15 join big player home to 2,000+

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Cathy Werthan

A New York-based accounting and advisory with a network of more than 25 U.S. offices has acquired downtown's CPA Consulting Group.

The union of CPA Consulting Group, which is home to two partners and 15 associates, with Marcum became effective Friday. Cathy Werthan, CPA Consulting Group's president, is now Marcum's Nashville office managing partner.

"Cathy Werthan and Bryan Jones have built an exceptional team with deep roots locally and regionally," said Jeffrey Weiner, Marcum's chairman and CEO. "They will be great stewards of our combined growth and expanded service portfolio to our Nashville clients."

CPA Consulting Group works with clients in more than a dozen industries, including real estate, law, and health care. It fills a geographic hole in Marcum's office network, which includes offices in Chicago, Houston and Florida. Marcum, which also has locations in China, Ireland and Grand Cayman, is home to a total of more than 2,000 people.

"We have long been aware of Marcum's strength in the middle-market and see tremendous synergies between our firms, particularly given Marcum's focus on construction in Nashville, which is a great complement to our design-build client portfolio," Werthan said. "My partner and I, as well as our staff, are excited to be part of the Marcum organization and are eager to get started on our work together."