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**The following correspondence is being sent on behalf of Russell Di Leo in the Office of the Comptroller:**

Dear Colleagues,

The Comptroller's Financial Reporting and Accounting Operations team has undergone some significant staffing updates over the past several weeks. These changes support our ongoing work to ensure world-class service and support to the University community while also addressing business continuity and succession planning needs.

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Cheryl Williamson has announced her retirement, and as a result, Steve Predjulek has been promoted to Associate Comptroller. Steve will be a key partner and leader in strategic planning and external auditing processes.

Nell Jones has left the University, and Kristen Jacobs has been promoted to the role of Manager, Financial Reporting and Analysis. Kristen's experience and expertise in financial reporting make her well-suited to this role.

James Breen left the University at the beginning of the fiscal year, and Justin Purohit has been promoted to the role of Manager of Accounting Operations and Property Management Accounting. Justin's strong analytical skills and experience in fixed asset accounting make him an excellent fit for this position. Justin Knoebel joined the Comptroller's Accounting Operations team in January and filled the open Senior Financial Analyst role resulting from Justin Purohit's promotion.

We appreciate your support during this period of change as we finalize these staffing transitions. We are committed to maintaining our high level of service and look forward to continuing to work with you.

Sincerely,

*--Russell*



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