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**KLARIS, THOMSON & SCHROEDER, INC. (“KTS”)**

### Celebrates **25 Successful Years** in Business!



*From Left to Right: Original Founders,  
Mr. Raynor J. Klaris, Mr. John A. Thomson  
and Mr. Gary L. Schroeder.*

It is hard to believe that it has been over 25 years since Klaris, Thomson & Schroeder, Inc. (“KTS”) was formed by its original founders, Mr. Raynor J. Klaris, Mr. John A. Thomson, and Mr. Gary L. Schroeder! KTS has grown considerably from our original five employees and two offices! KTS is a full service valuation and consulting company

specializing in business valuations, intangible asset valuations, financial consulting, expert testimony, litigation support and real property appraisals. KTS has testified in several prominent tax court cases for and against the IRS, including Strangi, Davis, Harper, Gallagher, Guistina, Richmond, Leichter, Becker, Tannenblatt, and Mitchell. □



**If you have any valuation needs or questions, please call us at 562-437-6000 to see how KTS can help address your concerns, KTS has offices nationwide, Washington D.C., St. Louis, New Jersey, and Los Angeles, CA., or visit our Webpage at [www.ktsvaluation.com](http://www.ktsvaluation.com).**

**Patricia A. Thomson Graham, ASA**  
**Certified General Real Estate Appraiser & Senior Consultant**  
**Klaris, Thomson & Schroeder, Inc., Los Angeles, CA**



Klaris, Thomson & Schroeder, Inc. (“KTS”) is pleased to announce that Patricia A. Thomson Graham, a Senior Valuation Consultant in our Los Angeles office, has recently received her ASA in Real Property Valuation from the American Society of Appraisers.

Patricia began her association with KTS in 2005. Patricia has assisted and prepared valuations for various real estate assignments. She has prepared appraisals of residential, industrial and commercial real estate for estate tax, litigation support, estate planning, insurance, and sale/purchase. She specializes in the valuation of real property including commercial, and industrial involving fee simple, leased fee, and leasehold interests valuations.

Klaris, Thomson & Schroeder, Inc. congratulates Mrs. Patricia A. Thomson Graham (Los Angeles office) on her recent ASA (Accredited Senior Appraiser) designation.

Patricia holds a B.A. in Business Administration from Mount St. Mary’s College and received her Masters from the University of Phoenix. Patricia is a Certified General Real Estate Appraiser (#AG039621) for the state of California working towards her MAI through the Appraisal Institute. Patricia is also a proud mom of three children, Zane Matthew, Carissa, and JAX Christopher Thomson Graham, see picture at left.

Please join us in congratulating Patricia on this achievement! □

**Brian Blase, BA, ASA – Klaris, Thomson & Schroeder, Inc. St. Louis office**



Klaris, Thomson & Schroeder, Inc. is pleased to announce that Brian Blase, a Senior Valuation Consultant in our St. Louis office, has recently received his ASA in Business Valuation from the American Society of Appraisers.

Brian has been active in the appraisal profession since 2010. He specializes in the valuation of privately-held businesses and has

prepared valuations for sale/purchase, SBA financing, gift & estate taxes, corporate planning, ESOPs, and due diligence studies.

Brian is a graduate of Notre Dame University and has also held officer positions for the local St. Louis Chapter of the American Society of Appraisers.

Please join us in congratulating Brian on this achievement! □



*During the Holiday Season  
more than ever, our thoughts  
turn gratefully to those who  
have made our progress possible.  
And in this spirit we sincerely  
say Thank You and Best Wishes  
for the holiday season and a  
Happy New Year!*

**KLARIS, THOMSON & SCHROEDER, INC. ATTENDED THE JOINT ASA 2018 ADVANCED BUSINESS VALUATION AND INTERNATIONAL APPRAISERS CONFERENCE IN ANAHEIM THIS YEAR! IN ADDITION, MR. JOHN A. THOMSON, ASA, MAI AND VICE PRESIDENT WAS ONE OF THE SPEAKERS. MR. THOMSON'S PRESENTATION WAS ON THE MOST RECENT TAX COURT CASE, THE ESTATE OF MITCHELL.**



*FROM LEFT TO RIGHT, KTS CONSULTANTS: MR. GARY SCHROEDER, MS. CHRISTINE LEE, MR. RON STRAMBERG, MS. PATRICIA A. THOMSON GRAHAM AND MR. JOHN A. THOMSON.*



*SPEAKING ON THE ESTATE OF MITCHELL, FROM LEFT TO RIGHT, MR. DAREN MESROBIAN, MS. NANCY ESCHER, AND LOS ANGELES ASA CHAPTER PRESIDENT, MR. JOHN A. THOMSON, ASA, MAI.*



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– Albert Einstein

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