

## Movers & Shakers

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### ASSOCIATIONS

The Long Island Builders Institute of Islandia honored **Alyson Repp** as its Rising Star Associate Member. Repp is an associate at the Bohemia law firm Campolo, Middleton & McCormick, where she represents clients in real estate transactions.

### NONPROFITS

The Jewish Academy in Commack welcomed **Arthur M. Katz** to its board of directors. Katz is president of Knockout Pest Control in Uniondale.

### PUBLIC RELATIONS

Great Neck public relations and marketing agency Zimmerman/Edelson Inc. welcomed **Jake Mendlinger** as account manager and **Brett Spielberg** as assistant copywriter. Mendlinger, who previously worked for Zimmerman/Edelson, most recently was with the marketing firm Kwitken + Co. in Manhattan, while Spielberg is a recent graduate of Adelphi University in Garden City.

### HEALTH CARE

**David Nemiroff** was appointed vice president for care transitions at the East Meadow-based NuHealth System. Most recently, Nemiroff served as executive director of the Mental Health Association of Nassau County Inc. Good Samaritan Hospital Medical Center announced the promotion of **Theresa Jacobellis** to assistant vice president of development and public affairs. Jacobellis joined the West Islip hospital last year as director of public and external affairs.

**Dr. John Robert Udarbe Jr.** joined Huntington-based Family Service League as medical director. A psychiatrist, Udarbe will oversee a medical staff of 20 professionals across FSL's Suffolk County clinical programs. In addition to his private practice in Great Neck, Udarbe serves as a pediatric and general psychiatrist at New York University Medical Center and Bellevue Hospital Center in Manhattan, providing hospital services for underserved children, adolescents and adults.

### LAW

Jaspan Schlesinger of Garden City welcomed attorney **Jill Goffer**, who serves as of counsel in the law firm's matrimonial and family law practice group. Most recently, Goffer was an associate at Wilens & Baker in Manhattan, where she managed the matrimonial department.

**Ilene Sherwyn Cooper**, a partner at Uniondale-based Farrell Fritz, was appointed to the board of advisers of the Aging & Longevity Law Institute at Touro Law Center in Central Islip. Cooper, an estate litigator, also serves as an adjunct professor at Touro Law.

### SCIENCE

**Gregory Hannon**, a professor at Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory, won a MERIT (Method to Extend Research in Time) Award from the National Institute of General Medical Sciences. Given to highly productive scientists, the MERIT Award extends funding for an existing research project grant.