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## EDWARD A. LANDRY

OCTOBER 14



Edward A. Landry is a senior partner with the law firm of Musick, Peeler & Garrett in Los Angeles, California. His forty year career with the firm includes specialization in its probate and trust department and he has handled the estates of many prominent Californians, such as the late J. Paul Getty.

In addition to his work with Musick, Peeler & Garrett, Landry is involved in many career related activities and has lectured at UCLA Law School, California Continuing Education of the Bar, USC Estate Planning Institute, American College of Trust and Estate Counsel, and various other programs and institutes. He is a member of the

American, California and Los Angeles Bar Associations. Landry has served as a member of the CEB-UCLA Estate Planning Institute advisory board, the American College of Trust and Estate Counsel, and the Chancery Club. He has also been an adjunct professor of law at UCLA Law School. He has appeared in Best Lawyers in America, Who's Who in California, and International Who's Who.

Landry is a Knight of St. Gregory, a Knight of Malta and sits on the board of The Watson Land Company. He is also a member of the California Club and the Bohemian Club. He is a trustee of the Dan Murphy Foundation, the Flora L. Thornton Foundation, Harvey Mudd College, the Jaquelin Hume Foundation, Rancho Santa Ana Botanic Gardens, and the Walter Lantz Foundation. He has served as director of the Estelle Doheny Eye Institute, the Foundation for Teaching Economics, the Los Angeles Music Center Opera, and the Watson Land Company.

Landry is a food and wine connoisseur and a member of the Chevalier du Tastevin, the Commanderie du Bordeaux, the California Vintage Wine Society, the Southern California Food and Wine Association, the California Eight, the Best Bottle Society, the Chablis Society and the Alsacian Wine Society. He has appeared as a guest chef at the California Club and at several well known Los Angeles restaurants.

Landry is a native of New Orleans. He earned his bachelor's degree in business administration, with honors, from LSU in 1961. He received his law degree from UCLA in 1964, where he was law school student body president, a member of the UCLA Law Review, and elected Order of the Coif. Landry has been married for 42 years to Madeleine Landry. They have two daughters, three grandchildren and live in Santa Susana, California.

## JAMES D. SHELTON

OCTOBER 21



James D. Shelton is chairman and chief executive officer of Triad Hospitals in Plano, Texas. He founded Triad in 1999 by acquiring a group of hospitals from his former employer, HCA.

Shelton joined HCA as president of the Central Group in 1994. Previously, he held various executive positions with National Medical Enterprises, including executive vice president, senior vice president and regional vice president. Shelton has been a hospital administrator in Louisiana, Iowa, North Carolina, Georgia, and Illinois.

Shelton currently serves on the board of the American Hospital Association. He is also a member of the executive committee. Previously, Shelton served as chairman of the board of the Federation of American Hospitals

Shelton earned his bachelor's degree in history from LSU in 1975. He went on to earn a master's degree in public administration from the University of Missouri in 1977.

Triad Hospitals is a Fortune 500 company, publicly traded and listed on the New York Stock Exchange. Currently, Triad owns and operates 54 hospitals and 13 ambulatory surgery centers, and manages 200 non-profit hospitals around the country. Triad has new hospitals under construction in Palmer, Alaska, and Dublin, Ireland. Recently, the company announced plans to build new facilities in Clarksville, Tennessee, Birmingham, Alabama, and Cedar Park, Texas.

## HARRY T. HAWKS

NOVEMBER 4



Harry T. Hawks is executive vice president and chief financial officer of Hearst-Argyle Television.

Hawks oversees all aspects of Hearst-Argyle's financial, accounting, tax, risk management, investor relations, administrative, and compliance matters. In addition, he is actively engaged in various strategic initiatives including M&A, IT, digital media and minority investments.

Hawks has been with Hearst-Argyle since the combination of Hearst Broadcasting and Argyle Television in August, 1997. He served in a similar capacity as a member of the founding management of Argyle Television and its related entities from 1992.

Prior to Argyle, Hawks was active in venture capital and merchant banking as co-founder of Cumberland Capital Corporation. Hawks has also held various corporate finance positions with Thomson McKinnon Securities and Bank of Montreal.

Hawks is a member of the National Association of Broadcasters, Financial Executives International, the Broadcast-Cable Financial Management Association, the National Association of Corporate Directors and the American Society of Corporate Secretaries. He also serves on the board of directors of Internet Broadcasting. Hawks is active in several community, educational, and religious not-for-profit organizations in New York and Connecticut.

A native of New Orleans, Hawks is a two-time alumnus of LSU, having earned his bachelor's degree in business in 1975 and his MBA in 1977. He is a 1976 recipient of the Small Business Administration Regional Award for excellence in small business consulting. He was inducted into LSU's E. J. Ourso College of Business Hall of Distinction in 2002 and serves on the E. J. Ourso College Dean's Advisory Council.

The Flores MBA Program is the flagship academic program of the E. J. Ourso College of Business at Louisiana State University.

The Distinguished Speaker Series is an integral part of the Flores MBA Program. Students gain insight through the series to new ideas and forces shaping American and international business from executives who face these issues daily. Interaction with executives provides students significant educational enrichment to complement their classroom curriculum.

This semester we are proud to showcase three executives who are recognized as leaders in their industries and communities.