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INDUSTRY EXPERTISE:

- Manufacturing and Distribution
- Transportation
- Engineering
- Architecture and Design

ACTIVE & PRIOR PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:

- Board Member – UHY International
- Member – Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants
- Member – American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

ACTIVE & PRIOR CIVIC MEMBERSHIPS:

- Committee Chair – US Senior Open, 2012
- Member – Oakland Hills Country Club
- Member – The Golf Lodge at the Quarry (Naples, FL)

Dennis is a leader in the tax department, member of the firm’s national manufacturing practice, and serves as one of the firm’s international liaisons. He is a leader of the international tax committee and an active member of the firm’s international tax special interest group. Dennis also sits on the board of directors of UHY International, a global network of independent accounting and consulting firms.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

- Extensive knowledge in providing tax planning and strategic business consulting services to both public and privately held companies
- Assists clients on improving their efficiencies, profitability and competitiveness through cost analysis, benchmarking and financial restructuring
- Provides industry-specific tax, financial and business consulting services that optimize a company’s growth and profitability
- Helps US companies establish structured operations in foreign countries including Mexico, China and Canada
- Provides assistance to clients with their federal and state tax provision calculations
- Experienced in all areas of corporate taxation
- Provides due diligence and strategic consulting on issues involving mergers and acquisitions
- Assists foreign companies setting up business in the US with tax, structure, and strategic planning

BACKGROUND:

- Licensed CPA in the states of Michigan, Georgia and Florida
- Joined the firm in 1983
- B.A. in Accounting, Aquinas College
- M.S. in Taxation, Walsh College

THOUGHT LEADERSHIP:

- Host and Co-Chairperson, UHY LLP International Roundtable Breakfast Series
- Quoted in “Steepest Property Taxes for New Jersey, Illinois; While Hawaii Gets a Break”, Mansion Global, 2017
- “State Taxes in the US”, UHY Americas Conference, 2015
- “International Tax Update”, UHY Advisors Annual Tax Forum, 2010-2011
- Climbing the BRIC Wall, UHY LLP International Roundtable, 2012
- China Investment, UHY LLP International Roundtable, 2011
- Doing Business in Canada, UHY LLP International Roundtable, 2011
- “Double Taxation Treaties”, UHY Annual Meeting in Madrid, Spain
- “Creative Ways to Retain Staff”, UHY Managing Partners Forum, Dubai
- Doing Business in Brazil, UHY LLP International Roundtable, 2010
- “Settling Up Operations In The Americas”, UHY Americas Conference, Vancouver, British Columbia
- “U.S. Companies in South America”, UHY *International Business News*