



Kenneth Urish, CPA, CFE, CGMA

Assurance Services

Managing Partner

Experience

Ken's professional experience encompasses audit, internal audit, mergers and acquisitions/due diligence, corporate governance, and forensic and valuation services, and he is a Certified Fraud Examiner. Ken's industry experience includes financial institutions, asset management entities, technology, manufacturing, insurance and healthcare. His litigation support experience includes fraudulent conveyance and embezzlement, shareholder lawsuits, business interruption, economic loss, and fraud auditing and forensic accounting.

Ken currently serves on the Multi-Asset Complex Fund board at BlackRock Funds; former trustee of the Equity Liquidity board and its legacy funds at BlackRock, where he served as audit committee chair. He is a past board member of BlackRock India and Inter-Tel Communications. Ken is currently an active board member of the AICPA's ESG Task Force Committee and a board member of ESG Competent Boards. Ken has previously served as Chairman and President of DFK Accountancy Group, as President and Trustee of Pittsburgh Catholic Publishing Associates, and as a Trustee of Holy Family Foundation.

Ken has presented on assurance, risk management and corporate governance topics to a variety of audiences, including the Association of Certified Fraud Examiners, the PA and Ohio accounting societies, and Penn State University. He was a founder of Urish Popeck and serves as Managing Partner. He is a member of the Accounting Advisory Board, Smeal College of Business, The Pennsylvania State University, and was previously Chairman of the Professional Ethics Committee of the PICPA.

Education

The Pennsylvania State University | BS – Accounting
The Pennsylvania State University | Smeal College of Business
University of Pittsburgh | Executive Sessions Katz School of Business

Professional Associations

Certified Public Accountant, Pennsylvania and Florida
American Institute of Certified Public Accountants
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