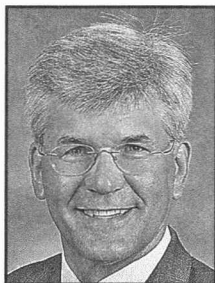


PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

ADDITIONS

Stephen G. Rhoads has joined the Chester County, Pa., law firm **Gawthrop Greenwood** as a partner, concentrating his practice in professional liability defense and commercial litigation.



RHOADS

Previously a partner with Montgomery McCracken Walker & Rhoads, he serves as trial counsel to numerous medical and allied professionals and health care facilities in malpractice actions; to real estate and insurance agents; to school, municipal and prison officials; and in various licensing proceedings before the Pennsylvania Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs.

David L. Woloshin has joined **Astor Weiss Kaplan & Mandel** as senior counsel and chairman of its litigation and personal injury department.

Woloshin joins the firm with more than 32 years' experience in personal injury.

He has served as counsel on numerous cases of national importance.

ELECTED AND APPOINTED

Philadelphia personal injury attorney **Rhonda**

Hill Wilson was recently elected to serve as the parliamentarian for the **American Association for Justice**. She was also appointed by AAJ President Anthony Tarricone to serve as the organization's diversity task force chairwoman.



HILL WILSON

The annual AAJ national officers' elections took place at a membership business meeting last month in San Francisco.

Hill Wilson is an attorney with the **Law Offices of Rhonda Hill Wilson P.C.**

Robert R. Kugler has been elected to serve as chairman of Camden, N.J.-based **Symphony in C**, the mid-Atlantic region's only professional training and performance orchestra providing career development services for orchestral musicians.



KUGLER

A partner with **Archer & Greiner**, Kugler served as vice chairman of the symphony's board of directors for several years before being elevated to chairman last month.

Concentrating his practice on complex

lending transactions, Kugler has extensive experience with real estate financing, including conduit and synthetic lease financing, as well as tax-exempt financing and financing of health care facilities such as hospitals, nursing homes and continuing care retirement communities. He also specializes in community and condominium association creation and administration and has served as an expert witness in attorney malpractice cases.

SPEAKERS

Stradley Ronon Stevens & Young partner **Joseph McHale** served on the faculty for the 37th annual **International Association of Defense Counsel Trial Academy** at Stanford Law School. The seven-day program was led by 15 defense trial lawyers selected



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from different regions of the country.

As a partner in the litigation group and partner-in-charge of the Malvern, Pa., office, McHale has clientele including manufacturers, pharmaceutical companies, businesses, pharmacists, physicians and individuals with personal injury claims. He also serves as counsel to a group of health system risk managers and is an active trial attorney.

David J. Steerman, a partner in the litigation department's family law practice group of **Obermayer Rebmann Maxwell & Hippel**, was a featured speaker on the panel for the **Pennsylvania Bar Institute's Family Law 101** program held last month.

Steerman's presentation and discussion focused on the topics of equitable distribution and ethics in family law cases. •



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