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KATHLEEN CLAIRE JOINS THE WASHINGTON, DC OFFICE OF PERKINS EASTMAN AS AN ASSOCIATE

Expertise will Expand on Firm's Established Hospitality and Commercial Architecture and Interiors Practices

Washington, DC (April 29, 2014) The growing Washington, DC office of top international design and architecture firm Perkins Eastman is pleased to announce that Kathleen M. Claire has joined as an Associate. With more than 25 years of design experience in the hospitality and commercial markets, she will build on the firm's established practice for hotel, resort, club, and workplace design. Claire was most recently with the Washington, DC office of CORE architecture + design and has also worked for Gensler and STUDIOS Architecture.

Principal Barbara Mullenex AIA, one of the leaders of Perkins Eastman's hospitality and workplace interiors studios, remarked, "Kathleen is a skilled designer and passionate client advocate who will complement our growing regional and national practice."

Claire's roster of clients includes Marriott International, Courtyard by Marriott, Willard Intercontinental, Discovery Communications, Ernst & Young, MCI, Price Waterhouse Coopers, among others. Her work has been recognized with awards from the IIDA, AIA, and Washington Building Congress. She has been published in major design publications and newspapers including USA Today, The Washington Post, and Elle Décor. Claire attended Washington University in St. Louis.

About Perkins Eastman

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