

Jill Gilbert named one of Central PA's Forty Under 40

Trout, Ebersole & Groff is proud to announce that Jill Gilbert, CPA/Partner, will be honored as one of *Central Penn Business Journal's* 2009 *Forty Under 40* award recipients for her commitment to business growth, professional excellence and the community at an evening reception and awards program at Hilton Harrisburg on October 23, 2009. This year marks the program's 15th anniversary.

Jill is currently a partner at Trout, Ebersole & Groff, LLP. She specializes in audits of employee benefit plans, governmental agencies and non-profits. In addition, Jill serves on the firm's Marketing Committee, Audit Efficiency Committee and Quality Control Committee.

As a professional, Jill is a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the Pennsylvania Institute of Certified Public Accountants. She also serves on the Board of Directors of Willow Valley Retirement Communities, is a member of the Elizabethtown Rotary Club and the Vice-Chairman of the Elizabethtown Fire Company Endowment Fund.

Nominations for the *Forty Under 40* program ended in late April, and a panel of four judges, all past recipients of the award, reviewed and scored the nominees to determine the top forty list. 2009 judges include: Steven P. Buterbaugh, E.K. McConkey & Co., Inc.; Brian DeCew, Beyond Architecture LLC; Tonia Leitzel Ulsh, Mountz Jewelers; and Leland James Nelson, Dirty Dog Franchising Group.

The awards event is open to the public and admission costs \$90 per person. Tickets can be purchased online at www.centralpennbusiness.com/events.

Following the event, Jill and the other award recipients will be featured in a special supplement to the October 30th edition of the *Central Penn Business Journal*. The list of winners will also appear in the 2010 *Book of Lists* publication.