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Nick's practice is focused on audit services for diverse clients, with a focus on the Healthcare Industry. He joined Dopkins after a sixteen-year career at Deloitte & Touche, LLP, most recently serving as a Specialist Leader in their Healthcare and Life Sciences Audit Practice. While serving a variety of clients in multiple industries, Nick's practice focused on health care – directly managing the audit requirements of several regional health providers and insurers. Nick was a national consultation resource for health care accounting developments and regulatory matters. He was also named as a Fellow to the Firm's Healthcare Industry Professional Practice Group as a recognized technical expert in healthcare regulatory accounting. While serving in that capacity, he developed and taught curriculum for audit staff and senior accountant colleagues. He presented training on accounting statutory matters to over 300 participants.

Nick also led a firm initiative on alternative career and audit delivery models, which culminated in a pilot project on Subject-Matter Specialist Audit Groups. In addition, he served as an engagement quality/technical reviewer for the Firm's audit of a nationally-recognized Fortune 50 organization. Nick also remained committed to mentoring the next generation of leadership, receiving recognition for staff development and mentoring.

Nick currently serves as Chairman of the Board of Trustees for Saint Mary's High School of Lancaster, where has been a member of the Board since 2003. He is also Past-President and current Board member of the Canisius College Alumni Association. He serves as a member of the Finance Committee for Meals on Wheels of Western New York. He was named to the 2010 Class of "40 Under 40" by *Business First of Buffalo*.



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