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## SOSH ARCHITECTS PROMOTES JOHN DERICHIE TO PRINCIPAL

**(Atlantic City, NJ)** – SOSH Architects, an award-winning and nationally recognized architecture, interior design and master planning firm, is pleased to announce the promotion of John DeRichie, AIA, NCARB to Principal.

Since joining the firm in 2000, DeRichie has become a leader of SOSH's architectural design team. Working on a wide variety of high-profile projects, John's ability to focus on the user experience on projects of any size allows him to work across a range of building types. He has led a number of successful projects and contributed to more than a billion square feet of space over the last two decades. Some of his most recent design work include the new Stockton University Academic Building, South Jersey Gas Corporate Headquarters, Hard Rock Hotel & Casino's Rocktane service station, and Ocean First Bank commercial offices in Toms River, Red Bank and Bell Works.

"We are extremely pleased to announce that John has been made a Principal of the firm," said SOSH Founding Principal, Tom Sykes, AIA, PP. "This is not only a great accomplishment for John, but another milestone for SOSH in our 40<sup>th</sup> year of business. John has been a significant contributor to the growth of our architecture practice, and his unique design perspective and leadership skills will continue to drive our success."

DeRichie is a registered architect in the State of New Jersey, and holds a Master of Architecture from the University of Maryland and a Bachelor of Science in Physics from Salisbury University. John lives in Northfield, NJ with his wife, Katie and three children, Isabella, Giuliana and Johnny.

### **ABOUT SOSH ARCHITECTS**

*SOSH Architects is an architecture, interiors, and planning firm that specializes in the hospitality, entertainment, retail, civic, and education markets. With offices in Atlantic City, New York, and Philadelphia the firm is led by founders Thomas J. Sykes, William A. Salerno, Nory Hazaveh, and principals Kimberly McCarron, Mark Petrella, and John DeRichie, who commit their personal involvement in each project. Since its founding in 1979, SOSH has established a worldwide reputation for master planning, architectural design, interior design, project management, and visualization services. For more information, visit [www.sosharch.com](http://www.sosharch.com).*

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