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## **BKD Announces Senior Manager**

San Antonio, TX. – Jon McDowell, managing partner of BKD’s San Antonio office, announces the promotion of Robbie Connell to Senior Manager. Connell delivers unmatched client service, embraces change and shows dedication to the firm’s values and the accounting industry. She will assume the new role beginning April 1, 2018.

Career paths at BKD are divided into levels, and each position is defined by its own set of duties, responsibilities and competencies requiring cumulative and advanced degrees of education, training and experience. Personnel also must demonstrate their leadership abilities as coaches and mentors, as well as taking an active role in their community. Individuals become candidates for promotion after successfully mastering their existing level.

“This is an exciting step in Robbie’s career and we are very proud of her accomplishments. She is one of 18 to be promoted to Senior Manager across the firm.” McDowell said.

Connell serves clients in the physician practice space. She is a 2010 graduate of Texas A&M University - Kingsville, with a Master’s degree in Accounting.

In addition to Connell’s promotion, BKD’s San Antonio office announces the promotion of Ben Chandler to Manager and Robert Ulloa to Senior Associate, effective April 1, 2018

Chandler is a 2013 graduate of University of Nebraska-Lincoln, with a Master’s degree in Accounting. Ulloa is a 2016 graduate of The University of Texas at San Antonio, with a Master’s degree in Accounting.

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