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## MACKENZIE RECOGNIZES ADDITIONAL SENIOR ASSOCIATES

**Portland, Oregon (January 11<sup>th</sup>, 2016)** – Mackenzie Managing Principal Rich Mitchell recognizes Bill Bezio, Adam Solomonson, and Ron Heiden as Senior Associates and company stockholders, rewarding their hard work and dedication to the firm. “Mackenzie continues to benefit greatly from the contribution of these highly skilled professionals, and we are excited to have these visionary staff members on our team.”

Bill Bezio is being recognized as a Senior Associate for his exemplary dependability and strong work ethic. Originally joining Mackenzie in 1997, then spending seven years as a project manager for one of the region’s leading contractors, Bezio rejoined Mackenzie in 2012 as the Director of Quality Assurance before being promoted to Architecture Department Head. As a Registered Architect in Oregon and Washington, Bezio has more than 20 years of experience in design and commercial construction, and he has an extensive background in designing office buildings, high-tech, manufacturing facilities, public safety facilities, and medical labs. Bezio has been instrumental in the design of Intel’s Ronler Acres MSB1, the Portland Airport Quick-Turnaround Rental Car Facility, and the Two Park Place Office Building in Vancouver, Washington. “While I learned a tremendous amount during my time on the owner and contractor sides, I have definitely enjoyed my return to design and am very proud of our evolution here at Mackenzie,” Bezio said. In addition to being a LEED Accredited Professional, Bezio is certified through the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards (NCARB), and he has acted as a board member on both the Portland and Oregon chapters of the American Institute of Architects. Bezio received his Bachelor of Architecture degree from Louisiana Tech University.

The Director of Landscape Architecture, Ron Heiden, is receiving a highly-deserved recognition as Senior Associate. Heiden brings over 25 years of professional landscape architecture experience to the firm and has served as an influential director to Mackenzie’s landscape architecture team. “A strong enthusiasm and passion for design is shared among everyone here, which was an appealing factor for me when I joined Mackenzie,” claimed Heiden, “Their passion creates an entrepreneurial, open atmosphere that’s really gratifying to work in.” He has been an integral asset on many of Mackenzie’s projects since joining in 2013, most notably the Portland Airport Quick-Turnaround Facility (QTA), One Main Place, Seattle’s Second and Seneca building, and updates to Portland’s Concordia University Master Plan. Heiden holds a Bachelor of Landscape Architecture degree from Utah State University, and he is an accredited Green Globes Professional and Professional Landscape Architect in Oregon and Washington.

Adam Solomonson’s leadership qualities and attention to detail are being rewarded by his recognition to Senior Associate. “I am honored to become a Senior Associate at Mackenzie,” Solomonson says, “I have benefitted greatly by working with many influential individuals here, including Dietrich Wieland, Paul Kisling, Bob Thompson, and Dennis Woods. They, among others, have contributed to my success.” Since his addition to Mackenzie in 1999, Solomonson has served integral roles as a designer and in project management on many of Mackenzie’s most successful projects, including the Sunriver Homeowners Aquatic & Recreation Center (SHARC),



Our Lady of the Lake Catholic School, St. Pius X Catholic School, and the Koch Corporate Center. He is a LEED Accredited Professional and carries a Bachelor of Architecture degree, as well as B.S. degrees in history and environmental design, from North Dakota State University. Solomonson also serves on the board for the ACE Mentor Program and Friends of Timberline.

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