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## *St. Petersburg Times* announces new appointments.

**St. Petersburg, FL** -- Several new appointments have been announced recently at the *St. Petersburg (FL) Times*.

In the newsroom: **Jeanne Grinstead** moved to Deputy Managing Editor/World from the Business News desk where she had served as Business editor; Business columnist **Bob Trigaux** was named Business Editor; Deputy business editor **Scott Montgomery** was named Government & Politics editor; general assignment reporter **Bill Duryea** was named National editor, and **Shelaine Peters** moved to Homepage Editor of *sptimes.com* from her role as editor of the *Brandon Times*. In September, **Eric Deggans** will leave the editorial board to take up a new role as Media Critic, and in November **Stephen Bousquet** will take over as Tallahassee Bureau Chief succeeding **Lucy Morgan** on her retirement.

Other recent assignments on the Metro news desk include: **Neville Green** to Deputy Managing Editor/Metro, **Jennifer Orsi** to Metro Editor/Tampa, **Marilyn Garateix** to Metro Editor/St. Petersburg, **Jim Verhulst** to Deputy Metro Editor/Days; **Christopher Ave** to Deputy Metro Editor/St. Petersburg.

On the business side of the newspaper, new staffers include: **Mary Falleson**, Tampa Advertising Manager who will join the *Times* in September from Gannett's *Rochester Democrat & Chronicle*; **Michele D. Lewis**, Training & Development Manager who joined the *Times* from Bank of America's Charlotte headquarters, **Robin Lankton**, Circulation Account Manager in Marketing who came to the *Times* from the *Atlanta Journal Constitution* after spending 18 years with the *Sarasota Herald Tribune*.

*Times* staffers who have recently taken on new roles in business-side divisions, include: **Cheryl Collin**, a 30-year veteran, was promoted to Senior Accounting Manager; **Diana Camp** a 20-year staffer was named Retail Advertising Sales Manager; **Ray Mooney**, an 18-year staffer was named Citrus County Advertising Sales Manager; and **Mat Pearson** was named Internet Sales Manager.

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