

# CHARLES E. PERKINS JR.

## Comptroller

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Charles Perkins says he entered the legal profession by accident. And the fact he's been there for 30 years points to a lucky accident.

"I was employed by an auditing company throughout college and planned to further my education in the medical field after graduation," he says. "However, I accepted this job and never looked back."

Perkins is the firm's comptroller and leads all the accounting functions for the firm. His management duties range from accounts receivable and payable, billing, payroll, financial reporting, compliance, data analysis and tax returns.

### **What is the best part of your job?**

I am a numbers geek. I absolutely love the challenge of reconciliations, balancing, and formulas.

### **What is the best career advice you've ever received?**

Stay even keeled. The highs are never as good as you think, and the lows are never as bad as you think.

### **What is something that would surprise people about you?**

Growing up and throughout high school, music was a passion. I loved rocking it out in garage bands, and I miss it too.

