

ASSIGNMENTS

Jennifer Essiembre

Senior Manager, Creative
ole

ole has promoted **Jennifer Essiembre** to Senior Manager of Creative. She will be responsible for overseeing creative operations for ole's pop/urban division. A graduate of Metalworks Institute of Sound & Music Productions, Essiembre entered the business with artist management company Jamm Entertainment Group, where she became the Personal Assistant to Bad Boy Records recording artists B5 during the promotional tour for their sophomore release, *Don't Talk, Just Listen*. She joined ole as an Office Coordinator before being promoted to Creative Coordinator and then Creative Manager, where she oversaw all catalog management. For more information, contact bill@jaybirdcom.com.



Dinshah Sanjana

VP, Sales
EastWest

EastWest has appointed **Dinshah Sanjana** to Vice President of Sales. Sanjana will head the strategic development of EastWest and its international distributor and dealer network. Prior to EastWest, Sanjana elevated his career over an 11-year period at Guitar Center to the position of Category Manager, Software and Controllers for the Guitar Center Enterprise, including Guitar Center retail (270 stores), as well as the Guitar Center online properties. He began his career as a producer with Music Design, where he composed music for award-winning commercials for companies like Coca-Cola, Procter & Gamble, Wrigley's, Ford and many more. For more information, contact martina@musicmarcom.com.



Denis Leconte

Director of Technology
Iron Mountain, Inc.

The Entertainment Services division of **Iron Mountain Incorporated** has appointed **Denis Leconte** to Director of Technology. Leconte will be responsible for making sure that Iron Mountain remains on the cutting edge of technology in its studios and operations, and for directing a forward-thinking technology strategy to support the company's philosophy of providing unmatched security and safety for its clients' archives. Prior to Iron Mountain, Leconte held senior technical positions with Deluxe Entertainment, Sony Pictures, Post Logic Studios, Pacific Title and Art Studio and The Walt Disney Company. For additional information, contact robert@clynemedia.com.



Mike Easterlin

President
Fueled By Ramen/Roadrunner Records

Mike Easterlin has been promoted to President of **Fueled By Ramen (FBR)** and **Roadrunner Records**. He has served as General Manager of both labels since 2012. In this role, Easterlin will oversee all areas of FBR and Roadrunner activities, expanding on the success of their existing artist rosters while continuing to sign and nurture new talent. An 11-year veteran of Warner Music, Easterlin originally joined Lava/Atlantic as Senior Vice President of Promotion in 2005 before moving to FBR and Roadrunner over three years ago. He previously worked as National Director of Pop Promotion at Virgin Records and Vice President of Pop Promotion at Island Def Jam. For more, contact Ted.Sullivan@atlanticrecords.com.



James Duvall

Commercial Solutions Specialist
American Music & Sound

American Music & Sound has appointed **James Duvall** as Commercial Solutions Specialist. For his role, Duvall will assist consultants and integrators in system design and product application for Allen & Heath products including the D-Live, GLD Chrome & Qu Series. Prior to his new position, Duvall was the owner and lead consultant of Creative Engineering and Solutions for 12 years. He has worked as a production manager and a front-of-house and monitor engineer, and he has designed both installed and portable sound systems. Duvall's expertise includes digital audio and Audio Over IP from a year studying in the Cisco Networking Academy. For more, contact chelsea.abels@AmericanMusicAndSound.com.



Emily Stephenson

Senior Manager, International
Downtown Music Publishing

Downtown Music Publishing has hired **Emily Stephenson** as Senior Manager, International, where she will manage global administration of Downtown's copyrights, focusing on increasing efficiency in data management with its foreign offices, affiliates and over 40 international collections societies. She will report to Sean McGraw, Downtown's Vice President, Administration. Prior to joining Downtown, Stephenson served as Manager, Publishing Operations, at the company's Songtrust division, a provider of rights management software. Originally from Nashville, Stephenson began her career as a Copyright Administrator at Bluewater Music. For additional information on this appointment, contact jrainis@shorefire.com.



Jenna Rosen

Director of Publicity
Razor & Tie/Washington Square

Jenna Rosen has been named Director of Publicity of **Razor & Tie/Washington Square**. In her new position, she will direct all aspects of publicity for the label's alternative-leaning imprint, Washington Square, as well as provide additional support to the Razor & Tie roster. Rosen returns to Razor & Tie after three years at Cornerstone Agency where she handled publicity for a variety of artists including Steve Aoki, Tony Bennett, Swedish hip-hop producer ISHi and Axwell & Sebastian Ingrosso formerly of Swedish House Mafia, among others. She also ran publicity for FADER Label, securing high profile coverage for the label's primary artists. For more information, contact Jenna directly at jrosen@razorandtie.com.



Carter Armstrong

SVP, Film and Television
peermusic

peermusic has appointed **Carter Armstrong** to the newly created position of Senior Vice President, Film and Television. Armstrong will oversee the entire department in the United States as well as liaise with all 32 of peer's worldwide offices. Previously, Armstrong was the Head of Music at Lionsgate Entertainment where he oversaw over 20 films including *The Hunger Games: Mockingjay Part I*, *Divergent* and *Insurgent*. Prior to Lionsgate he was Senior Vice President, Music at Warner Bros. Pictures where he presided over the music creative and negotiation for more than 70 Warner Bros. films including *Argo*, *The Hangover* series, *Syriana* and *Contagion*. For more information, contact hanna@boltemedia.com.

