BIOGRAPHY



Nick Chapman

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Nick joined SEK in 2022 and specializes in providing tax planning & compliance, succession planning, merger & acquisition support, and outsourced CFO & accounting solutions. His creative and down-to-earth approach helps him assist businesses at all stages – from high-growth start-ups to companies expanding across state lines, and to those preparing for transition to new ownership or the next generation.

As a member of SEK's Agricultural Services Team, Nick advises clients in the agriculture sector as well as e-commerce, manufacturing, construction, and facilities maintenance, with a strong focus on real estate and blue-collar businesses. In addition to closely held businesses, he works with companies owned by or being acquired by private equity. He serves business and individual clients nationwide, with a strong concentration in West Virginia, Virginia, and Maryland.

In addition to his client responsibilities, Nick actively contributes to the firm's professional development, community involvement, and growth as a member of the Emerging Professionals Committee. In 2024, he was presented with the Merit Award for receiving the highest combined score on the CPA exam in the state of West Virginia.

NEWS & AWARDS

- SEK Announces Mid-Year Promotions

Areas of Practice

- Business Tax & Advisory
- Mergers & Acquisitions
- State & Local Tax (SALT)
- Business Transition
- Succession Planning

Industries

- Agribusiness
- Construction & Real Estate
- Closely-Held Businesses
- Commercial
- Retail

Community Involvement

- Connections Community Church
- Eastern Panhandle Churches - Pianist
- Eastern Panhandle Agricultural Associations

- Bales & Moo Foundation - Director

Education

- B.S. Accounting, McMurran Scholar – Shepherd University
- Advanced Accounting Microcredential – Franklin University

Certifications

- Certified Public Accountant - West Virginia

Professional Affiliations

- American Institute of CPAs – Member
- Maryland Association of CPAs – Member
- West Virginia Society of CPAs - Member