

APPOINTMENTS EAST

Builder's merchant Travis Perkins has appointed the former vice-chairman of KPMG (UK) as a non-executive director. **Ruth Anderson** has joined the Northampton-based company's audit committee. She was vice-chairman of accountancy firm KPMG (UK) from 2005 to 2009. She is also a non-executive director and chairman of the audit committee of Ocado. Anderson does not hold any shares in Travis Perkins.

Toby Reid, the Nottingham-based entrepreneur and former operations manager at Growth Investment East Midlands, has become a director of BioCity. He will be responsible for the development of the successful bioscience business incubator. He will take charge of the day-to-day running of the business, which supports life science businesses to turn ideas into commercial ventures. Reid began his career as a chartered civil engineer with construction management experience, and has grown several successful businesses, including Heath Reid and Inafishbowl.com. He also managed Growth Investment Network East Midlands, the organisation that helped businesses access early stage finance.

The Leicester office of accountancy firm RSM Tenon has poached **Eddie Kerr** from PKF, where he was a partner of the Leicester office for 15 years. He will take up the role of director of corporate recovery at RSM Tenon at its Bede Island office. Kerr will deal with sectors including manufacturing, leisure, retail, recruitment, construction and distribution. Kerr will be running the Leicester recovery team under the leadership of Dilip Dattani, who has been promoted to regional director overseeing the East and West Midlands.

The managing director of Silverstone Holdings is among the private sector representatives appointed to the board of the South East Midlands local enterprise partnership. Six private sector directors have been recruited to the board: **Richard Phillips** of Silverstone; **John Corrigan** of Brackmills Industrial Estate; **Walter Greaves**, a former director at Mercedes-Benz (UK); **Steve Judge** from Bonfire Creative Intelligence; **Cheryl Smart** of Bedfordshire Chamber of Commerce; and **Tom Wells** from brewery Wells and Young. The board will be led by **Dr Ann Limb**.



Fine, the estate agency, has appointed **Chris Charlton** as its managing director. Charlton, who until recently was the head of northern region residential at Savills, will assume overall responsibility for the network of Fine branches. Charlton, who is a current member of the RICS Housing Policy Panel, will also oversee the ongoing acquisitions programme by Fine and the recruitment of additional team members.

strong interest in voluntary and community work. Taylor has a background in business management, temporary/contract recruitment and marketing and business development. He also served with the British Army as a high velocity missile specialist, and ran travel risk management and corporate security at Rolls-Royce.

DTZ has expanded its Nottingham office by appointing **Frank Smith** as senior surveyor. He joins from Derbyshire Building Society, where he was estates surveyor specialising in property valuation, rent reviews and property management. He joins the valuation team in Nottingham and will report to Philip Glenn, head of office.

Katie Bard Recruitment, part of the international Angela Mortimer Group, has appointed **Rebecca Wilson** and **Corbyn Passey** at its central Nottingham offices on Park Row. Passey recently graduated from Nottingham Trent University, while Wilson has joined the company having completed a degree at Loughborough University. Tamsin Millns, who leads the Katie Bard team in Nottingham, said the appointments would strengthen the company's expertise in recruiting top level PAs, secretaries and support staff across the region.

Philip Bown, the criminal and fraud barrister, has been appointed full-time in-house counsel with the business defence department at law firm Cartwright King. Having been head of Chambers in Birmingham and Leicester, Bown joined the criminal defence team at Cartwright King in 2010 to enable the firm to provide continuity of representation for clients from police station through to Crown Court.

The wife of Notts County Football Club's chairman Ray Trew has been named as a director of the company. **Aileen Trew** will take a role on the board of directors in a further restructure to the management. Last month it was announced that her husband would take sole responsibility for the club after Jason Brewer and Luke Jones left their directoral positions to focus on their involvement with Nottingham Rugby Club. Notts County said the move was a "mutually agreed restructure". In her new role, Trew will aim to improve the relationship between Notts County and its supporters, said the club. Her appointment takes place with immediate effect.

Cherry Professional, the recruitment company in Beeston, which specialises in finance and office support recruitment across the East Midlands, has taken on two members of staff. **Katie Delahunty** has joined the clerical finance team in Nottingham along with **Daniel Taylor**, who will work with Miriam Parris across Derby. Delahunty graduated from the University of Lincoln with a degree in journalism and public relations and has four years' recruitment experience. She previously spent a year travelling the world and has a