

The Columbia Greene Board of REALTORS Hires New Association Executive



Don Cummins, III

The Columbia Greene Board of Realtors® is proud to introduce the new Association Executive for the Columbia Greene Board of Realtors®, Inc. and Columbia Greene Northern Dutchess Multiple Listing Service, Inc. Don comes to us with an extensive legal and Realtor® background. Don started his legal career as the Fellowship Law Clerk to Chief Judge Michael Mukasey, U. S. Attorney General and then went on to one of New York City's premiere Antitrust and Corporate Litigation Law firms. He opened his own legal practice in Westchester and Putnam Counties over 20 years ago specializing in Real Estate and Trusts and Estates. During that time, Don was also the lead instructor and chair of the education committee for the former Putnam County Association of Realtors® ("PCAR") and an Instructor for the New York State Association of Realtors® ("NYSAR"). He was named PCAR 2008 Man of the Year.

Thereafter in 2011, Don became a full time Realtor® and joined the staff of the Westchester Putnam Association of Realtors®. As in-house legal counsel, he assisted in the merger with Orange and Rockland Counties thereby forming the Hudson Gateway Association and MLS ("HGAR & HGMLS"). Don continued with HGAR as their Director of Legal Affairs and Professional Standards until joining Coldwell Banker as a brokerage office manager and trainer.

Don will be begin serving our membership effective June 10, 2019