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KANSAS CITY FED ANNOUNCES OFFICER APPOINTMENT AND PROMOTION

Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City President and Chief Executive Officer Esther George recently made the following announcements:

Huixin Bi has been appointed to research and policy officer in the Economic Research Department. In this role, she will be responsible for advising on monetary and economic policy issues, contributing to the strategic direction of the Research Division, developing other economists and advancing thoughts on economic issues through publications, conferences, forums and other activities.

Bi joined the Bank in 2015 as a senior economist. She previously was an economist at the Bank of Canada and holds a bachelor's degree in engineering from Nankai University in China; a master's degree in engineering from Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology; and a Ph.D. in economics from Indiana University. Her main areas of research are fiscal policy, sovereign debt and computational economics.

Adam Winzenried has been promoted to vice president with responsibility for the Office of Enterprise Quality and Innovation within the Bank's Information Technology Division. The office is responsible for local application delivery, including enterprise architecture; user experience; project management office; business intelligence, analytics and data integration; software quality assurance; and the Bank's Tech Edge program.

Winzenried joined the Bank in 2003 as an analyst and held several management positions in a number of areas before being appointed assistant vice president in 2014. He previously served as Transformation Executive for a Federal Reserve System technology re-organization. He holds a bachelor's degree in business administration from Washburn University and is a certified Project Management Professional (PMP).

As the regional headquarters of the nation's central bank, the Kansas City Fed and its branch offices in Denver, Oklahoma City and Omaha serve the seven states of the Tenth District: Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Wyoming, northern New Mexico and western Missouri.