



## Kaminski Joins Landis Communities Team

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Landis Communities today announced the hiring of Ed Kaminski, Lancaster, Pa., as the Director of Landis Quality Living, an affiliate of Landis Communities designed to provide quality housing options for older adults in the region. Kaminski holds an International Business Diploma from Nijenrode University in Bruekelen, The Netherlands, and comes with extensive experience in developing affordable housing in the area.

Kaminski joins the team after serving for nearly 14 years as Director of Business Development at HDC MidAtlantic, a nonprofit with a mission of building hope and opportunity by providing safe and affordable places to call home. Before that, Ed was a Partner at The Roykam Group in New Paltz, NY, working in the areas of real estate investment, development and brokerage.

In his role with Landis Communities, Kaminski will lead the exploration, development and operations of market rate and affordable living opportunities for individuals age 55 plus.

Evon Bergey, Vice President of Community Initiatives commented, “I am excited to have Ed joining our team at this strategic time. We have worked closely with Ed on other projects through his role with HDC Mid-Atlantic and appreciate the passion, experience and wisdom he brings. Ed will work closely with Landis HCBS leaders to design innovative and practical housing with service models that we believe are needed now and in the future.”

When talking about his new role, Ed said, “My greatest satisfaction in 14 years working in affordable housing development has been witnessing seniors move into new homes and within weeks, seeing them thriving with new friendships and camaraderie in their new community. Having been a board member of Landis Communities, I have seen first-hand the staff's dedication to serving seniors. I am thrilled to be joining the wonderful team and look forward to helping to create living options for seniors in new communities that provide experiences that enhance and enrich their lives.”

Kaminski and his wife Kris, live in Manheim Township and are parents of two adult children. When he is not working, he enjoys traveling to new locations, cooking for family and friends, and the quest of continuous learning.

*Landis Communities was formed in September 2011, and grows out of the 50 plus year history of Landis Homes Retirement Community. It remains committed to the vision present at Landis Homes' beginning while preparing for growth and change during the years to come. The organization is committed to the following goals: Keeping retirement living strong and vital; Providing a number of affordable living options, including new models of age 55+ active adult living; Providing services at home – supporting aging in place; and to developing creative partnerships in support of all of these areas. More information can be found at [LandisCommunities.org](http://LandisCommunities.org).*