

Thomas Kevin Whalen is the National Fiduciary Executive and Senior Vice President of Fifth Third Bank. In his role, he is responsible for managing the risk and building consistency in the Investment Management and Trust (IM&T) line of business for Fifth Third. Additionally, he leads the Unique Asset division which manages real estate, mineral rights, notes and mortgages and closely-held entities held in trust. Kevin initially joined Fifth Third in 2005 as the Chief Financial Officer of the Investment Advisors Division followed by roles as the Chief Fiduciary Officer and Managing Director of IM&T and Private Banking.

Kevin began his career in public accounting spending twelve years with Price Waterhouse Coopers. He joined Bank One's Investment Advisory Division in 1992 where he held a succession of managerial roles, along the way he developed a new division and a new delivery channel. Just prior to joining Fifth Third, Kevin was the Managing Director of Trust Services at Manning & Napier Advisors.

Kevin graduated from Wittenberg University with a Bachelor of Arts. He is a Certified Public Accountant (inactive), a member of the AICPA, and holds several securities licenses. He is a past and founding Board Member of the Fisher College of Business Family Business Solutions Program at the Ohio State University and was a frequent speaker on the managing of closely-held assets in trust.

Kevin is married with three grown children. He has been an active leader in the Boy Scouts of America for over 20 years at both the unit and council level. In his spare time, he has a passion for sailing, which led to his participation in Europa 92 the first ever amateur round world sailing rally.