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ARTS & HUMANITIES COUNCIL ANNOUNCES NEW BOARD MEMBERS

Bainbridge Island, Wash. – April 5, 2012 – The Bainbridge Island Arts & Humanities Council has appointed three new members to its Board of Directors: Kate Anderson, Chad Haight, and Joe Levan.

A Bainbridge Island native, **Kate Anderson** is a Certified Public Accountant who holds degrees in Theater Arts and Finance/Accounting. Her professional background includes expertise in taxation, estate planning, and forensic accounting. She serves as Director of Family Office Services at Harris myCFO, Inc., in Seattle, and is a runner, a traveler, and a keen gardener and fly fisher.

Prior to becoming an independent publishing and marketing consultant, **Chad Haight** served as Vice President of Publishing for Hartley & Marks Publishers. His longstanding publications career also includes 21 years as President and Publisher at Sasquatch Books; 16 years at Seattle Weekly; and 3 years as Board President of the Northwest Bookfest. He is a photographer and a fourth generation Bainbridge Islander.

Attorney **Joe Levan** was born and raised in the Pacific Northwest and has called Bainbridge home for more than 16 years. He is legal consultant for a Seattle nonprofit providing legal, policy, and research assistance to cities, counties, and other local governments throughout the state. He served as an in-house attorney for Sound Transit and, early in his career, as a legislative aide for three different members of the U.S. Congress.

These accomplished individuals join Board officers Juliet LeDorze, President; Mike Lewars, Immediate Past President; Andrea Mann, VP of Development; Sandy Rich, VP of Governance, Ted Cozine, Treasurer; and Claire Younker Moe, Secretary. Other Board and staff members include Susan Arens, Patricia Bell, Christine Davis, Fritz Levy, Doug Nathan, Kate Ruffing, Amy Weber, Tina Yentzer, and Executive Director Barbara Sacerdote.

About the Arts & Humanities Council

For more than a quarter century, the Arts & Humanities Council has nurtured Bainbridge Island's cultural community with programs, services, and collaborations that form the core of our mission: *to create an environment on Bainbridge Island in which the arts and humanities flourish*. Last year we engaged 2,200 young people in a full range of quality arts and humanities programs; provided support services to local artists and cultural organizations; awarded \$55,000 in grants and scholarships to outstanding members of the cultural community; and engaged people beyond our island in the creative milieu that is Bainbridge.

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