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EDUCATION

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PERSONAL NOTE

■ "When I'm not working, I'm traveling – although I'm always reachable on my BlackBerry," he says.



Fiske began his professional career in 1960 with a national accounting firm. He later became an IRS agent in Miami. His early exposure to issues involving financial controls led him to establish a Miami-based systems analysis and software

development company in the early 1970s. The company focused on the development of computerized spreadsheet and financial data management software, which were predecessors to Lotus 1-2-3 and Microsoft Excel.

Know the pros

South Florida Business Journal's 2010 Key Partners Awards honors South Florida's top attorneys and accountants, based on their demonstrated success over the past year to 18 months.

This year, we are particularly pleased to be able to honor so many professionals who not only serve our local businesses so well, but also serve our community so generously. These dedicated lawyers and accountants have given both their time and resources to many who need them most in the region.

And they do this at a time when time and money are especially diffi-

cult to come by.

They are incredible supporters of South Florida businesses, as well – playing vital roles in many companies' success.

In our special section dedicated to them, you will find details about how to contact them, their professional backgrounds, education and some interesting notes about their lives outside the office.

Honoring them would not be possible without the support of our event and section sponsors: returning sponsor CBIZ and new sponsors Berger Singerman and Royal Cup Coffee.

In addition to managing the firm, Fiske takes an active role in directing client service and strategy as it relates to tax, business planning and litigation support services – which, he admits, is a demanding specialty "where we are required to always be at the top of our game." It's not surprising that Fiske believes specialized skills define the value of the key partner.

"A key partner establishes the standards for performance and ethics within his or her specialty," he says. "I continually challenge myself to improve my knowledge and embrace change. I've been doing this for over 35 years and am still enhancing my skills.