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## **The Denis Theatre Foundation Elects Three New Board Members**

**PITTSBURGH, PA, November 18, 2014** – The Denis Theatre Foundation today announced the appointment of Elmer Burger, Ellie Hall, and Katie Martina, to its Board of Directors.

The three new board members bring with them diversity of skills and decades of experience to compliment the Denis Theatre Foundation's existing board of directors.



**Elmer Burger** is University Architect/Planner at Point Park University, where he directs a \$244M campus and public enhancement public space plan. He is experienced in historical preservation, education, and project management. Elmer has worked on a wide range of design projects (including arts venues) in Washington D.C., Boston, and Pittsburgh. He is a graduate of Rhode Island School of Design.



**Ellie Hall** is a Human Resources Consultant. She has over 25 years experience, specializing in leadership and senior team development. Former positions include consulting roles with Development Dimensions, International & The Center for Creative Leadership. Her past non-profit board experience includes President of the Women's Resource Center in Hickory, NC, and member of the Rocky Mountain Women's Film Festival in Colorado Springs.



**Katie Martina** is a freelance copywriter and a Business Administration and Marketing student at the University of Pittsburgh. She is a Mt. Lebanon native and Denis Theatre volunteer with expertise in social media and event planning.

### **About The Denis Theatre Foundation**

Established in 2007, the non-profit Denis Theatre Foundation's goal is to re-open The Denis Theatre as a two screen venue showing independent, foreign language and documentary films. A Learning Center for special events and an area for displaying visual arts will enhance the theatre's space. The theatre will offer film lectures, classic and specialty film series and community events that will appeal to children, students and adults. For more information, call 412.668.0737 or visit [www.denistheatre.org](http://www.denistheatre.org).

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