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Principal Mike Vaden is the Director of Decosimo/Vaden, the entertainment and sports business management practice of the Decosimo CPA Firm.

For nearly 35 years, Mike has applied his expertise in royalty accounting, tax planning and financial management to all areas of the entertainment industry. Mike's specialized services to music professionals include concert tour accounting, royalty audits, tax planning and compliance, investment analysis, business management assistance and catalog valuation.

Mike understands the complex tax transactions and estate planning issues that present challenges for high net worth individuals, particularly entertainers and entertainment industry professionals.

Mike provides personalized service to his clients; utilizing his comprehensive knowledge of royalties, taxes and accounting systems, he often serves as a liaison between his clients and their bankers, lawyers and record executives.

He serves on the Board of Directors for the Nashville Songwriters Foundation, Rocketown and Sound & Speed. Mike is a member of many professional organizations, including the Country Music Association, Nashville Songwriters Association International, the American Institute of CPAs and the Tennessee Society of CPAs. He is also an alumnus of Leadership Music.

Mike is a U.S Army veteran and graduate of Middle Tennessee State University, where he earned a Bachelor of Science degree in accounting and business.