

## Kletsman joins Berkadia's New York City origination team

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Berkadia Commercial Mortgage has expanded its New York City loan origination team with the addition of new hire, Yuri Kletsman. Kletsman, an experienced mortgage banker, is responsible for originating commercial real estate loans through Berkadia's diverse lending platforms. Kletsman joins Berkadia as a senior vice president and reports to senior vice president, branch manager Nick Cassino.

Berkadia is a leading approved lender for Fannie Mae, Freddie Mac and HUD/FHA; a correspondent for insurance companies and other capital sources; and also offers proprietary fixed and floating-rate loan options.

Kletsman formerly was with Alliant Capital Group, where he originated commercial real estate loans through a variety of capital sources.

"With his solid track record and an impressive client list, Yuri is a great addition to our team," said Cassino. "Berkadia is a very well-capitalized mortgage banking firm, and we are leveraging our financial strength to expand our lending platform with new products to meet the needs of our clients. This creates opportunities for everyone involved in the process."

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