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Cleary Gull to open Appleton office

Cleary Gull's investment banking group has added Daniel Thome, a former managing partner with Grant Thornton Corporate Finance, as managing partner and will open an office in Appleton.

Thome will divide his time between Cleary Gull's headquarters in downtown Milwaukee and the new office in Appleton, managing director Ron Miller said Wednesday. Thome has more than 26 years of transactional experience and significant relationships in Wisconsin's Fox River Valley, the rest of the state and the entire nation, Cleary Gull said.

Thome most recently was founder of **Edgemoor LLC/Axiom Advisors**, a boutique mergers and acquisitions and consulting firm. In his previous position at Grant Thornton, he worked in Milwaukee and also was a partner at **Grant Thornton LLP**. He began his career at Andersen LLP.

Cleary Gull's investment banking group advises clients on exclusive sales, mergers, acquisitions, raising private debt and equity capital, and other transactions.