HAPPENINGS

Industry news from spas, suppliers and professionals. Send yours to taschetta-millane@allured.com.

PEOPLE (1)

Maureen Vipperman has been appointed spa director at **The Spa at Pacific Palms** in Industry Hills, CA. 626-810-4455

Tara Manna has been appointed West Coast sales and education consultant with **Amber Products**, 800-821-9188

Steven Duddy, CEO of Strategic Direction, has been appointed to the faculty for the new Business and Marketing Strategies advanced education program at **Aesthetic Medical Institute**. 760-771-0293



M. Vipperman



T. Manna

EVE TAYLOR

The company has introduced its new range of retail aromatherapy skin care packaging within the United States, following successful launches in Europe and Asia.

44-1733-260161,

sales@eve-taylor.com



DERMOLOGY MED SPA

The Pasadena, CA-based spa has launched a Brown Bag Luncheon Series designed to demystify new treatments for skin rejuvenation and anti-aging. This monthly event will feature a nutritious lunch followed by a demonstration of leading-edge skin care technology and products. 626-683-3363, info@dermologymedspa.com

Cosmetologists Chicago

Tradeshow Week magazine recently identified Henry Givray, chairman and CEO of SmithBucklin—the firm that manages the company's Chicago Midwest Beauty Show—as one of the 100 most influential people in the trade show business. 800-883-7808, info@chicagomidwestbeautyshow.com

Biotone

A study funded by the company and conducted by the Touch Research Institutes (TRI) at the University of Miami School of Medicine in Miami, suggests that massage therapy is effective in reducing hand pain and increasing grip strength in patients with arthritis. 800-445-6457, service@biotone.com

REPÊCHAGE

Glamour magazine readers who went to participating spas in New York, Los Angeles, Chicago, Dallas and Boston

had the chance to be the first to experience the company's new Vita Cura 5 Phase Firming Facial thanks to an exclusive deal found in the publication's Glamour Shopping Guide in its October issue. 800-248-7546, info@repechage.com



International Dermal Institute

The company recently hosted a Guest Speaker Evening at its headquarters in Rancho Dominguez, CA, spotlighting beauty industry coach and motivational guru Bryan Durocher, founder of Durocher Enterprises and creator of business-building tools and materials including *The Success Circle* and *The Secrets of Ka-Ching*. 888-292-5277



B. Durocher

AMBER PRODUCTS

The company's Treatment Bars recently have been chosen to serve as the in-room spa treatment carts for the professional Sensiere of Spa Velia at the newly renovated U.S. Grant Hotel in downtown San Diego. 800-821-9188