

# Dakia Knight to Lead 5,800 Local REALTORS® in 2026

On December 11, 2025, Dakia Knight was installed as the 2026 President of the Richmond Association of REALTORS® (RAR).

Hailing from Richmond, VA, Knight brings over a decade of dedicated service to her clients in the local area. Her journey in the real estate industry commenced immediately after graduating from the University of Richmond.

Transitioning from a successful solo career, Knight founded the KEY Team in 2017, a comprehensive real estate team committed to prioritizing clients' needs above all else. Currently serving as the Managing Broker for ICON Realty Group, she oversees the management and growth of a thriving team comprising over 65 agents. Knight's vision as a real estate broker is centered on elevating the standard of client care, with a focus on establishing trust and mutually respectful relationships at the forefront of every transaction.

"I'm honored to continue my service as President of RAR," said Knight, "My mission is to redefine the real estate experience, aiming to alleviate the stress associated with buying and selling properties."



Laura Lafayette, CEO of RAR and Central Virginia Regional Multiple Listing Service, commented: "Dakia's commitment to shaping the real estate landscape in her community is inspiring. I am honored to have the opportunity to continue serving alongside her."

