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NY Advisory Opening Toronto Office

Odyssey Retail Advisors, a real estate advisory firm headquartered in New York, with offices in Miami, Chicago and Los Angeles specializing in luxury and contemporary retail, is expanding into the Canadian retail market with the addition of four Canadian industry veterans. Casdin Parr, David Bishop, and Ryan McCarthy are joining Odyssey's new Toronto offices as executive vice presidents, along with Lesia Czech as director.

"This is a pivotal step in Odyssey's continued evolution as a global advisory platform," said Rich Johnson, Principal at Odyssey Retail Advisors. "Casdin, David, and Ryan are widely respected for their deep client relationships, market expertise, and strategic thinking. Their presence enhances our ability to support clients in one of the most important luxury markets in North America."

Parr, most recently Executive Vice President, Retail Advisory Services at JLL, joins Odyssey with more than 17 years of experience advising leading global fashion, lifestyle, and luxury brands and Bishop, brings more than three decades of experience in the Canadian retail industry, also most recently Executive Vice President at JLL and previously a principal at Meridian Retail Group. McCarthy specializes in tenant representation for national and international retailers, with more than 13 years of experience spanning both tenant and landlord advisory. He too was most recently with JLL as Senior Vice President and Ms Czech joins Odyssey as Director, following 15 years at Oxford Properties Group where she held progressive roles across property management and leasing, most recently working on the retail leasing of the National Mixed-Use and Urban portfolio.

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Odyssey Retail Advisors advises luxury and contemporary retailers in expanding their footprints worldwide and guides developers in creating unique and upscale shopping destinations.

Odyssey's expertise encompasses strategic planning, market analysis, financial evaluation, and more, all delivered with a boutique ethos.

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