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Perine Named Manager of St. Louis Fed's Memphis Branch

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ST. LOUIS — **Martha L. Perine**, vice president of Personnel and Customer Relations for the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, has been named manager of the Memphis Branch, effective February 1, 1997.

Perine has a bachelor of arts degree in business administration from Clark Atlanta University in Atlanta, Georgia, and a master of science degree in economics from Washington University in St. Louis. She is the central regional director and immediate past treasurer for Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.

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