

## Snortland, Fernandez, Brown & Gruver case study

# Taxfyle simplifies time spent preparing tax returns

Snortland, Fernandez, Brown & Gruver (SFBG) partnered with Taxfyle and reduced the amount of steps it took to complete tax returns for their clients while reducing operating expenses.

## The study's background

### The clients

Located in Roseville, Ca., SFBG was founded in 1946 and has provided their region with various accounting and tax services. The firm offers a range of accounting and tax services, and its seven employees handle work for 275 clients.

### The problem

During tax season, SFBG struggled finding adequate staff and after one of their partners left, SFBG struggled to find a replacement, leaving two partners to fill the gaps. Their issues finding quality CPAs is a problem they faced for years, which added stress and bottlenecks to their existing workflows.

### The challenge

With fewer graduates and employee attrition, the industry's staffing challenges hit SFBG hard. Taxfyle provided a unique solution to SFBG's staffing concerns, allowing the firm to handle tax season's demands. Taxfyle enabled SFBG to connect with qualified CPAs and EAs within California, addressing the issue head-on.

### The solution

Taxfyle and SFBG partnered together to develop a solution to their staffing needs. Taxfyle customized a workspace and assigned a CPA from its Pro network to handle the jobs SFBG submitted.

### The results

The firm was able to optimize its existing workflow, creating an "efficient, cost-saving, stress relieving" experience. This helped reduce the time it took to complete tax returns and scale further.

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**"We have a very complex multi-step process preparing returns here. With having [Taxfyle] do it, it made mine and Rich's job more efficient because we could actually skip one of the steps."**

**Patricia Gruver**, partner at SFBG