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Eric Meade Achieves Certified M&A Specialist Credential

DALLAS - Dec. 28, 2017 - The M&A Leadership Council today announced the addition of another Certified M&A Specialist to the ranks of credentialed merger and acquisition professionals: Eric Meade. The M&A Leadership Council is a global partnership of professional services firms, authors, experts and luminaries in the field of M&A, dedicated to identifying best practices; establishing standards for training and certification; and providing methods, tools and expertise to companies conducting mergers and acquisitions.

The Council's exclusive certification program, Certified M&A Specialist (CMAS), is distinct in the marketplace based on its unique requirements of Education, Experience and Exam (3 E's). A candidate cannot achieve certification without successfully completing all three elements of the program.

"We're very proud of Eric's accomplishment, and we're confident this will make a valuable impact on his career now and going forward," said Jim Jeffries, Chairman of the M&A Leadership Council. "The time has come for the contributions made by merger and acquisition professionals in the business to be acknowledged and rewarded. This certification is a recognition of the knowledge, effort, resourcefulness and commitment by these individuals toward their specialties in M&A."

About M&A Leadership Council

The Council has trained and advised over 525 companies in a series of public seminars and management briefings on The Art of M&A. Topics range from strategy and readiness to due diligence, integration, and optimization. More than 1,000 M&A executives have attended the training over the last five years. The Council also provides proprietary tactical tools and in-house training to companies desiring more successful mergers and acquisitions. Learn more about the M&A Leadership Council at macouncil.org.

About Eric Meade



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Eric Meade joined Entre Prises Climbing Walls in 1994 and led it through its largest growth period in history, before a successful exit in 2008. Since then, he worked as the Membership Director for

Opportunity Knocks, was an investor in two Bend Venture Conferences, co-founded Bend Outdoor Worx and opened his own consulting business-Eric Meade Consulting.

His passion is to support and develop leaders of businesses to establish clear strategies, financial planning, implementation planning, and a sustainable profitability model. Eric is a subject matter expert in developing world-class infrastructure for newer companies while driving innovative product development.

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