

Press Release
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**Sanford Rose Associates joins the
International Executive Search Federation**

The International Executive Search Federation (IESF) is pleased to announce that Sanford Rose Associates has joined its global network. IESF is the world's largest retained executive search federation and is delighted to welcome Sanford Rose Associates ("SRA") as one of its global partners. The extensive network of over 65 Sanford Rose Associates offices primarily located throughout the USA will considerably enhance IESF's presence in the USA. The expanded IESF will have 160 offices in 40 countries.

IESF Joint Presidents Mark Geary & Jaap Hoekstra said, "We are delighted to welcome Sanford Rose Associates as a Partner of IESF. The combination of the strong office network of Sanford Rose Associates in the USA and IESF's leadership in executive search for the emerging markets will makes our enlarged network the most extensive in the executive search industry."

Rich Carter, President of the parent of the Sanford Rose Associates network, added "I am very pleased to be partnering with IESF, not only because of our increased global reach, but also due to the overlap of core values, principles and philosophies. Our partnership with the IESF allows our Sanford Rose Associates network to offer our clients top-tier recruitment capability and other value-added services on a truly global scale."

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