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Headshot attached

ERICKSEN KRENTEL WELCOMES CHAD LEINGANG AS CAO

NEW ORLEANS – **Chad Leingang CPA** has joined Ericksen Krentel as chief administrative officer, where he will assist with firm management and strategic initiatives. That includes focusing on the firm’s strategic growth plan and leading the Performance and Career Excellence (PACE) program, which enhances staff development and retention.

Chad brings more than 21 years of financial leadership experience to the firm. He most recently served as president and CEO of the LSU Health Sciences Center Foundation, where he doubled the company’s assets to \$140 million. Chad additionally served as the Foundation’s chief financial officer. Prior to that, he spent the early part of his career as an audit manager with a local public accounting firm.

Chad is a member of the Society of Louisiana Certified Public Accountants, a board member of St. Edward the Confessor School, treasurer of the Silver Run Lakes Property Owners Association and has held leadership positions with Jesuit High School Parents’ Annual Giving, the St. Edward Association of Men, Boy Scouts of America Pack 496 and the Jefferson SPCA.

Chad earned his bachelor’s degree in accounting from Louisiana State University.

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