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ACAMS Hosts AML/Financial Crime Prevention Virtual Career Fair

*Online Event Connects Compliance Professionals and
Nationally-Recognized Employers*

MIAMI, Fla., January 7, 2014 – The Association of Certified Anti-Money Laundering Specialists (ACAMS) hosts its first-ever Virtual Career Fair on February 11, 2014, from 12 PM to 3 PM EST. The complimentary event is open to the entire compliance community and aims to connect Anti-Money Laundering (AML)/Financial Crime Prevention professionals with employers seeking qualified candidates to fill open positions.

John J. Byrne, CAMS, Executive Vice President at ACAMS, believes the Virtual Career Fair is an important step for the association in helping compliance departments struggling to find qualified talent, “This is a powerful opportunity for employers to scout the best candidates and for job seekers to reach well-respected institutions and network with hiring managers.”

Prior to the event, candidates who register may view employers, career opportunities, and additional information about each hiring organization. Once signed in to the online event, candidates will visit employer “booths,” where they engage in a one-on-one chat with recruiters from participating financial institutions. During that time, job seekers can share their background, certifications, related work experience, résumé, and ask questions. Upon conclusion of the event, both parties receive a transcript of their appointments and notes for their reference and follow-up.

Byrne states that the Virtual Career Fair has distinct advantages over traditional recruitment fairs: “By going digital, we facilitate a dialogue between remote candidates and employers who may not otherwise have a chance to connect. The ACAMS community is a concentrated, expert group of compliance-focused candidates who could be a perfect match for the high volume of growing compliance positions.”

The ACAMS Virtual Career Fair takes place on February 11, 2014 from 12 PM – 3 PM EST and is free to job seekers. For more information or to learn more about hosting an employer booth, visit

<http://www2.acams.org/VCF>.

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