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News Item: 2023 WWCDA® Chapter Launch – South Carolina

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## **WWCDA's strong presence expands in the U.S.**

*The global women's white collar law association continues its membership growth*

(WASHINGTON, D.C.) WWCDA® is pleased to announce the launch of a new chapter. On November 1, 2023, WWCDA launched the South Carolina Chapter. The South Carolina Chapter is the third chapter that WWCDA has launched this year, solid evidence WWCDA continues to put itself on the map, not only in the U.S. but around the world. View the South Carolina Chapter leadership [here](#).

“WWCDA is excited to launch the South Carolina Chapter,” said WWCDA Global Chair and Co-Founder Karen A. Popp. “We are committed to elevating women and diversity in the white collar field across the globe. We launched Belgium and Austin, Texas earlier this year and adding South Carolina showcases the great need for our association throughout the world and the prominence it carries not just to members, but across the legal community.”

With South Carolina, WWCDA now has 30 chapters in the U.S., 19 chapters throughout Europe, Canada, Latin America and Asia Pacific. WWCDA Chapters throughout the world are crucial in promoting diversity in the practice, achieving equity, and elevating inclusivity around the globe. Watch for additional chapters to be established in the future. For more information on WWCDA, its mission, and chapters, click [here](#).

The South Carolina Chapter of WWCDA will sponsor events for members and guests from other WWCDA chapters and other invited guests, such as speakers, focused discussion forums, social events, and other gatherings. They are committed to mentoring younger women attorneys and consultants in the white collar defense and compliance field as well as enhancing business development opportunities for senior practitioners.

To follow along with developments of WWCDA and to join the conversation on social media, use hashtag #WWCDA

Founded in 1999, with the goal of addressing the large gender gap in white collar law and compliance, the Women's White Collar Defense Association (WWCDA) promotes the common business and professional interests of women attorneys and other professionals who specialize in the representation of corporations and individuals facing government enforcement actions, internal investigations, compliance, and other defense matters. WWCDA promotes diversity in the legal profession, facilitates networking and business development, and provides educational programming. WWCDA initiatives facilitate women connecting, collaborating, and advancing in white collar defense around the world. The WWCDA has grown to more than 3,000 members in 49 chapters in 18 countries throughout North America, Europe, Latin America, and Asia Pacific. WWCDA Chapters are located in Washington, D.C., New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Atlanta, Louisiana, Austin, Dallas, Houston, Indianapolis, Pittsburgh, Denver, Phoenix, San Diego, Seattle, Connecticut, Florida, New Jersey, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee/Alabama, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Ohio, Oregon/Idaho, Puerto Rico, London, Ireland, France, The Netherlands, Switzerland, Italy, Germany, Spain, Luxembourg, Belgium, Toronto, Vancouver, Québec, Brazil, Peru, Hong Kong, Japan, Australia, and India.

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