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Human Capital's Publisher Named Official HRCI Accreditation Source

Richmond, VA - *Human Capital* magazine's publisher, Douglas Publications LLC, was recently recognized as a Human Resource Certification Institute (HRCI) authorized provider of PHR (Professional in HR), SPHR (Senior Professional in HR), and GPHR (Global Professional in Human Resources) continuing education credits. As a result, Douglas Publications can accredit its HR-related audioconferences, events and products for PHR, SPHR and GPHR continuing education credits. Almost 70,000 HR professionals hold professional designations certified by HRCI, and every three years, they are required to accumulate 60 hours of approved continuing education credits.

Cornelia Springer, HRCI executive director, states, "The SPHR, PHR and GPHR are the premier certifications for HR professionals and we are delighted to welcome Douglas

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Publications LLC into our list of authorized providers for recertification training materials. As Douglas Publications' list of training materials continues to grow, SPHRs, PHRs and GPHRs can take advantage of the flexibility and convenience of the audioconferences and other distance learning opportunities."

Emily Howard, publisher, *Human Capital*, says, "Douglas Publications' recognition as an authorized HRCI provider of continuing education adds another layer of credibility to its HR publications and products. Douglas has become a 'go to' source for PHR's and SPHR's continuing education needs."

In addition to publishing *Human Capital*, Douglas Publications owns Briefings Publishing Group, a business-to-business newsletter and educational resource publisher. Briefings offers HRCI accredited training resources, including *Hiring Secrets - 12 Tips to Get Candidates to Reveal their True Selves*, *Solving People Problems on the Job*, and *Solving (Even More) People Problems on the Job*.

Curtis Wharton, director of business development, Douglas Publications LLC, says, "The HR industry is hungry for easy access to training tools and information that is available in a variety of media. Douglas Publications answers this need through *Human Capital* magazine, *Human Capital Briefings Ezine*; the *Human Capital* Audioconference Series; the *Manager's Edge*, *Team Management Briefings* and *Leadership Strategies* newsletters; and

a variety of workforce management audio learning tools. Now, when HR professionals use these tools, they not only gain knowledge to do their jobs better, they also get credit toward their certification."

Human Capital (humancapitalmag.com) is the "how to" magazine for the strategic HR professional. It offers solutions and strategies to help companies invest in employee skills and talent to create successful companies that are great places to work. The magazine opens new lines of communication between the C-suite and the HR department to build successful businesses that serve the needs of customers and employees. *Human Capital* is published by Douglas Publications LLC, which also produces HR audioconferences, electronic publications, training videos and DVDs, and management newsletters.

HRCI (hrci.org) is an independent, international recognized certifying body for the HR profession. HRCI certifications require professionals to demonstrate their expertise in the core principles of HR practice and the application of those principles.

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