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**The Institute of Management Consultants Announces 2016 - 2017 Leadership**  
*Don Matheson Re-elected Chair and CEO of IMC USA*

*Palm Beach Gardens, FL* – The Institute of Management Consultants (IMC) announced the re-election of its top two officers and the addition of one new Director. Don Matheson CMC was elected to a second term as Chair and CEO of IMC USA. Don is a successful management consultant with a long history of leading 501(c)3, 501(c)6 organizations as well as private sector companies. In addition to numerous leadership roles with IMC USA, he is also the Founding Chair of the IMC USA Foundation.

**Don Matheson** CMC, of Greensboro, NC was elected to continue in the role of Chair and CEO of IMC USA. He served as Treasurer the three years prior to his election to IMC USA Chair & CEO in 2015. He also served as Board Chair of the Finance and Audit Committee for four years.

**Dennis Schumaker** CMC, PMP, MCSE, of Ann Arbor, MI was re-elected by the IMC membership to continue as IMC USA Treasurer.

**Loraine Huchler** CMC, P.E., of Lawrenceville, NJ will continue her board service as Immediate Past Chair of IMC USA and Vice President of Professional Learning.

**Juan Negroni** of Weston, CN was elected to a second three year term and will continue his current duties with C2M Live and as Chair of the Governance Committee.

Don Matheson CMC® is CEO for NorthStar Management and has provided consulting services to management for more than 20 years. NorthStar was originally formed to provide consulting services to companies involved in Mergers, Acquisitions, and Chapter 11 Bankruptcy turnarounds. However, it quickly grew into a powerful resource for any small to mid-sized company looking to improve its operational performance. Don helps CEOs and other C level executives improve their company's financial performance and strengthen their balance sheets while optimizing the utilization of existing resources. His efforts have led to significantly increased corporate profits and the preservation of countless jobs.

Mr. Matheson has served IMC in multiple roles including President of the Carolinas Chapter for four years and as its Certification Chair from 2009 to 2015. Don was elected Chair of the IMC USA Foundation in 2012 and served in that capacity until 2015. He is the recipient of the IMC USA 2013 Achievement Award for his financial expertise, strong leadership and ongoing commitment. Don has extensive Board experience having served on numerous boards including the Georgia Manufacturers Association where he also served as an officer of the organization before relocating to North Carolina. He served six years on the Board of Directors for the Georgia State Chamber of Commerce during that same time period. In addition to serving on the Middle Georgia United Way Board, he was Founding Chair of the Heart of Georgia United Way. Don has served on a number of Business & Economic Councils at the state and national level.

Dennis Schumaker has been an IMC member since 1994 earning his CMC in 2002. He has participated in numerous national conferences and provided extensive service to the organization in the Michigan area. Mr. Schumaker is Executive Vice President of Schumaker and Company based in Ann Arbor, MI. Schumaker and Company provides numerous management consulting services including executive management, corporate organization, operations management, strategic corporate planning and information technology.

Joining Mr. Matheson on his leadership team is the following newly elected director:

- **Parag Ambardeker** CMC – Principal, Dash Group Inc., Bowie, MD

He joins the following directors who continue on the IMC USA Board:

- **Angela Dingle** CMC - President and CEO Ex Nihilo Management, LLC., Washington DC
- **Constantinos Stavropoulos** CMC – Founder, InnoValue, Athens, Greece
- **Jim Park** - Principal, Advanced Performance Associates, LLC, Larkspur, CA
- **Terry Flanagan** - President, Smart Decision Services, Inc., Chicago, IL
- **Raymond Suarez** CMC – President, Quality Management International, Suitland, MD

“I am honored to be re-elected the Chair and CEO of the highly respected IMC USA,” said Don Matheson CMC. “IMC has elected an outstanding group of leaders and I am excited to be working with them to achieve our mission of setting the standard of excellence and ethics in our profession.”

### **About the Institute of Management Consultants USA**

IMC USA is the certifying body and professional association for management consultants and firms in the USA. The IMC USA mission is to promote excellence and ethics in management consulting through certification, education, and professional resources. IMC USA awards the profession's internationally-recognized designation of the CMC<sup>®</sup> (Certified Management Consultant<sup>®</sup>) and CMC Firm<sup>®</sup> (Certified Management Consulting Firm<sup>®</sup>). The CMC<sup>®</sup> designation is recognized in 48 countries, including 17 of the G20, and is the highest earned recognition that can be achieved in the management consulting profession. It is a standard for excellence competence and ethics in consulting. The CMC designation acknowledges extensive experience, technical competence, peer reviews, client satisfaction, and oral and written examinations of and adherence to the IMC USA Code of Ethics. For more information about IMC USA, please visit [www.imcusa.org](http://www.imcusa.org).