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Appointment Announcement

Kevin J. Palmer

CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER

We are pleased to join President Gerald T. Brouder of **Columbia College in Missouri** in **announcing the appointment of Mr. Kevin J. Palmer as Chief Information Officer.**

Mr. Palmer recently served as the Chief Information Officer for the Francis Howell School District in Saint Charles, Missouri, where he was responsible for the overall management of IT infrastructure and staff for 28 sites, 6,500 computers, database operations, network operations, budget preparation, project management and regular public presentations to the Board of Education. He has additional technological and management experience with St. Louis College of Pharmacy, the United States Bankruptcy Court and the McDonnell Douglas Aircraft Company.

Mr. Palmer received his MBA in Business Administration from Fontbonne University, and his BS in Management Information Systems from Maryville University. He also has his Associates of Applied Science in Electronic Technology and completed certifications in Computers, Internetworking, and Linux System Operations.

Columbia College is a private, coeducational liberal arts and sciences college that has provided academic distinction in higher education for over 150 years. Today, the College remains firmly focused on its roots by providing a traditional campus experience to approximately 1000-Day Campus students. Each year, more than 20,000 students are served through Columbia College campuses and online educational programs.

This appointment is the result of a national search in which our firm served as consultants to Columbia College.