

Executive MBA Council Elects New Members to its Board of Trustees

ORANGE, CALIF., Sept. 21, 2009 – Members of the Executive MBA Council elected two new representatives to its Board of Trustees: Gonzalo Freixes, associate dean of the Executive and Fully Employed MBA Programs at the University of California Los Angeles (UCLA) Anderson School of Management, and Carol Newcomb, executive director of Executive Education and the Executive MBA program at the Fisher College of Business at The Ohio State University (OSU). Freixes and Newcomb will begin their three-year terms at the Executive MBA Council Conference, set for Oct. 18-21, 2009, in San Diego, Calif.

Freixes teaches MBA courses in business law, international regulation of business and federal taxation. He also serves as director of the Strategic Management Research and international programs for the UCLA Anderson Executive MBA Program, and has taught courses in international regulation of business in Chile, Argentina, Spain and France. Freixes has a doctorate in jurisprudence from Loyola Law School and a master in business taxation from the University of Southern California. He practiced law in California for more than 30 years.

Newcomb was involved in starting the Executive MBA program at OSU in 1999. Before that, she was the executive director of the Center for Management Development at the University of Buffalo, where she helped develop and was responsible for the start-up of its Executive MBA program in 1994. Newcomb received a bachelor of arts from Iowa Wesleyan and an MBA and Ph.D. from the University of Buffalo. Her corporate background includes managerial positions in the Carborundum Company and health care facilities in Arlington Heights, Ill., and Omaha, Neb.

About the Executive MBA Council

The Executive MBA Council provides a place for programs to share best practices and gathers industry data. Currently the council includes more than 200 educational institutions that administer 300 plus Executive MBA Programs worldwide. For additional information, visit www.embac.org or contact Paula Mielke, media relations, 651-647-0311 or paula.mielke@embac.org.