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LEADING CORPORATE COMMUNICATIONS PARTNER TO SPEAK AT ROSEMONT COLLEGE

Rosemont, PA-Founding partner of Joele Frank, Wilkinson Brimmer Katcher, Judith Wilkinson will speak at Rosemont College at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 26, 2008 in the Reading Room of the Gertrude Kistler Memorial Library, located on Rosemont's suburban campus. The event is being sponsored by the Office of College Relations.



Ms. Wilkinson is a 1972 graduate of Rosemont College and has broad experience in public and investor relations, including crisis and transactions and advises client across a wide range of industries. Among her recent engagements, Ms Wilkinson represented Great Plains Energy in its announced acquisition of Aquila; Morgans Hotel Group in its acquisition of the Hard Rock Hotel & Casino in Las Vegas; Agere Systems and LSI Logic in their merger; and numerous other clients with respect to dissident shareholders, proxy contests and financial crises. Ms. Wilkinson also advises numerous long-term clients on various public relations and investor relations matters.

Prior to joining Joele Frank, Wilkinson Brimmer Katcher, Ms. Wilkinson was a Managing Director at Abernathy MacGregor Frank. While there, she advised a variety of U.S. and international companies on corporate matters and transactions. These included The Pittston Company (now Brink's) in its elimination of tracking stock; AMP in its defense against an unsolicited takeover attempt by Allied Signal; WorldCom in its merger with MCI; and the Government Development Bank for Puerto Rico in its sale of a majority stake in the Puerto Rico Telephone Company to

GTE.

Ms. Wilkinson began her career holding a number of corporate positions with AT&T. For AT&T Capital, a subsidiary of AT&T, she managed a start-up leasing business, served as Chief Financial Officer for another of its strategic business units, and was head of corporate development, a position in which she negotiated mergers and acquisitions for AT&T Capital. Earlier she worked in the financial planning group of AT&T's Corporate Treasury where her responsibilities included raising debt and equity, and managing AT&T's relationship with the rating agencies.

Wilkinson's presentation is free and open to the public. For more information, contact Alexis Kropp at 610.526.2967, or akropp@rosemont.edu.

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Founded in 1921 by the Society of the Holy Child Jesus, Rosemont College is an independent liberal arts institution in the Catholic tradition located on the Main Line, 11 miles west of Philadelphia, on the border of Montgomery and Delaware Counties. The nationally-acclaimed, traditional Undergraduate Women's College confers B.A., B.S. and B.F.A. degrees in twenty-one majors. Rosemont College also includes the Schools of Graduate and Professional Studies, which are open to both women and men. For more information, visit www.rosemont.edu.

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