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The Association of International Certified Professional Accountants, representing the unified voice of the American Institute of CPAs (AICPA) and The Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA), has appointed Dr. Jeremy Osborn, CPA (Aust.), CGMA, FCMA, to the newly created role of global head of environmental, social and governance (ESG) matters.

Osborn's hire represents AICPA & CIMA's continued commitment to provide all accounting and finance professionals with the resources, tools and skills they need to support the transition to more responsible business practices, enhance the reliability

of ESG-related disclosures and place long-term value creation at the heart of

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association's vice president and managing director of learning, education and development for management accounting.



Dr. Jeremy Osborn, CPA.

"This is a key strategic area for our association and the global accountancy profession," Noah said. "Jeremy has deep experience in ESG, a strong record of accomplishment and direct experience of engaging with the relevant stakeholders in this category. The main focus of his job will be to help both our management accounting and public accounting professionals integrate ESG matters into their strategy, operations and reporting."

Osborn joins the association from the Value Reporting Foundation (VRF), for which he served as director of accountancy relationships. At the VRF, he worked with accountancy bodies and leading accounting firms to increase the pace and scale of adoption of integrated reporting, integrated thinking and sustainability accounting standards across the globe. Prior to that, Osborn worked at EY, The Prince's Accounting for Sustainability (A4S) Project and Accenture, supporting a wide range of organizations to connect their sustainability and climate strategies with their core business objectives. Osborn began his career in commercial management with Unilever.

Osborn was previously a volunteer member of the association's Corporate Reporting

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and reporting, which provide sustainable foundations for long-term value creation by organizations," Osborn said. "I'm really excited to get started."

\*The Value Reporting Foundation will consolidate into the IFRS Foundation on August 1 this year to support the work of the International Sustainability Standards Board (ISSB).

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