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ABACUS WORLDWIDE CONFERENCE

HAAG attended the 6th Annual Conference of Abacus Worldwide, an International Association of Independent Accounting and Legal Firms.

HAAG attended the 6th Annual World Conference of Abacus Worldwide held in New Orleans, LA at the Royal Sonesta Hotel from October 18-20, 2018. The conference attracted legal and accounting firm partner level delegates from 18 different countries across five regions: Asia Pacific, EMEA, Latin America, North America and Oceania. The educational program offered delegates a wealth of information on emerging financial and legal opportunities and issues and provided a forum to share best practices in practice management for professional service firms.

Through attendance at Abacus Worldwide conferences, *HAAG* fortifies its global business connections and enhances its ability to provide assistance, referrals and increased knowledge to clients with international business needs. In addition, clients of the firm will benefit directly from

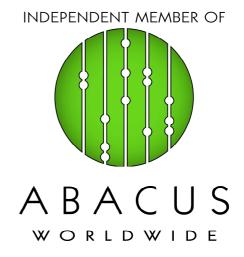
the relationships and resources that were exchanged between member firms of Abacus Worldwide at the Annual Conference.

"Abacus conferences create a forum for business exchange, meaningful partner level interaction, and innovative idea sharing. Delegates participate in educational sessions led by industry thought leaders, keeping members ahead of the curve on local and international business trends. We are truly pleased that *HAAG* participated in 6th Annual World Conference PORTUGAL representing amongst attendees from 18 countries." says Iulio Gabay, President and CEO of Abacus.

"Navigating US Trade Sanctions", presented by Galloway Law Firm, of New Orleans and "Cyber Liability", presented by Rebecca L. Rakoski, co-founder and managing partner at WPAN Law Group, a boutique law firm focusing exclusively on cybersecurity and data privacy, were among the relevant presentations made during the Conference, raising important issues that were lively discussed by the participants.



Abacus Worldwide is a professional alliance comprised of independently owned and managed professional service firms providing direct access to law firms and accounting firms in every region of the world. As a multi-discipline membership association, both law and accounting firms join Abacus in order to support international business referrals, participate in knowledge exchange and gaining access to practice management tools all to better serve their growing clients.



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