



RBC Capital Markets Joins RIXML.org as a New Member

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RIXML.org, a consortium of buy-side, sell-side and vendor firms committed to the development and implementation of the first open standard for investment research, is pleased to announce that RBC Capital Markets has joined RIXML.org as a new member.

RBC Capital Markets' parent, the Royal Bank of Canada, is the 5th largest bank in North America; RBC Capital Markets(RBCCM) is a premier investment bank operating out of 70 offices in 15 countries across North America, the U.K., Europe and Asia Pacific, offering structured products and trading services in equities, fixed income, currencies and commodities, and corporate advisory services including equity and debt origination, M & A and corporate lending.

"RIXML.org welcomes RBC Capital Markets as a new member" said Jack Roehrig, Executive Director of RIXML.org. "As a top-ranked Research team with over 300 analysts and associates, across the globe, they will bring a valuable perspective to help RIXML.org's ongoing mission. We look forward to our partnership and to their contributions."

Chip Fauver, Co-COO of Global Research at RBCCM, writes: "RBCCM is pleased to join RIXML.org in its pursuit of industry-leading Research standards. It has become abundantly clear that RIXML is now the preeminent forum for providers, vendors and readers of institutional research to discuss evolving trends and change in our industry. My colleagues at RBCCM and I look forward to active participation in the dialogue to vet, and subsequently shape, these standards for the future."

About RIXML.org

RIXML.org is a consortium of buy-side, sell-side and vendor firms that was formed to define an open standard to improve the process of categorizing, aggregating, comparing, sorting and distributing global investment and financial research. For more information about the RIXML specification and RIXML.org, please visit the website at www.rixml.org.