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THE CITY OF GLENDALE AND WESTGATE CITY CENTER WELCOME DEVRY UNIVERSITY AS NEW PREMIER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION

GLENDALE, Ariz.— University students will soon have a new opportunity in Glendale; DeVry University has chosen Glendale’s Westgate City Center as its fourth Arizona location, occupying approximately 18,000 square feet, bringing dozens of new professional jobs to the city.

In a unique business strategy created among the city, DeVry and Westgate, the school will be located in office/retail space on the first and third floors of Westgate’s Building E, which is along Sunset Boulevard. Instructional rooms will occupy approximately 16,000 square feet, with another 2,000 dedicated to office space. They also anticipate strong demand, noting that the new location’s capacity can serve approximately 500 students. DeVry University plans to begin classes at the new Glendale center later this summer.

“DeVry University students and staff will bring an incredible synergy to our already solid foundation of retail, restaurant and event offerings, and we’re thrilled that they’ve chosen Westgate,” said Steve Ellman, Chairman/CEO The Ellman Companies, owner and developer of Westgate City Center. “A university tenant furthers our goal of creating a true City Center, and we know that students and staff will absolutely love being part of our dynamic and energetic atmosphere, just steps from major sporting and concert events.”

This addition enhances Glendale’s standing as the West Valley leader in higher education opportunities. At its new Glendale location, DeVry University will offer the school’s undergraduate degree programs through its colleges of Business & Management and Engineering & Information Sciences. DeVry University offers market-driven curricula, blended on-site and online learning options, small class sizes and accelerated program scheduling. DeVry University’s Keller Graduate School of Management will also offer a number of master degree programs in business and technology in Glendale. DeVry University is accredited by The Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association.

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“DeVry University will round out Glendale's superb lineup of educational options and complements Thunderbird School of Global Management, Northwestern University, Glendale Community College and Arizona College of Allied Health, who already call Glendale home,” said Economic Development Director Brian Friedman. “It’s important to the city that we continue to focus on enriching opportunities, such as DeVry University, and the power of bringing higher education to our community in order to provide our residents with the ability to diversify their job skills and remain competitive in today’s economy.”

“We are thrilled to bring quality career-focused education to the Glendale community,” said Jeff Blake, dean of the new Glendale center. “DeVry University is committed to being a top choice for higher education in the career fields of the 21st century. We look forward to serving area residents from our new West Valley location.”

As one of the largest degree-granting higher education systems in North America, DeVry University provides high-quality, career-oriented associate, bachelor’s and master’s degree programs in technology, science, business and the arts. More than 80,000 students are enrolled at its more than 90 locations in 26 states and Canada, as well as through DeVry University’s online delivery. DeVry University, a division of DeVry Inc. (NYSE: DV), is based in Downers Grove, Ill.

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