

PRESS RELEASE

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**“UHY STRENGTHENS PRESENCE IN CENTRAL AMERICA”
New member firm in El Salvador joins the UHY network**

We welcome, Asesores Y Consultores, S.A De CV, our new member firm in El Salvador, to the global accountancy network UHY, extending our coverage within the Central Americas region.

Asesores Y Consultores, S.A De CV, was established in 1996 and is based in the capital San Salvador. The firm provides a wide range of audit, accounting, finance, tax and business process outsourcing (BOP) services. Their typical clients range from large corporates to small and medium-sized companies covering a variety of sectors: agriculture, catering, education, financial services, insurance, IT, non-governmental organisations, not-for-profit, pharmaceutical, real estate and retail.

Managing partner, Omar Pérez of Asesores Y Consultores, S.A De CV comments: “El Salvador, bordered between Guatemala and Honduras, is the smallest and the most densely populated country in Central America. Since reducing its dependence on coffee, it has embarked on diversifying its economy by opening up trade and financial links and expanding its manufacturing sector. Our membership of the UHY global network will enhance our local capabilities and enforce our commitment to support international clients seeking to invest in Central America.”

Bernard Fay, chairman of UHY comments: “We are delighted to welcome Asesores Y Consultores, S.A De CV to the UHY network extending our coverage and capabilities in Central America. The firm has strong established links with our member firm, UHY Pérez & Co, in Guatemala who played a pivotal role in bringing the firm to the network and will be involved in the management of the firm. We strongly believe that the firm’s regional market knowledge and expertise should present a very good fit for our network.”

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