



Press Release

May 21, 2008 - Sindex Financial Systems, a boutique consulting firm providing business and technology solutions to the investment management industry, has announced that Jill Cikins has joined the firm.

Ms. Cikins brings over 13 years of industry experience in the financial sector. Her focus over the past years has been consulting in Wealth Management, delivering solutions to meet the demands of HNW/UHNW clients, while improving firms' efficiency and customer service. With the addition of Ms. Cikins, Sindex has expanded their service offerings and launched a new Wealth Management practice. She will be responsible for delivering premium business and technology services in this sector.

"We are extremely pleased to welcome Jill to Sindex," said Mike Berger, CEO of Sindex, "Her domain expertise and ability to implement complex projects will add great value to our clients. A new Wealth Management practice will be a complementary addition to our existing suite of services as Sindex continues to evolve to meet the needs of the buy side community."

Prior to joining Sindex, Ms. Cikins was a Director at Acai Solutions where she was responsible for building the Wealth Management Practice. She has in-depth knowledge across multiple business lines and has worked with clients to develop customized solutions including portfolio construction tools and tax efficiency models. Prior to that, Ms. Cikins was an Implementation Manager at Charles River Development, and a Senior Project Manager at Bond Technologies. Ms. Cikins holds a B.B.A degree in Finance from University of Michigan.

About Sindex

Sindex Financial Systems is a premier boutique buy-side investment technology consultancy committed to delivering high-impact economic value to the world's leading asset managers, hedge funds, and pension funds. Sindex has been providing innovative investment technology management, services and products since 1997.