

## AGN EUROPE LTD NEWS RELEASE

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## Record attendance at AGN Europe's annual IFRS Seminar

The AGN Europe IFRS Seminar was successfully held at the offices of AGN's German member firm Becker Büttner Held (BBH) in Berlin, Germany on 11 September 2015.

A record number of 55 delegates attended the Seminar, representing 32 member firms in 23 countries.

The seminar was opened by the Chair of the AGN Europe Education Committee, **Liam McQuaid**, who welcomed all to the event and gave a brief update on 'AGN's latest developments'.

A presentation followed by **Andreas Weinberger** and **Andre Fiebiger** of the German AGN member firm Wirtschaftstreuhand on **'What's new in the IFRS World'**.

Scott Walters, of AGN's US member firm Daszkal Bolton then presented on 'Accounting Issues for US Parent and European Subsidiaries, including main differences between IFRS and US GAAP'.

Furthermore, **Philip Krais** of German AGN member firm Wirtschaftstreuhand also presented on **'Errors** in IFRS Financial Statements - Highlights of the Current ESMA Enforcement Decisions'.

**Pierre Olivier Cointe** of French member firm Caderas Martin gave a presentation on 'The New Leasing Model'.

**Pers Aswani** of UK member firm Hazlems Fenton presented on 'Revenue Recognition - Accounting, Measurement & Disclosure; Auditing Issues'.

**Liam McQuaid** engaged the attendees in a general Question and Answer session before closing the meeting.

The AGN Europe Education committee has hosted this event for several years, with growing numbers in participation.

**Liam McQuaid** comments: "The success of the AGN 2015 IFRS Seminar is a fitting endorsement of AGN's commitment to excellence by providing a forum to assist members in refining their IFRS knowledge. The Seminar compliments the other accounting training tools available to AGN member firms including AGN webinars, videos, IFRS help line and Technical Newsletters."

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