



The Standard Appoints Rob Baumgarten as Vice President of Field Service

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PORTLAND, Ore.--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- Standard Retirement Services, Inc. ("The Standard"), a subsidiary of StanCorp Financial Group, Inc. (NYSE:SFG), is pleased to announce the appointment of Rob Baumgarten as vice president of Field Service. He will be responsible for managing The Standard's field client relationship management teams throughout the country.

Baumgarten is a fourteen-year veteran of The Standard, having previously served in sales leadership and management roles. Most recently, he served as a vice president of Field Sales, managing The Standard's field sales team. In his new role, Baumgarten will also lead The Standard's participant enrollment and education efforts.

"Rob brings a unique perspective to this important leadership role and will play an integral part in enhancing our ability to complement the service delivery models of retirement plan advisors," said Harley Spring, vice president of Plan Services. "His deep knowledge of the retirement plan industry, along with his passion and dedication to the customer experience, will serve retirement plan advisors and their clients well."

Baumgarten is a graduate of the University of Colorado in Boulder, where he earned a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration. He holds FINRA Series 7, 24, 63 and 65 securities licenses. He will be based out of The Standard's Denver sales and service office.

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