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IMEA Announces 2025 Lifetime Achievement Award Recipient Award Presented During IMEA Annual Leadership Summit and Second Annual Philanthroppic Day

October 30, 2025 — The Investment Management Education Alliance (IMEA) is proud to announce that Kimber Lintz, Executive Director of the IMEA, has been named the recipient of the **2025 IMEA Lifetime Achievement Award**.

Since its founding in 1971, IMEA has recognized visionary leaders whose efforts have advanced the organization's mission and supported the collective success of its members. The Lifetime Achievement Award, now in its second year, celebrates individuals who have made significant and lasting contributions to the evolution, growth, and overall success of IMEA. The 2025 award was presented to Kimber in recognition of her 35 years of dedicated leadership and service, during which she has played a defining role in shaping the organization and advancing the investment management community.

The honor was presented during the **2025 IMEA Leadership Summit**, held October 28-29 at Invesco in New York. Hosted by Invesco and supported by Leadership Partner Alpha FMC, the Summit brought together members from all IMEA Executive Councils for two days of open, candid discussion on the most pressing issues facing the industry. Sessions included topics such as modernization, M&A trends, Al adoption, and leadership development—featuring insights from Oliver Wyman, Broadridge, Seismic, SS&C Technologies, and McChrystal Group.

In conjunction with the Summit, IMEA also hosted its second annual **Philanthropic Day**, once again supporting **Ronald McDonald House Charities (RMHC)**. Members and partners came together to assemble NICU care bags for families with infants in neonatal intensive care units, demonstrating the community's ongoing commitment to making a difference beyond the workplace.

"Kimber's leadership, energy, and unwavering commitment have been at the heart of IMEA's success," said Jim Cove, IMEA Chair and Executive Vice President, Head of U.S. Marketing at Natixis Investment Managers. "Her ability to evolve the organization alongside the industry — and to foster a strong sense of community among member firms — has left an enduring legacy."

Under Kimber's guidance, IMEA has continued to expand its member programs, foster collaboration across all facets of the investment management industry, and strengthen its position as a hub for leadership development, education, and innovation.

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About IMEA

The Investment Management Education Alliance (IMEA) is a leading trade group dedicated to advancing the asset management industry through education, collaboration, and innovation. IMEA provides a platform for industry professionals to connect, exchange ideas, and stay informed about the latest developments in investment management. With a commitment to excellence and member-driven initiatives, IMEA continues to be a trusted resource and advocate for its diverse membership base. For more information, visit www.imeaconnect.com.