

## **Marc Ayas, new Director of International Human Resources and Compensation in Almirall**

**Barcelona, 18 November 2008.-** Almirall announces the appointment of Marc Ayas Carretero as Director Human Resources International & Compensation, reporting to the Human Resources Corporate Director, Anselm Diví. This appointment reinforces the human resources team and is a further example of Almirall's commitment to its international consolidation and adaptation of its compensation and benefits policies.

Marc studied Physical Science at the University of Barcelona and a Master Degree in Human Resources Management from EADA Business School.

Marc brings to this position an extensive professional career. In the past he has held positions in a variety of companies in the industrial sector, including Intermas Nets, S.A. as Organisation and IT Manager. The last few years were spent in Meadwestvaco, as European Human Resources Director.

### **About Almirall**

Almirall, an international pharmaceutical company based on innovation and committed to health, headquartered in Barcelona, Spain, researches, develops, manufactures and commercialises its own R&D and licensed drugs with the aim of improving people's health and wellbeing.

The therapeutic areas on which Almirall focuses its research resources are related to the treatment of asthma, COPD (Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease), rheumatoid arthritis, multiple sclerosis, psoriasis and dermatology in general.

Almirall is currently present in over 70 countries with direct presence in Europe and Latin America through 11 affiliates.

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