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**Bridgepoint Consulting Names Manager, GRC practice**

**Austin, Texas, August 1, 2011** – Bridgepoint Consulting, LLC, a leading Austin-based professional services and consulting firm, has named Shelly Hobbs as Manager, Governance Risk Management & Compliance practice. Shelly has provided finance, accounting, and internal audit work with Fortune 100 and emerging companies and brings this valuable experience to Bridgepoint.

Bill Patterson, Principal for Bridgepoint Consulting said “We’re excited about Shelly joining the Bridgepoint team. Her internal audit experience with a broad range of industries ranging from medical products to manufacturing adds tremendously to our capabilities.”

Recently, Shelly was Director, Internal Audit with ReAble Therapeutics, a multinational private equity owned medical products company. In this role she managed their international audit initiatives spanning from operational audits to their SOX 404 implementation. Other Fortune 100 experience includes Internal Audit and Director of Operations roles with Solectron Corporation and operations and accounting positions with Applied Material and Louisiana Pacific.

“With my new role at Bridgepoint, I’ll be able to leverage my experience and help our clients drive their successes. I’m excited to be joining a great team of professionals who have a proven track record in the Central Texas business community. We’re going to achieve some great accomplishments for our Bridgepoint clients.” said Shelly Hobbs.

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In addition to Governance, Risk Management and Compliance, Bridgepoint Consulting provides Financial Operations & Reporting; CFO Services; Business Turnaround and Restructuring expertise; Recruiting and Permanent Placement; and strategic IT services.

Bridgepoint Consulting's clients represent emerging, mid-market and larger organizations across Texas in diverse industries, including technology, construction, public sector, manufacturing, health care, logistics, energy, retail and financial services.

### **About Bridgepoint Consulting LLC**

Transforming companies to achieve success, Bridgepoint Consulting is a leading Texas-based professional services and consulting firm. To bridge gaps and accelerate growth, the firm offers on-demand, experienced professionals and strategic services. Bridgepoint Consulting provides expertise in finance, compliance, IT, transactions and restructuring.

Serving Central Texas for over a decade, Bridgepoint Consulting has more than 60 professionals and has worked with 200 clients in the past 24 months. The firm's growth and success is a result of its high-caliber professionals and disciplined highly-responsive approach to addressing its clients' objectives.

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