Center for Creative Leadership Earns Third Straight Top 5 Ranking from Financial Times

23 MAY 2016 – HONG KONG – For the third year in a row, the Center for Creative Leadership (CCL®) ranks No. 4 overall in the Financial Times worldwide survey of executive education, which was released today.

CCL also ranks No. 6 globally for Open Enrollment programs and No. 7 for Custom programs in the 2016 survey.

Additionally, the Financial Times rates institutions in 10 sub-categories for Open Enrollment and Custom.

In Open Enrollment, CCL ranked in the Top 10 in eight categories: Preparation; Course Design; Teaching Methods & Materials; Faculty; New Skills & Learning; Food & Accommodations; Aims Achieved; and Facilities.

In Custom, CCL also placed in the Top 10 in eight categories: Preparation; Program Design; Teaching Methods and Materials; New Skills & Learning; Follow-Up; Aims Achieved; Facilities; and Future Use. CCL also ranked No. 1 for the second straight year for the number of international participants in its Custom programs, reflecting the growing global reach and impact of its offices in Africa, Asia, Europe and North America.

CCL is the only institution – from more than 85 in the rankings – that focuses exclusively on leadership development.

The rankings are based on direct feedback from organizational and individual clients who rated leading executive education providers, including Harvard, Wharton, IMD and Insead, for quality and impact.

“This survey features a highly competitive field, and CCL’s continued success reflects the results we deliver for the many individuals and organizations we are privileged to serve,” said CCL President and CEO John R. Ryan. “Clients throughout the world entrust us with their leadership journeys, and we are very grateful for the partnership.”

“Ottobock AP has worked with CCL for almost 10 years and CCL’s Leadership Development Program (LDP) is one of the cornerstones in the development of our top leaders in Asia Pacific who are responsible for managing our country branches and driving the region’s growth,” said Ralf Stuch,
Executive Vice President, Finance and Treasury and Regional President, Asia Pacific, Otto Bock HealthCare GmbH. “We’ve seen immense success in all participants and the LDP has become an integral part of our leadership development programs to continually develop our executives and empower them to excel as leaders in our organization.”

“We couldn’t be more pleased to be placed amongst the top providers for executive education globally – extending our impact of developing leaders and transforming organizations, while benefitting societies worldwide,” said Dr Roland Smith, Senior Vice President and Managing Director, Asia-Pacific, CCL. “As we pursue our belief of lifelong learning amidst a volatile environment of change, we aim to continue bringing our latest research knowledge and innovative solutions to leadership development journeys throughout the nation and region.”

About CCL
The Center for Creative Leadership (CCL®) is a top-ranked, global provider of leadership development. By leveraging the power of leadership to drive results that matter most to clients, CCL transforms individual leaders, teams, organizations and society. Our array of cutting-edge solutions is steeped in extensive research and experience gained from working with hundreds of thousands of leaders at all levels. Ranked among the world’s Top 5 providers of executive education by Financial Times and in the Top 10 by Bloomberg BusinessWeek and the Financial Times, CCL has offices in Greensboro, NC; Colorado Springs, CO; San Diego, CA; Brussels, Belgium; Moscow, Russia; Addis Ababa, Ethiopia; Johannesburg, South Africa; Singapore; New Delhi-NCR, India; and Shanghai, China.