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Experienced, Multidisciplined Financial Services Team Launches Private Credit Investment Firm

Chestnut Run Capital Partners, a newly formed private credit firm, today announced its official launch. Focused on companies with strong growth prospects, Chestnut Run Capital aims to fill a critical gap in the market by offering bespoke, non-dilutive financing solutions to businesses operating in the three core sectors of climate, human health, and education.

Chestnut Run Capital will provide debt financing to lower middle market and small segment companies seeking to scale. Recognizing the unique needs of each borrower, Chestnut Run Capital will tailor financing to offer flexibility and alignment with the specific requirements, and growth trajectories of its borrower companies. Financing solutions include asset-based lending, trade finance, and bridge loans, in addition to direct term loans.

“We believe there is significant unmet demand for flexible capital solutions for rapidly scaling companies operating in sectors that are critical to our future,” said Yeng Felipe Butler, founder and managing partner. “By combining deep industry expertise with a modern approach to scaling our own operations and investment process, Chestnut Run is uniquely positioned to provide the capital and support these businesses need to succeed.”

Most recently at Allspring Global Investments and State Street Global Advisors, Butler has 29 years of financial services and asset management operating experience spearheading strategic initiatives, expanding core business lines, and leading investment teams. At Allspring, she served as a member of the executive management team and led the Multi-Asset Investment and Global Liquidity Solutions teams.

Butler is joined by Lead Portfolio Manager Jonathan Buenaventura, who actively managed over \$4 billion in institutional portfolios through various market cycles across diverse fixed-income instruments at Allspring/Wells Fargo Asset Management.

The founding team brings strong origination, underwriting, portfolio and risk management, and sector expertise to its mission of supporting high-growth companies while providing a consistent income stream and preserving capital for its investors.

The firm leverages a built-for-purpose technology platform — its Modern Toolkit™ — to streamline processes and enhance its ability to adapt to evolving market dynamics. As directed by the investment team, this approach empowers the efficient assessment, monitoring, and proactive management of credit exposure risk, and supports the firm’s commitment to provide exceptional service and transparency to its borrowers and investors.

Alongside competitive financial returns, Chestnut Run Capital is committed to generating purposeful outcomes in the sectors it serves.

Healthcare entrepreneur Dr. Marcy Carty, an advisor to the firm, said, “With its clear focus and unique approach, the Chestnut Run team is not only equipped to create value for its investors and clients, but also for the broader sector ecosystems in which they operate.”

About Chestnut Run Capital Partners

Founded in 2024, Chestnut Run Capital Partners is a private credit investment manager delivering non-dilutive, flexible financing solutions to small and low middle market companies in the climate, human health, and education sectors. The firm enables companies to scale and achieve their full growth potential while it seeks attractive, risk-adjusted returns for its investors. For further information, please visit chestnutruncapital.com.

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