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UTAH ATTORNEY GENERAL MARK SHURTLEFF TO HONOR EAGLE GATE COLLEGE GRADUATES

LAYTON, Utah (May 2, 2011)—Utah’s three-term Attorney General Mark Shurtleff will deliver the keynote address at Eagle Gate College’s Layton Campus commencement exercises, to be held at Austad Auditorium, located at Weber State University in Ogden on May 5, 2011 at 5:30 p.m.

Mark L. Shurtleff is serving as the first three-term attorney general in Utah history. In his first eight years in office, the number of meth labs in Utah was reduced by 98% and he has talked to thousands of students and parents about the dangers of drugs and led the effort to obtain millions of dollars in funding for education and rehabilitation. Shurtleff’s Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force has received national recognition. In addition, Attorney General Shurtleff has toured the state and helped develop technology to teach parents and children how to be safe online.

“These students have worked their hardest and we are proud to see them graduate,” said Karen Smith, President of the Eagle Gate College Layton Campus. “But our work isn’t done,” she said. “We’ll continue helping these students through each step of their career, no matter where life takes them.”

Honored students represent the following programs: Accounting, Business Administration, Business Management, Criminal Justice, Graphic & Web Design, Medical Assisting, Medical Insurance Billing & Coding, Paralegal Studies, Personal Fitness Training, Pharmacy Technician, Professional Massage & Bodywork. Of the students being honored, 80 will receive a Diploma, 105 will receive an Associate’s Degree and 24 will be awarded a Bachelor’s Degree.

About Eagle Gate College

Eagle Gate College is a leader in career education in Utah. Bachelor’s degree, Associate’s and diploma programs are designed to address the rapidly growing demand for educated and skilled professionals in Utah. With thousands of graduates along the Wasatch Front, Eagle Gate College graduates are working in their chosen careers and gaining valuable career experience in much less time than would be possible through traditional education routes. Eagle Gate College has locations in Salt Lake City, Murray and Layton and is accredited by the Accrediting Council for Independent Colleges and Schools (ACICS). www.eaglegatecollege.edu

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