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## **David Karpinski Named U.S. Western Regional OEM and National Account Director for Universal Lighting Technologies**

**NASHVILLE, Tenn.** (March 28, 2019) – Universal Lighting Technologies, Inc., a member of the Panasonic family of companies, recently announced the addition of David Karpinski as Director of Sales, OEM West and National Accounts. In his new role, David will be responsible for managing Universal’s relationships with OEM lighting partners in the company’s western region, as well as corporate initiatives with key national accounts.

“We are excited to have someone with David’s comprehensive knowledge in business development and consultative sales approach join our team,” said Thomas Kim, VP of OEM Sales for Universal. “As a proven expert in the industry, we are confident David will go above and beyond to serve our lighting customers, while mutually growing our EVERLINE LED component business.”

David brings more than 20 years of industry experience to the company, playing an instrumental role in generating continuous and positive results. With an extensive background in lighting component sales and national account management, David has successfully implemented best practices throughout his career resulting in documented achievements.

### **About Universal Lighting Technologies, Inc.**

Universal Lighting Technologies, Inc., a member of the Panasonic group and a subsidiary of Panasonic Lighting Americas, Inc., engineers, manufactures and markets innovative solutions for commercial lighting across North America, including LED drivers, LED modules, fluorescent, HID and connected devices using wired and wireless technology. Universal’s EVERLINE® LED retrofit continuum provides a range of solutions for upgrading fluorescent to LED. With over 70 years of experience, the company is recognized for its commitment to quality and customer service. Learn more about Universal at [www.unvlt.com](http://www.unvlt.com). Like us on [Facebook](#) and follow us on [LinkedIn](#) and [Twitter](#).

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