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SEBASTIAN AND MORRISSEY JOIN LEDA STAFF

LAFAYETTE, LA— Cara Sebastian was recently hired as Executive Assistant at LEDA. In this role, she is responsible for maintaining the President and CEO's daily schedule as well as coordinating his public speaking engagements.

Sebastian is a December 2006 graduate of Pennsylvania State University with a bachelor's degree in Communications with minors in Business and Labor Studies & Employment Relations. Prior to her employment at LEDA, Sebastian worked in human resources in the Pittsburgh area.

Meg Morrissey has joined LEDA as a Research Associate in the Information Services Department. Within this department, assorted information related to business and industrial development in Lafayette Parish is maintained and provided to the public. Morrissey will work with clients to provide additional services such as market research, site selection, and industry analysis.

Morrissey, a Missouri native, is a graduate of Louisiana State University with a bachelor's degree in Economics. Previously, she worked in the research department at the Missouri Economic Research and Information Center.

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