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ICAN PRESENTS DEEPAK CHOPRA, RENOWNED SPIRITUAL & HEALTH GURU

(OMAHA, NEB.) – The nonprofit Institute for Career Advancement Needs (ICAN) today announced it will host “An Evening with Deepak Chopra” on April 6 at the Qwest Center Omaha. The event is co-sponsored by Methodist Health System. Tickets are available online at www.icanomaha.org.

Formerly the chief of staff at Boston Regional Medical Center, Chopra is an endocrinologist and one of the world’s most recognized authorities in the field of mind-body medicine. His Chopra Center for Well-Being offers training programs that integrate the best of Western medicine with natural healing traditions. Time Magazine named Chopra as one of the top 100 heroes and icons of the 20th century and dubbed him the “poet-prophet of alternative medicine.”

Mary Prefontaine, executive director of ICAN, said, “ICAN’s mission is to develop inspired business leaders and Dr. Chopra is a renowned practitioner in the field of leadership development. His views resonate with ICAN’s philosophy of how our mind, body and soul are integrated, and how they mirror who we are and who we aspire to be.”

“Deepak Chopra’s commitment to enhanced health and spiritual development is a natural complement to our philosophy of care for the new Methodist Women’s Hospital,” said Sue Korth, vice president and chief operating officer for the women’s hospital. “Methodist Health System is delighted to partner with ICAN in introducing Dr. Chopra to the Omaha community.”

Chopra regularly mentors corporate and political leaders through his Soul of Leadership workshops at prestigious business schools including Harvard, Wharton and Stanford. The prolific author of more than 50 books, he serves as an adjunct professor at the Kellogg School of Management and participates annually as a lecturer at the Update in Internal Medicine sponsored by Harvard Medical School. Chopra is a fellow of the American College of Physicians and a member of the American Association of Clinical Endocrinologists.

The April event will feature a presentation by Chopra highlighting his latest work followed by a book signing. Tickets start at \$29.

About ICAN

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