## U.S. CENTURY BANK IN THE NEWS

## U.S. Century Bank adds Jose Garcia as SVP

U.S. Century Bank announces the addition of Jose "Joe" Garcia as Senior Vice President / Lender within its Corporate Lending division.

As a Corporate Lender, Garcia will be responsible for creating and maintaining relationships with market clients, anticipating needs and working directly with senior management to deliver long-term solutions aimed at business expansion. As part of the Corporate Lending team, Garcia will also assist in areas ranging from asset-based lines of credit to integrated treasury management.



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"Jose's past experience and knowledge of middle market lending will make him a valuable new addition to our Corporate Lending area," said **Luis de la Aguilera**, President and CEO of U.S. Century Bank.

Most recently, Garcia held the position of Vice President Middle Market Lender at Mercantil Commercebank where he built a loan portfolio of \$33 million in a two-year period. Previous work at SunTrust Bank as 1<sup>st</sup> VP Global Trade Solutions Sales Officer had him responsible for developing and executing sales strategies targeting trade finance and trade service products.

Garcia graduated from Florida International University with a bachelor's degree in business administration. He later attended the University of Wisconsin's Graduate School of Banking.

## About U.S. Century Bank

Established in 2002, U.S. Century Bank is one of the largest community banks headquartered in Miami and one of the largest Hispanic-owned community banks in the nation, with assets of almost \$1 billion. Through its network of 17 branch locations and its online banking platform, it offers its customers a wide range of financial products and services. U.S. Century Bank has received awards and accolades from numerous organizations for its philanthropic support and leadership, including the Beacon Council, Greater Miami Chamber of Commerce, South Florida Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, Latin Builders Association, March of Dimes and others. For more information or to find a U.S. Century branch near you, please call (305) 715-5200 or visit <u>www.uscentury.com</u>.

