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Atlanta Restoration Professional to be Featured at International Symposium at Georgia Tech

Smyrna, GA- October 12, 2011 – Restore All Inc., a full service disaster restoration and remediation company, is pleased to announce that our Vice President of Operations, Mark McLaughlin, has been selected to present at the Cleaning and Industrial Research Institute (CIRI) Science Symposium November 9-11 2011 in Atlanta, GA.

Mr. McLaughlin will be presenting his abstract, "Mold Remediation According to the Standard of Care: Does It Work, Is It Worth It? ".

Mr. McLaughlin developed this abstract from his thesis and research that earned him the Certified Mold Professional (CMP) designation earlier this year. Mr. McLaughlin built four identical rooms, contaminated them with mold growth and then used various remediation techniques in each room. He took multiple samples in order to determine if following the industry standard of care really makes a difference during mold remediation. From this extensive study, Mr. McLaughlin determined that following the New York City guidelines, EPA recommendations, and OSHA suggestions for handling small amounts of mold (less than 10 ft.²) can put people at significant risk because the right engineering controls and protections aren't being used. His startling discoveries went through extensive peer and professional review before being awarded this high level certification.

The Cleaning Industry Research Institute International (CIRI) innovative fall science and technology symposium, to be held at the Georgia Institute of Technology Conference Center November 9-11, will focus on profusion and confusion over many new and different types of disinfectants, sanitizers and antimicrobials. Attention also will be given to innovations in cleaning science and disinfection, federal regulations, how newer technologies are influencing the cleaning industry, and the aspects of cleaning technology that involve reduced-chemical, physical and chemical-free disinfection.

The Cleaning Industry Research Institute began in 2005 as an idea first shared by several visionary pioneers before about 50 of the cleaning industry's leading members followed suit. Shortly thereafter CIRI became the only independent and impartial institute involved in cleaning and maintenance research. Its purpose was to improve indoor environmental quality for all buildings and facility types. Today CIRI is a not-for-profit scientific, educational and research institute recognized for its groundbreaking cleaning science and research programs.

"I am honored to have been chosen for this opportunity," said Mr. McLaughlin. "It is great to perform research that you know benefits you, your clients, and the cleaning industry. I look forward to the event and I hope to shed some light on proper mold remediation and the consequences of doing it poorly. This will be the first time that anyone has spoken at a CIRI symposium and publically challenged the New York City Guidelines on mold remediation as well as the OSHA and EPA standards."

Restore All is a full service disaster restoration company for residential, commercial and industrial properties throughout the Southeast. RestoreAll specializes in water, fire, smoke and storm damage clean-up, mold remediation, lead and asbestos abatement and complete build back after a loss.

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