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## Savant's Steve Cummings Earns Professional Designation

**WILMETTE, IL (May 7, 2018)** – <u>Savant Capital Management</u>, a nationally-recognized fee-only wealth management firm located in Wilmette, is pleased to recognize Financial Advisor <u>Steve Cummings</u> for earning the Chartered Financial Consultant<sup>®</sup> (ChFC<sup>®</sup>) professional designation.

The ChFC<sup>®</sup> designation is granted by The American College of Financial Services and represents the completion of a comprehensive curriculum covering extensive education and application training in all aspects of financial planning, income taxation, investments, and estate and retirement planning. Individuals earning the designation are understood to be experts in financial matters and have the ability to provide sound financial advice.

Cummings is a financial advisor with Savant, a member of the Advisory Team, and has a membership interest in the firm. He is responsible for managing all aspects of the financial planning and investment process for the Savant's clients. Cummings has been involved in the financial industry since 1991.

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