



Kirkman CEO Eric Gripentrog Named CEO of the Year March 21th, 2023

Kirkman, a leading provider of high-quality nutritional supplements and specialty products, is pleased to announce that it's CEO, Eric Gripentrog, has been named CEO Monthly's "CEO of the Year."

(<https://www.ceo-review.com/issues/2022-ceo-of-the-year/34/>)

The award recognizes Gripentrog's exceptional leadership, vision, and dedication in driving Kirkman's growth and success. Under his guidance, the Kirkman Group has accelerated manufacturing capabilities, leveraged new partnerships, and strengthened its position as a leader in the nutritional supplement industry.

"I am honored to receive this award from CEO Monthly," said Gripentrog. "At Kirkman, we are committed to providing the highest quality products and services to our customers, and this recognition is a testament to the hard work and dedication of our entire team."

Kirkman's product line includes nutritional supplements, specialty products, and probiotics, all of which are manufactured in their own state-of-the-art cGMP FDA regulated facility to ensure the highest quality and purity. The company has a long-standing commitment to providing safe, effective products that meet the needs of its customers.

"Our brand essence, helping people live healthy lives, sums up our values and goals. This has been our mission for nearly 75 years. Our core values align our company, the brand, and employees to delivering the purest and cleanest supplements to customers and consumers", affirms Gripentrog.

In 2011, Kirkman developed its Ultra Tested® standard, testing all its raw materials and finished products to meet a purity threshold far beyond industry standards and government requirements. Kirkman has long been considered a leader in this field and their reputation as a quality producer has earned us the status of contract manufacturer for several other respected brands.

"We are thrilled that Eric has been recognized with this prestigious award," said Rod Waltermann,

Chairman of the Kirkman Group. *"His leadership has been instrumental in guiding our company to new heights, and we look forward to building on our success under his continued guidance."*

Looking forward, Kirkman Group plans to go public in 2023, offering investors an opportunity to invest in a company with a strong track record of growth and success. The company has experienced consistent year-over-year revenue growth and expects to continue this trend in the years to come.

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