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Arcopédico USA Announces New Public Relations Representation Healthy Footwear Company Signs on with New PR Firm Bullpen Press

SPARKS, NV (November 1, 2014) – <u>Arcopédico USA</u>, distributor of high-quality, Portuguesemade comfort and travel footwear for women and men, announces new public relations representation with <u>Bullpen Press</u>.

Arcopédico eagerly steps towards new representation, "It's exciting times to try something new with a PR company who knows our shoes well," said general manager Dan Simas.



Bullpen Press president, Karen Beaudin says, "I have been a fan of Arcopédico shoes for years and look forward to a successful campaign."

Simco Imported Shoes, Inc. (Arcopédico USA) is the sole distributor of Arcopédico shoes in the United States. They feature a wide variety of comfort shoes in knit, leather, or Lytech[™] – boots, sandles, Mary-Janes, flats, walking, oxfords, and more. Arcopedico shoes are sold in over 500 independent shoe retailers throughout the U.S. and online.

Arcopédico shoes are hand-made in Portugal and was founded in 1966 by Elio Parodi, inventor of the original knit shoe. Distinct features include –



• "Barefoot" upper - flexible/non-binding shoe which conforms to the top of the foot to allow circulation and all-day comfort

• Patented metal-free twin arch supports which protect the foot arch and allow even distribution of bodyweight though the entire plantar surface

- Anatomically-designed for natural support and comfort
- Lightweight materials, ideal for travel
- Many styles offered in Arcopédico's pantented Lytech[™] material which is machine washable, breathable, flexible, water-resistant, eco-friendly, <u>BioCalce Certified</u> and vegan.

As a company, they also support worthy causes such as <u>Heart to Heart International</u> (H2H). Earlier this year Arcopédico USA donated over 2,500 pairs of leather, Lytech[™] and knit comfort shoes and boots to women and children in Romanian orphanages thru H2H.

<u>Arcopédico USA</u> shoes can be purchased at independent shoe retailers throughout the United States. Simco Imported Shoes, Inc. is the sole U.S. distributor of Arcopédico shoes. A family business, the company was formed in 1983 by Manuel and Virgina Simas after discovering Arcopédico shoes during a trip to Portugal. Arcopedico shoes are hand-made in Portugal. Arcopédico is located at 1480 Kleppe Lane, Sparks, NV 89431. For more information, contact the company at (775) 322-0492, or visit www.ArcopedicoUSA.com. For more information,



Featured shoes: Middle left - <u>LS "Shocks"</u> MSRP: \$110, available in 16 colors; Bottom right corner -L8 MSRP: \$120, available in 6 colors.



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