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## **BRIEFLY: Turnaround firm Conway MacKenzie expands into Texas**

The Birmingham-based turnaround firm of Conway MacKenzie & Dunleavy has expanded into Texas, opening offices in Dallas and Houston.

Van Conway, senior managing director and company co-founder, said he has hired three turnaround specialists from Texas and has three or four more hires in the pipeline, with the goal to grow that market to as many as 40 professionals.

Conway said he has begun a search for turnaround experts in Los Angeles and hopes to open an office there before the end of the year. The company, which employs about 100, including 65 turnaround experts, expanded to New York in 2007 and Atlanta in 2008. It has other offices in Chicago; Dayton, Ohio; and Shanghai, China; and a partnership with a firm in London.

— Tom Henderson