

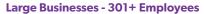


# **2017 WINNER'S PACKET**

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# West Michigan's 2017 Winners



Advia Credit Union American Axle & Manufacturing BDO USA, LLP Bell's Brewery Inc. Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan **Clark Retirement Community** Comcast Feyen Zylstra **FireKeepers Casino Hotel** Flexfab Hastings Mutual Insurance Company Holland Hospital Hope College Lake Michigan Credit Union Life EMS Ambulance Macatawa Bank Metro Health University of Michigan Health Nucraft Furniture Company **OMT-Veyhl USA Corporation** Orthopaedic Associates of Michigan Parker Hannifin Pneumatic Division Porter Hills **Rockford Construction** SpartanNash Sunset Retirement Communities & Services The Kendall Group Zeigler Auto Group

#### Medium Businesses - 101 - 300 Employees

**4Front Credit Union** Adventure Credit Union Air Lift Company Applied Imaging Arbor Financial Credit Union **Baudville Brands** Berends Hendricks Stuit Insurance Agency, Inc. **Buist Electric** Butterball Farms, Inc. C-4 Analytics **Comfort Research Consumers Credit Union** Crowe Horwath LLP Crown Motors **Elzinga & Volkers Construction Professionals** Flexco Flow-Rite Controls Haviland Enterprises, Inc.

**Hub International** Imperial Beverage Kent Companies, Inc. Koops Inc. **Mel Trotter Ministries** Mercantile Bank of Michigan **Michigan Office Solutions** OMNI Community Credit Union OST (Open Systems Technologies) Paragon D&E **Plante Moran Progressive AE** Rehmann Schupan & Sons, Inc. Service Express, Inc. St. Ann's Home Suburban Inns Terryberry The Campbell Group United Bank of Michigan

#### Small Businesses - 1-100 Employees

a.j. Veneklasen, Inc. Acoustics By Design, Inc. Aerotek Midwest **Allied Business Services** Andy J. Egan Co. Baker Holtz, CPAs and Advisors Barnes & Thornburg LLP Beene Garter IIP Belwith Products, LLC **BizStream Broadmoor Motor Sales Charter Capital Partners** CompleteSource, Inc. Configura, Inc. Dan Vos Construction Company, Inc. **DFCU Financial DK Security Dominion Systems Easter Seals Michigan** EQI, Ltd. Experis **Express Employment Professionals** Fleis & VandenBrink Engineering, Inc. FormulaFolio Investments Fusion IT, LLC

GNS America, Co. Grand Rapids Label Company Grand Rapids Metrology Grand River Aseptic Manufacturing **Great Lakes Caring Greenleaf Trust** Hastings City Bank **HNI Risk Services** Honigman Miller Schwartz and Cohn LLP **HUMANeX** Ventures Hungerford Nichols CPAs + Advisors Innovative Client Connections InsITe Business Solutions LLC Interphase Interiors Inc. ITS Partners, LLC Kalamazoo Community Foundation **KSS Enterprises** Lakewood Construction Legal Copy Services MarshBerry Michigan First Credit Union Midstate Security Company LLC Mill Steel Company **MSU Federal Credit Union OptiMed Specialty Pharmacy** OsborneKlein Regal Financial Group, LLC Revel Seaman's Mechanical SecurAlarm Systems, INC Service Professor Soils & Structures, Inc. Southwest Michigan First Stahlin Enclosures Sun Title Agency LLC The C2 Group **Total Quality Logistics TowerPinkster** Triangle Associates, Inc. **Trillium Staffing Solutions Trivalent Group** United Way of Southwest Michigan Willis Law Worksighted WSI X-Rite, Inc. Yeo & Yeo CPAs & Business Consultants





# Wednesday, May 3, 2017 **\*** 9:30 am - 2:00 pm JW Marriott Grand Rapids 235 Louis St., NW, Grand Rapids, MI 49503

Join Speakers, Jennifer Kluge, Shelley Irwin, Dick DeVos and Emcees, Juliet Dragos of WZZM 13 News and Steve Kelly of NewsRadio WOOD 1300



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# POLICY FOR USE OF WINNER LOGO

- 1. The winning company is eligible to use the winning year's event logo from the date of winner acknowledgement.
- 2. The logo is not to be altered in any way and must include the winning year.
- 3. The logo must appear in original colors, Pantone 2597 (purple) and Pantone 150 (gold), CMYK, RGB, black or white only.
- 4. When presenting your company as a "West Michigan's Best and Brightest Companies to Work For<sup>®</sup>" winner, the Best and Brightest staff must be notified of publications or articles in which the information will appear. A list or copy may be sent to the Best and Brightest team by fax to 800.971.8803 or by email to rich@101bestandbrightest.com.
- 5. Only the Best and Brightest Companies to Work For<sup>®</sup> approved winners and their marketing and advertising representatives may use this logo.
- 6. Logo use on marketing pieces must be tasteful and non-demeaning.
- 7. When addressing or referring to the event, award or program for media relations or marketing purposes, use consistent language related to the program. The title of the program must be used as seen here: "West Michigan's Best and Brightest Companies to Work For<sup>®</sup>." Truncated versions are not acceptable.
- 8. Violation of this policy may mean disqualification as a Best and Brightest company and could lead to litigation.

If you have questions, please contact the Best and Brightest team at 866.321.1822.

Click the link below to access the 2017 West Michigan's Best and Brightest Winners Logos





# **PHOTO RELEASE**

Winning companies photos will be displayed during the awards presentation. Please send up to 5 photos of employees at fun work related events to rich@101bestandbrightest.com. The photo deadline is March 31, 2017.

Upon sending company photos, you hereby agree to give permission to Best and Brightest Companies To Work For<sup>®</sup> to use images of employees for public viewing during the presentation at the awards ceremony on May 3, 2017, at the JW Marriott. It is also agreed that the company has been granted permission by the employee(s) in the photo(s) to use the photos in this manner. The photos may also be used in publications that may act as marketing materials for future events of the Best and Brightest Companies To Work For<sup>®</sup> and the National Association for Business Resources. In some instances, the photo(s) may not contain a caption identifying any individual(s) or company(ies). No monetary compensation will be given for use of the photo(s).

### WEBSITE I SOCIAL MEDIA

As an added value of recognition, hyper-linked company logos will be displayed on the Best and Brightest Companies To Work For<sup>®</sup> website. To submit your logo and url, company description and social media handles, please e-mail to rich@101bestandbrightest.com. The logo should be a jpg file, size 270 pixels (w) X 110 pixels (h). Don't forget to use the hashtag, #101BB, when promoting your Best and Brightest win on social media.

## **DIGITAL PROGRAM BOOK**

The West Michigan's Best & Brightest event plans to host over 500 attendees. Placing your ad in our digital event book will give your organization positive visibility. The event program book will be created in a manner that will encourage attendees to keep it and refer to it throughout the year. The program book is the perfect place to advertise your company and get long-term exposure at a small price! PLUS after the event, the 2017 program will be placed online for extra advertising exposure! If you chose to purchase an ad, please know that all artwork must be received no later than April 26, 2017. It can be electronically e-mailed to emaes@nationalbiz.org or rich@101bestandbrightest.com. High resolution PDFs with fonts embedded are accepted. Acceptable formats include high resolution files created in QuarkXpress, Adobe Acrobat, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe InDesign or Adobe Photoshop.

Specifications: Standard Unit Sizes in Inches (width X height)

 Full Page
 7.5" x 10"

 Half Page
 7.5" x 4.75" (horizontal)

 Half Page
 3.5" x 10" (vertical)

 Quarter Page
 3.5" x 4.75"

# **EVENT TICKETS, SPONSORSHIPS, ADVERTISING, CRYSTALS**

#### Check all that apply, then see page 7 for payment options

#### **Tickets**

Pre-register for reserved seating by 4/26/17. Walk-ins are welcome on event day. Pre-registration required for full table reservations.

Tickets	No. of Tickets	x \$175

Full Table - 10 Tickets \_\_\_\_\_ x \$1,750\_\_\_\_\_

□ Table Sponsor - 10 Tickets \_\_\_\_\_ x \$2,000\_\_\_\_\_ Recognition as a table sponsor.

#### **Sponsorship Opportunities**

□ Premier Sponsor
Gold Sponsor. \$5,000
□ Silver Sponsor
Derogram Supporter \$1,000
Exhibit Booth
Exhibit Booth + 1 Ticket. \$500

Exhibit Booth + 1 Ticket	\$500
Exhibit Booth w/power + 1 Ticket	\$525

#### **Event Day Program Advertising**

#### Ad Deadline January 6, 2017

□ <b>Full Page</b> - 7.5" wide x 10" high \$750
<b>Half Page</b> - 7.5" x 4.75" (horiz.) OR
3.5" x 10" (vert.)
<b>Qtr. Page</b> - 3.5" wide x 4.75" high\$350

#### **Sponsorship Bundles**

Bundle A (\$300 savings)	\$1,000
Includes: 2 tickets; C-Suite Assessment Report; Full-Page	Program Ad

□ Bundle B (\$450 savings).....\$1,900 Includes: 4 tickets; EE Assessment Report; Full-Page Program Ad; Exhibit Booth (includes 1 extra ticket)

□ Bundle C (\$550 savings).....\$1,900 Includes: Table Sponsorship includes 10 tickets, recognition in the Powerpoint & at the podium; C-Suite Assessment Report; Comprehensive HR & EE Assessment Report; Full-Page Program Ad; Exhibit Booth (includes 1 extra ticket)

#### **Award Crystal**

□ No, we are not attending the event on May 3, 2017, but we would like to order an award crystal. ...... \$110

## WINNER ASSESSMENT REPORTS

The Best & Brightest Assessment Reports are designed to aid employers in evaluating strengths and weaknesses of their company, company function, employee engagement levels and assist in identification and elimination of potential areas of concern.

Available for purchase are individualized in-depth comprehensive assessment report that shows actual data for each survey questions asked by the company and the employee. These tools are vital components in benchmarking and show where improvements can be made.

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#### **Registration Information**

□ Yes, our organization is attending the event on May 3, 2017 at the JW Marriott. Please order my award crystal.

□ No, we are not attending the event on May 3, 2017, but we would like to order an award crystal for \$110.

Company Name as it should appear on crystal	
Primary Contact	
Address	
City, State ZIP	
Phone	Email
Attendees	
Name	
Name	Name

Full payment is due before April 26, 2017. Cancellations must be received by April 26, 2017. All registrations, including no-shows, are subject to the full registration fee. Notify the Association of any substitutions. Fax or mail payment to: National Association for Business Resources, 27700 Hoover Rd., Warren, MI 48093, Fax: 800-971-8803, or email rich@101bestand brightest.com

Total Tickets:	\$	Sponsorship Bundle:	\$
Total Tables:	\$	Award Crystal:	\$
Sponsorship:	\$	Winner Assessment Repor	rt \$
Exhibit Booth:	\$		
Program Advertising:	\$	Total Payment Due:	\$
Method of Payment			
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Name on Card			
Signature			
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# AS A BEST **BRIGHTEST WINNER, DON'T FORGET TO:**

# 1. Register to attend and/or sponsor the celebratory awards gala.

See pages 6 & 7 of this document.

### 2. Download your winner logo.

See page 4 of this document.

### 3. Submit photo(s) of your team.

See page 5 of this document.

# 4. Submit your social media handles, company logo and description.

See page 5 of this document.

**5. Use #101BB to celebrate your win on social media.** See page 5 of this document.

# 6. Purchase Assessment Reports to measure your company's metrics and benchmarks.

See pages 6 & 7 of this document.

Congratulations on being a

Best and Brightest Winner!