



Past TMA Award Recipients Turnaround and Transaction of the Year Awards

Turnaround of the Year—Mega Company

- 2017 Garrett Fail, Robert Feinstein, Jacqueline Marcus, Jeffrey Pomerantz, Bradford J. Sandler, Ray C. Schrock, and Gavin Westerman for Aéropostale, Inc.
- 2016 J. Mark Allan, Dennis Dunne, Alice Belisle Eaton, Anthony Flanagan, David Kurtz, Andrew N. Rosenberg, Ray Schrock, P.C., and David J. Woodward for Chassix Holdings, Inc.
- 2014 Albert A. Koch, CTP, James A. Mesterharm, Rebecca A. Roof, Jeffery Stegenga, Christopher R. Donoho III, Leon Szlezinger, David Kurtz, Dennis F. Dunne, Andrew G. Dietderich and Pauline K. Morgan for Eastman Kodak Company / Kodak Alaris Holdings Ltd.
- 2013 Scott Brubaker, CTP, Jeffery J. Stegenga, Ross M. Kwasteniet, Patrick J. Nash, Jr., and James H.M. Sprayregen for Hawker Beechcraft
- 2011 Ray Dombrowski, Ralph Schipani, M. Natasha Labovitz, Richard Cieri, Craig Bruens, Daniel Aronson, Sachin Lulla for Chemtura
- 2010 Richard A. Cogdill, D. Michael Darland, Winston Mar, William K. Snyder, CTP, David W. Parham, Stephen A. Youngman for Pilgrim's Pride Corporation
- 2008 Lisa J. Donahue and Samuel M. Greene for Calpine Corporation
- 2007 D. J. Baker, Stephen D. Busey, Holly Felder Etlin, CTP, and Paul P. (Flip) Huffard for Winn-Dixie Stores
- 2005 Clyde A. Hamstreet, CTP, and Dennis M. Ladd, CTP, for Southern States Cooperative, Inc.
- 2004 John R. Boken for NRG Energy, Inc.

Turnaround of the Year—Large Company

- 2017 Katharine Battaia Clark, David M. Bennett, Jason S. Brookner, H. Thomas Moran II, Jay H. Ong, Dawn Ragan, Joseph Wielebinski, and Dan Young for Life Partners Holdings, Inc.
- 2016 Greg Boland, Lawrence Guffey, and Michael Leitner for Wind Mobile
- 2015 Louis Brownstone, Evan M. Farrell, Tom Harig, Greg Hasty, Jessica Markowitz, and Brad Terry for D&W Fine Pack LLC
- 2014 Hugh Sutcliffe for Longview Fibre Paper and Packaging
- 2013 Alan Holtz, Robb C. McWilliams, Chad Husnick, Marc Kieselstein, Dustin L. Mondell, and Todd R. Snyder for Nebraska Book Company Inc.
- 2012 Kay Hong, David Charne, Robert Montgomery, CTP, Paul Kosturos, Brad Erens, Mark Cody, Timothy Hoffmann, Robert Krebs, Neil Augustine, Anthony Caluori and Jay Johnson for Harry & David
- 2011 Clyde Hamstreet, Shirley Dunn, David L Osias, David Zaro, Albert N Kennedy, Kenneth D Stephens, Greg Yates, Michael Grassmueck, Mark Schmidt, Geoffrey B Winkler, Joseph Karas, James Gaffney, Steve English, Darryl Steinhouse for Sunwest Management
- 2010 Patrick Flynn, Richard A. Heller, CTP, Michael R. Lastowski, Stephanie Parker, Robert T. Sacks, Paul Travers for Sleep Innovations, Inc.
- 2009 Jonathan S. Henes for Wellman Inc.
- 2008 David Garfield and AlixPartners team for Solo Cup Company
- 2007 Gregory J. Christian for Foamex International Inc.
- 2006 John Wm. Butler Jr., Sam Cusano, William Q. Derrough, and Salvatore LoBiondo Jr. for Friedman's Jewelers
- 2005 William C. Kosturos, CTP, for Spiegel, Inc.



- 2004 Michael C. Appel for Kasper A.S.L.
- 2003 Tony Alvarez II for The Warnaco Group, Inc.
- 2002 Robert E. Hoyt, CTP, for Associated Grocers, Inc.
- 2001 M. Freddie Reiss for Edwards Theatres Circuit, Inc. & Affiliates
- 2000 Charles M. Price for Southland Technologies, Inc.
- 1999 Gary J. Sbona for Verity, Inc.
- 1998 Gerardus Vos Jr., CTP, for Brown Wooten Mills, Inc.
- 1997 Frank M. Chamberlain, CTP, and Charles L. Cansler, CTP, for First American Health Care
- 1996 John B. Kelly for O'Brien Environmental Energy, Inc.

Turnaround of the Year—Mid-size Company

- 2017 Daniel E. Garrison, Bryce A. Suzuki, Thomas M. Kim, CTP, Carolyn J. Johnsen, Gerald L. Shelley, and Hilary L. Barnes for Gilbert Hospital, LLC and Florence Hospital at Anthem, LLC
- 2016 Brett Anderson, Ray Anderson, Ted Dillman, John DiDonato, Matt Fisher, Peter M. Gilhuly, and Joe Polancich for Allen Systems Group
- 2014 Brian F. Cassady and Patrick Murray for Fansteel, Inc.
- 2013 Ray Anderson, CTP and Hugh Sawyer for Bancroft Bag, Inc.
- 2012 Patrick O'Keefe, CTP, Meagan Hardcastle, CTP, John Dimovski, William Fetterman and Matt Thiede for Graceland Fruit, Inc
- 2011 Kevin T. Shea, Martin Young, Aaron Kibbey, Diana Lee, Helana Robbins for Young Broadcasting LLC
- 2010 Benjamin F. Cary, Jeffrey W. Dulberg, Teddy M. Kapur, Robert L. LeHane, Thomas S. Paccioretti for Z Gallerie
- 2009 Steven Buford, Robert Corsentino, Mitchell B. Rasky and Michael Werner for Gerber Plumbing Fixtures LLC
- 2008 Adam L. Dunayer, Mitchell B. Rasky, Conner Searcy and Victor Vescovo for Hirschfeld Steel Company, Inc.
David M. Bagley, CTP, for Roman, Inc. (*honorable mention*)
- 2007 Raynard D. Benvenuti for Stellex Aerostructures, Inc.
Tom Harig and Joe Zito for Kuntz Electroplating, Inc. (*honorable mention*)
- 2006 Margaret M. Good, CTP, and Thomas M. Von Lehman for R.G. Barry Corporation
- 2005 James J. Loughlin Jr., CTP, for IWO Holdings, Inc.
- 2004 Frank Guidone for Measurement Specialties, Inc.

Turnaround of the Year—Small Company

- 2017 Jeff Sands, CTP, Larry Schwoeri, Jon Verbeck, and Kristin Wainright for Vermont Aerospace
- 2015 Charles Alley, Cindy Strickland, Josh Hall, Kelley McLaren, Pat Landry, and Luis M. Lluberas for Bost Distributing Co.
- 2014 Randall Jackson, Mark Barbeau, David Hull, Michael Manos, Matthew Tarver, Todd Bernier, Robert Corsentino and Mitchell Rasky for Renwood Mills, LLC
- 2013 Mark A. Berkoff, Nicholas M. Miller, Kevin G. Schneider, Ryan M. Hayes, Daniel T. Lee, and David N. Missner for R & M Aviation, Inc.
- 2012 David Yates for Clearwater Marine Aquarium
- 2011 Terry J. Bartz, Aaron G. Gillum, Daniel F. Dooley, David Warfield for Analytics
- 2010 Marc Ross, Joseph E. Sarachek, Bradly D. Schwab for Agriprocessors, Inc.
- 2009 Kurt Herwald, CTP, for Commercial Foodservice Repair, Inc.



- 2008 John J. Bellardini and JC Jones and Associates Team for Michelman-Cancelliere Iron Works, Inc.
- 2007 Thomas M. Kim for EagleSpan Steel Structures, Inc.
- 2006 David C. Finkbiner, CTP, for J&R Machine
- 2005 Ronald S. Castor for Knowlton Specialty Papers, Inc.
David M. Baker for Summitville Tiles, Inc. (*honorable mention*)
- 2004 Russell K. Burbank, CTP, for ProdiGene, Inc.
- 2003 Armand P. Lucarelli, CTP, for Gloucester Co., Inc.
- 2002 Timothy P. Czmieł, CTP, for Modern Plastics Corporation
- 2001 Sanford R. Edlein, CTP, for Diagnostic Health Services, Inc.
- 2000 Michael J. Hulser for Starmet Corporation
- 1999 Mark W. Sheffert for Medical Graphics Corporation
- 1998 Randall Wright Patterson, CTP, for Sen Plex Corporation
- 1997 Renee C. Fellman, CTP, for PML Microbiologicals
- 1996 Leonard Z. Eppel for F & G Multi-side, Inc.

Turnaround of the Year—International Company

- 2017 Mica Arlette, Scott Bomhof, Gabriel de Alba, Andrew Kent, Pierre Laporte, Brendan O'Neill, Greg Prince, Tony Reyes, and Robert Thornton for Pacific Exploration & Production Corp.
- 2015 Stephen Ferguson, Doug McIntosh, and John Walker for IBI Group, Inc.
- 2013 Mike Corner-Jones and Richard Hudson for Eircom Group, Ltd | Dublin, Ireland
- 2012 John R. Castellano, John E. Mitchell, David Hilty, David Ying, Andrew Rosenberg, Joel H. Levitin, Richard Sjøqvist and Robert Dehney for DeepOcean Group Holdings AS
- 2011 Alan Tilley, Carlos Gila, David Bryan, Richard Tett for La Seda de Barcelona S A
- 2010 Alexandre Masson, Douglas Rosefsky, Johann Temim for Skis Rossignol SAS
- 2008 Corinne Ball, Kenneth A. Hiltz, Ted Stenger, CTP, and Henry S. Miller for Dana Holding Corporation
- 2007 Peter A. Briggs for Treofan Germany GmbH & Co. KG
- 2006 Eric Simonsen for Jarvis plc
Sankar Krishnan for IHR Platz GmbH & Co. KG (*honorable mention*)
- 2005 Pat Marso for Jean Charles Mexicali S.A. De C.V.
- 2004 Jeffrey A. Brodsky for PTV, Inc.
- 2003 James J. Bonsall for ISH GmbH & Co. KG
- 2002 Laki G. Nomicos for Modus Media International, Inc.
- 2001 Pat Marso for Bradford Soap Works UK, LLC
- 2000 Ian Kearney for Nelson School of Music
- 1998 Richard J. Walters, CTP, for Metalflex, d.o.o.

Turnaround of the Year—Pro Bono

- 2013 J.D. Holmes, CTP for Blue Willow Inn Restaurant
- 2008 James T. Herst, Walter N. Tashjian and Lowell C. Wallace for Titan Machinery Sales Ltd.
- 2003 Gregory L. Segall for Children's Crisis Treatment Center
- 2001 Armand P. Lucarelli, CTP, for On The Rise, Inc.
- 1999 Armand P. Lucarelli for Lena Park Community Development Corporation (*honorable mention*)

From 1993-1995, TMA awarded Practitioner of the Year. Past recipients are:

- 1995 George T. Poulus and Jack R. Stone Jr., CTP
- 1994 Clyde A. Hamstreet, CTP



1993 Timothy F. Finley

Turnaround of the Year – Non-Profit

- 2017 James E. Harney, Gregory S. Milligan, CTP, and Alan R. Samsky for Lutheran Social Services of Illinois
- 2014 Matthew S. Thiede for Elim Christian Services
- 2013 Scott Eisenberg, Jonathan P. Martin, CTP and Brian Phillips for the Detroit Science Center

Transaction of the Year—Mega Company

- 2017 Andrew Calder, Chad Husnick, Paul Keglevic, Marc Kieselstein, Michelle Kilkenney, Jeremy Matican, Todd F. Maynes, Edward O. Sassower, James H.M. Sprayregen, Jeffery Stegenga, John Stuart, Bo Yi, and David Ying for Texas Competitive Electric Holdings Company LLC (“TCEH”)
- 2016 Steven Bremer, Raymond Dombrowski, Todd Fleisher, Stephen C. Hackney, Stephen E. Hessler, P.C., Ross M. Kwasteniet, Amy Lee, and Marc Puntus for Patriot Coal Corporation
- 2015 Kevyn D. Orr, Van E. Conway, Kevin J. Hand, Gaurav Malhotra, Heather Lennox, Thomas A. Wilson, Kenneth A. Buckfire, and James Doak for City of Detroit, Michigan
- 2014 Jasmine Ball, Anthony J. Jackson, John Little, CTP, Kevin M. Carmody, Neal D. Mollen, Homer D. Parkhill, Stephen Karotkin and Alfredo R. Perez for AMR Corporation
- 2013 Sean A. O’Neal, Michael J. Kennedy, Glen J. Hettinger, Eric Winthrop and Mark Kieselstein for Dex One Corporation / SuperMedia Inc.
- 2011 James Mesterharm, Kenneth A. Hiltz, John Dischner, Kenneth Buckfire, Ronen Bojmel, Elizabeth Abrams, Steven Smith, Marcia L. Goldstein, Gary T. Holtzer, James Sprayregen, Anup Sathy for General Growth Properties, Inc.
- 2010 Kenneth A. Hiltz, David C. Johnston, CTP, Alfredo R. Pérez, Bradley A. Robins for BearingPoint, Inc.

Transaction of the Year—Large Company

- 2017 Brandon Aebersold, Ryan Blaine Bennett, Jesse DelConte, Jonathan Henes, Christopher Marcus, Joff Mitchell, Andrew Ralph, and Parry Sorensen for Sabine Oil & Gas
- 2016 Jasmine Ball, Carianne J.M. Basler, Craig A. Bruens, Stephen R. Goldstein, M. Natasha Labovitz, Kevin M. McShea, and Lloyd A. Sprung for Altegrity, Inc.
- 2015 Karen Lee (Kitt) Turner, Michael DuFrayne, W. Austin Jowers, Chris D. Molen, Richard M. Beck, Aris J. Karalis, Claudia Z. Springer, and J. Scott Victor for Cooper-Booth Wholesale, L.P. and Affiliates
- 2014 Justine A. Mannering, Rafael X. Zahraiddin, Selig D. Sacks, Jeffrey D. Prol, Matt Beresh, Keith A. Maib, Aaron L. Hammer and Robert S. Brady for AgFeed Industries, Inc & AgFeed USA, LLC
- 2013 Jaqueline A. Brock, Keith F. Cooper, Sean M. Harding, Jeffrey R. Dutson, Paul K. Ferdinands, W. Austin Jowers, Jeffrey Horowitz and Andrew Torgove for Cagle’s, Inc. and Cagle’s Farm, Inc.
- 2012 Gary Holtzer, Neil Augustine, Mark Collins, Lawrence Hirsh, CTP, Stephen J. Antinelli, Richard A. Levy, Kris Hansen, Erez E. Gilad, Matthew A. Schwartz, Joff Mitchell, Anup Sathy, James H.M. Sprayregen and Joshua A. Sussberg for Aquilex Holdings LLC
- 2010 Ronen Bojmel, Timothy Pellegrin, Michael F. Walsh for Simmons Bedding Company
- 2009 Robert A. Campagna, J. Eric Ivester and Lloyd A. Sprung for Interstate Bakeries Corporation
- 2008 Alan D. Holtz, Stephen Ledoux and Michael H. Torkin for Remy International, Inc.
- 2007 Thomas J. Allison, CTP, William J. Fasel, Annette Jarvis, Eve Karasik, Frank Merola and Susan M. Smith for USA Commercial Mortgage Company



2006 Jeffrey F. Buckalew, Doug Greco, Bruce R. Lakefield, Brian P. Leitch, John E. Luth, Douglas Parker, Timothy R. Pohl and Edward L. Shapiro for U.S. Airways Group, Inc.

2005 Kenneth A. Buckfire for Horizon Natural Resources Company

Transaction of the Year—Mid-size Company

2017 R. Seth Bullock, Mary Kogut, Richard Morgner, Edward O. Sassower, and Brian Schartz for Penn Virginia

2016 Harold J. Bordwin, Matthew Bordwin, Douglas J. Brickley, David Curry Jr., Esq., Michael Gardner, Matthew Okin, Esq., and Raymond Platz for Aziz Convenience Stores

2014 Travis Haynes, Robin Nourmand, David Shainberg, Jonathan Victor, Stephen Krawchuk and Rebecca Tarby for Intelligent Global Pooling Systems (iGPS)

2013 Richard Morawetz, Keith McElcheran, Jeremy Dacks, Marc Wasserman, Elizabeth Pillon, Art Chipman, Scott Bomhof and Tony DeMarinis for Arctic Glacier group of companies

2012 Marc Bilbao, Craig A. Wolfe, Dan Scouler, Sr., Mette H. Kurth and Matthew Pakkala, Inc. for Contessa Premium Foods, Inc. (now Contessa Liquidating Co., Inc)

2011 Alexandra Steinberg Barrage, G. Larry Engel, Vincent J. Novak, Dina Kushner, Jonathan T. Keen, Kristin A. Hiensch, Van C. Durrer II, Kimberly D. Jaimez, Ragan Powers, Dillon Jackson, Al Glowasky for AmericanWest Bank, N.A.

2011 James H.M. Sprayregen, Anup Sathy, Ray Schrock, Ronen Bojmel, Ofir Nitzan, Holly Etlin, Harvey Robinson for Neff Rental LLC

2010 Mark A. Berkoff, Nicholas M. Miller for Morris Publishing Group, LLC

2009 James L. Baillie and Michael Knight for Lyman Lumber Company

2007 Mike Garvey and Jim Harney for Antigo Cheese Company

2006 Michael E. Levy for Fannie May Confections Brands, Inc. (formerly known as Alpine Confections, Inc.)

2005 Ronen A. Bojmel for Grupo TMM, S.A.

Transaction of the Year—Small Company

2017 David Rush, CTP, Michael Bui, Mark Wege, James D. Decker, and Joseph Weissglass for Juniper GTL LLC

2016 James Baillie, James Brand, Brock Kline, Mike Knight, Sarah Olson, Mark Thomas, and Chris Tomas for HEI, Inc.

2015 Gregory S. Milligan, James E. Harney, Rebecca R. DeMarb, and James D. Sweet for LongVANS, Inc. and Related Limited Liability Companies

2014 Gayle Bush, Gene R. Baldwin, CTP, Rob Carringer, CTP, Michael Juniper, CTP and Matthew Farrell for TC Global Inc (dba Tully's Coffee Shops)

2013 Joshua Hantman, William J. Burnett, Steven D. Usdin, Edward T. Gavin, CTP, Stanley Mastil and Carlos Cruz-Abrams for North American Specialty Glass

2012 Peter S. Partee, Sr. and Michael G. Wilson for Raser Technologies, Inc. (now Cyrq Energy, Inc.)

2011 J. Scott Victor, Matthew P. Karlson, Terry Kohler, L. Stan Neely, Barbara G. Barton, J. William Porter, Steve Kortanek for Jackson & Perkins / Park Seed

2010 Robert H. Barnett, Gregory A. Charleston, CTP, James J. Miller, Paul R. Share for Republic Industries

2006 Kurt Herwald, CTP, for New South Supply, LLC

2005 Richard C. Pedone for Independent Owners Cooperative, LLC
Michael Knight for CityForest Corporation (*honorable mention*)



Transaction of the Year—International Company

2017 Kenneth Buckfire, Kevin Haggard, Ken Hiltz, and George Howard for Molycorp Inc.

Transaction of the Year—Non-Profit

2016 Jody A. Bedenbaugh, George B. Cauthen, Mark M. Gilbreth, Alice V. Harris, Thomas F. Moran, Louis E. Robichaux IV, Michael J. Schwartz, and Jenny F. Shealy for Tuomey d/b/a Tuomey Healthcare System, a South Carolina nonprofit corporation