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## TMA Announces 2014 Individual Award Recipients

Jeffrey Hampton, Saul Ewing LLP, Outstanding Contributor Angela Allen, Jenner and Block LLP, Emerging Leader

20 April 2015 – CHICAGO – Each year, TMA recognizes members who raise the public profile of the corporate restructuring industry through their volunteer service and dedication to TMA. The Turnaround Management Association today announced that Jeffrey Hampton, partner, Saul Ewing LLP, and Angela Allen, associate, Jenner and Block LLP, were selected as recipients of the TMA Outstanding Contributor of the Year and the TMA Emerging Leader of the Year, respectively.

They will be recognized during an awards breakfast at The 2015 TMA Annual Conference taking place October 6 at the Fairmont Princess Scottsdale in Scottsdale, Arizona. The TMA Annual features a full schedule of leadership education panels and presentations, as well as networking and business development opportunities. Learn more about the conference at thetmaannual.org.

**Jeffrey C. Hampton**, partner, Saul Ewing LLP, is also co-chair of the firm's Bankruptcy and Restructuring Practice. He concentrates his practice on restructuring matters, including Chapter 11 bankruptcy proceedings, out-of-court workouts, loan restructurings, corporate reorganizations, and general insolvency law. He also represents the purchasers of assets and business units of troubled or failing companies, both in and out of Chapter 11.

Jeffrey's dedication to moving the restructuring industry forward is visible in all of the local, regional, and national initiatives in which he has been involved. At the chapter level, Jeffrey has been on the TMA Philadelphia board since 2005 and has held leadership positions across multiple disciplines, from membership and programming, to serving as TMA Philadelphia chapter president. Jeffrey has also been involved in the development and leadership of the TMA Mid-Atlantic Regional Symposium and served as co-chair of the Symposium for several years.

Nationally, Jeffrey is currently the TMA Global Vice President of Conferences and a member of the Executive Board and Board of Trustees. Similar to his involvement with his chapter, on behalf of TMA Global, Jeffrey has overseen conference planning committees for both the TMA Distressed Investing Conference and The TMA Annual, participated on numerous TMA task forces, and chaired the Chapter Resources and Response Committee (CRRC), which provides chapters with grant money for innovative events and initiatives.

In addition to being actively involved in the Turnaround Management Association, Jeffrey is a board member for The New York Institute of Credit. He is also a member of the American Bar Association, Pennsylvania Bar Association, Philadelphia Bar Association, New Jersey State Bar Association, American Bankruptcy Institute, Eastern District of Pennsylvania Bankruptcy Conference, and American Association of Attorney-Certified Public Accountants.

**Angela Allen**, associate, Jenner and Block LLP, focuses her practice on complex bankruptcy litigation and corporate reorganization and is a member of the Firm's Bankruptcy, Workout and Corporate Reorganization practice.

Angela is an energetic, dedicated TMA member who has shown tremendous commitment and ambition through her leadership in the organization. Angela first joined the TMA in 2012 and her member activity was immediately recognized with the TMA Chicago's Most Active New Member Award. She was promptly elected co-chair of the NextGen Committee (TMA's young professionals group) in 2013, where she was integral in aligning the local chapter with TMA's broader, global branding. Her work on this committee helped TMA Chicago grow their NextGen group into one of the largest and most engaged in the nation.

Of particular note, Angela spearheaded the First Annual SUPERConnect Event, a new and collaborative event that seeks to foster connections and networking opportunities among professionals, membership associations, and organizations in key industries. The event brought together close to 200 attendees from 10 different networking organizations to mix and mingle.

Angela is currently a member of the TMA Chicago Board of Directors where she serves as co-chair of the Awards Committee, and is a member of the NextGen and the Network of Women (TMA NOW) committees.

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## About the Turnaround Management Association

The Turnaround Management Association (<u>turnaround.org</u>) is the leading organization dedicated to turnaround management, corporate restructuring, and distressed investing. Established in 1988, TMA has more than 9,300 members in 49 chapters worldwide, including 31 in North America. Members include turnaround practitioners, attorneys, accountants, investors, lenders, venture capitalists, appraisers, liquidators, executive recruiters, and consultants, as well as academic, government, and judicial employees.