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**Winners Announced for the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual International M&A Awards**  
*Top M&A Deals, Firms and Professionals honored June 12th at the New York Athletic Club*

**New York, NY, June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2017** – The M&A Advisor announced the winners of the 2017 International M&A Awards at the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Awards Gala to a spirited crowd who gathered from around the world at The New York Athletic Club on Monday evening, June 12<sup>th</sup>.

“Since the introduction of the International M&A Awards in 2009 we have continued to witness the growth of cross border M&A outpace that of domestic dealmaking volume. And we attribute this to the new generation of global M&A experts whose intimate knowledge and expertise in the cultural, financial and legal arenas are redefining our industry,” says David Fergusson, President and Co-CEO of The M&A Advisor. “The 2017 International M&A Award winners represent the best of the international M&A industry in 2016 who earned these honors by standing out in a group of very impressive finalists.”

New this year, the qualifying criteria have been significantly expanded beyond cross border transactions to include deals that feature multinational corporations, international expansion of product and service markets, and/or stakeholders from more than one country. While no longer requiring that one of the parties is a US company, the broader effect of globalization through international dealmaking was reflected in the new qualification rules.

The 9<sup>th</sup> Annual International M&A Awards Gala honored the leading deal teams, firms and professionals whose activities set the standard for international M&A transactions. Over 260 companies, representing every major market in the world, became finalists for the awards. An independent judging committee of 23 top M&A industry experts determined the ultimate recipients of the awards which were revealed “Academy-Award style” at the gala.

**For a detailed list of all of the Award Winners for the 9th Annual International M&A Awards and a group photo of the Winners, please [CLICK HERE](#).**

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