



2013 M&A ADVISOR AWARDS FINALISTS

To follow are the Finalists for M&A Deals of the Year; Corporate/Strategic Acquisition Deals of the Year; Cross-Border Deals of the Year; Restructuring Deals of the Year; Deal Financing of the Year; Firm of The Year; M&A Product/Service of the Year; and M&A Professional of the Year categories. The winners will be announced at the **12th Annual M&A Advisor Awards Gala on Tuesday, December 17 at The New York Athletic Club in New York City.** Please visit www.maadvisor.com for additional details.

I. M&A DEAL OF THE YEAR

M&A Deal of the Year (Over \$1 Billion)

FINALISTS

Acquisition of Harland Financial Solutions by Davis and Henderson Corp.

Raymond James & Associates, Inc.
Bank Consortium
Credit Suisse (USA) Inc.
Davis Henderson
Deloitte
Harland Clarke Corporation
Intralinks
KPMG
Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP
Stikeman Elliott LLP

Acquisition of a 40% interest in Pioneer Natural Resources Company by Sinochem Petroleum USA LLC

Mayer Brown LLP
Pioneer Natural Resources Co.
Sinochem Petroleum USA LLC
Tudor, Pickering, Holt & Co.
Vinson & Elkins

Acquisition of Albertsons, Acme, Jewel-Osco, Shaw's and related Osco and Sav-on in-store pharmacies by Cerberus Capital Management

Schulte Roth & Zabel LLP
Barclays plc
Cerberus Capital Management LP
Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP
Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson LLP
Goldman, Sachs & Co.
Greenhill & Co.
Kimco Realty Corp.
Klaff Realty LP
Lazard
Lubert-Adler Partners LP
Schottenstein Realty Co.
SUPERVALU INC.
Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz

Acquisition of hybris by SAP	Seward & Kissel Bentley Associates Credit Suisse Deutsche Bank HGGC hybris AG Jones Day SAP Wilson Sonsini
Acquisition of Sprint Nextel by SoftBank and Acquisition of Clearwire by Sprint Nextel	Morrison & Foerster LLP Shearman & Sterling, LLP Bank of America Merrill Lynch Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ Ltd. Deutsche Bank Ltd. Goldman Sachs Mizuho Corporate Bank Ltd. Mizuho Securities Co. Ltd. Raine Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP SoftBank Sprint Nextel Corp. Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corp. UBS Investment Bank
Section 363 bankruptcy sale of Residential Capital, LLC substantially all operating and mortgage assets	Morrison & Foerster LLP Brown Rudnick LLP Centerview Partners FTI Consulting Mayer Brown LLP Morrison Cohen LLP Munger, Tolles & Olson LLP ResCap Sidley Austin LLP
Acquisition of YES Network equity stake by News Corp.	Herrick, Feinstein LLP Boies, Schiller & Flexner LLP FOX Sports Media Group Hogan Lovells Jenner & Block News Corporation PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP Yankee Global Enterprises LLC
Acquisition of Pfizer's infant nutrition business by Nestlé	Mayer Brown LLP Nestlé Pfizer Rothschild Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

M&A Deal of the Year (Over \$500mm to \$1 Billion)

FINALISTS

Acquisition of BrightPoint by Ingram Micro	The Blackstone Group Blank Rome BrightPoint Davis Polk & Wardwell Ingram Micro Morgan Stanley
\$759 million acquisition and back-end merger of Cascade Corporation (CASC) by TICO	White& Case LLP
Sale of Mold-Masters Limited to Milacron LLC	Robert W. Baird & Co 3i Mold-Masters
Acquisition of Wave Broadband by Oak Hill Capital Partners and GI Partners	Waller Capital Partners, LLC Dow Lohnes Merrill Data Site RBC Capital Markets
Acquisition of Skippy Peanut Butter by Hormel Food	Faegre Baker Daniels LLP Barclays Cravath, Swaine & Moore LLP Hormel Foods Corporation Lazard Freres & Co. LLC Merrill Corporation Pricewaterhouse Coopers LLP Unilever, united states
Sale of Actient Pharmaceuticals to Auxilium Pharmaceuticals	GTCR Auxilium Pharmaceuticals GE Jefferies Kirkland & Ellis LEK Morgan Stanley PwC
Acquisition of PPC Broadband by Belden	Raymond James Baker & McKenzie Belden Inc. Ernst & Young LLP John Mezzalingua Associates Lewis, Rice & Fingersh Merrill DataSite PPC

Acquisition of Stock Building
Supply by The Gores Group

The Gores Group
Bank of America
Barclays
Hunton & Williams
Merrill
Price Waterhouse Coopers, LLC
Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom
UBS
Wells Fargo
Wolseley plc

M&A Deal of the Year (Over \$200mm to \$500mm)

FINALISTS

Sale of RepconStrickland, Inc. to
EMCOR Group, Inc. (NYSE:EME)

Harris Williams & Co.
ArcLight Capital Partners LLC
EMCOR Inc.
J.P. Morgan Securities LLC
Ropes & Gray LLP

Acquisition of Thomson Reuters
Investor Relations, Public
Relations and Multimedia
Solutions Businesses by
NASDAQ OMX

FTI Consulting, Inc.
Bank of America Merrill Lynch
Barclays
Jones Day
NASDAQ OMX
Shearman & Sterling LLP
Thomson Reuters

Acquisition of ecoATM by
Outerwall Inc. (Nasdaq: OUTR)

Capstone Partners LLC
DLA Piper
ecoATM
Grant Thornton
Morgan Stanley
Outerwall Inc.
Perkins Coie
PriceWaterHouseCoopers

Acquisition of AndersonBrecon
by Packaging Coordinator, Inc.,
a majority-owned portfolio
company of Frazier Healthcare

Goodwin Procter LLP
Alvarez & Marsal
Amerisource Bergen Corporation
Deutsche Bank USA
Merrill DataSite
Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP
Packaging Coordinators, Inc.

Financial Restructuring of
Orchard Supply Hardware

DLA Piper
Cortland Products
Dechert LLP
FTI Consulting, Inc.
Goldman, Sachs & Co.
Hunton & Williams LLP
Lowe's Home Improvement Stores
Moelis & Co. LLC
Orchard Supply Hardware Stores
Riemer & Braunstein
Wells Fargo
Zolfo Cooper

Acquisition of Digital Risk by
Mphasis

Choate Hall & Stewart
Aventus Capital
Century Capital Partners
Digital Risk
Goodwin Procter
Katz, Teller, Brant & Hild
Mphasis
Portico Capital Securities

Acquisition of American Fast
Freight by The Jordan Company

Raymond James & Associates, Inc.

Merger of Azteca, Cine Latino,
Inc., InterMedia Espanol
Holdings, LLC with Hemisphere
Media Group, Inc.

Greenberg Traurig

M&A Deal of the Year (Over \$100mm to \$200mm)

FINALISTS

Acquisition of Capital Vision
Services, LLC (dba MyEyeDr) by
Monitor Clipper Partners, LLC

Metronome Partners, LLC
Capital Vision Services, LLC (dba MyEyeDr)
Monitor Clipper Partners, LLC

Acquisition of Agrifos Fertilizer
by Rentech Nitrogen Partners

Seward & Kissel, LLP
Agrifos Holdings Inc.
BMO Capital Markets
GE Capital
Imperial Capital
Latham & Watkins LLP
Macquarie Capital (USA) Inc.
PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP
Rentech Nitrogen Partners, L.P.

Sale of Hyatt Place Waikiki
Beach Hotel to Host Hotels &
Resorts

The Chartres Lodging Group
Bank of Hawaii
Host Hotels & Resorts
Kokua Hospitality
Latham & Watkins LLP
Paul Hastings

Acquisition of Kansas City Board of Trade by CME Group Inc.	George K. Baum Capital Advisors, Inc. CME Group Inc. Husch Blackwell LLP Kansas City Board of Trade Merrill DataSite Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Acquisition of Acurian by Pharmaceutical Product Development, LLC (PPD)	Signal Hill Acurian Fesnak & Associates Intralinks Latham & Watkins, LLC Morgan, Lewis & Bockius PPD PwC
Sale of Wausau Paper Corp.'s ("Wausau") to Expera Specialty Solutions, LLC ("Expera Specialty Solutions")	Mesirow Financial Ernst & Young LLP KPS Capital Partners Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison Ruder Ware Wausau Paper Corp.
Acquisition of MCV Broadband, a portfolio company of Seaport Capital by NTT Docomo	Waller Capital Partners, LLC Calvo Fisher & Jacob Goldman Sachs (Japan) Intralinks Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel
Sale of certain gravure printing assets by ASG to Amcor Limited	Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP AGI Global Holdings Cooperatief (International) Amcor Limited Atlas AGI Holdings LLC (US) Davies Ward Phillips & Vineberg LLP PricewaterhouseCoopers

M&A Deal of the Year (Over \$75mm to \$100mm)

FINALISTS

Sale of Vitran Corporation Inc.'s Supply Chain Operation Division to Legacy Supply Chain, Inc.	BB&T Capital Markets IntraLinks Key Bank Legacy Supply Chain, Inc. McMillan LLP THL Credit Advisors LLC Verrill Dana LLP Vitran Corporation
Acquisition of Great Escape Theatres by Regal Entertainment Group	Berkery, Noyes & Co. LLC CFO Services Great Escape Theatres IntraLinks Regal Entertainment Group Taft Stettinius & Hollister LLP

<p>Acquisition of Dynapower Company LLC by Pfingsten Partners LLC</p>	<p>Jordan, Knauff & Company BDO USA Dynapower Company LLC Hertz Schram PC Magna Principals LLC Paul Hastings LLP Pfingsten Partners LLC</p>
<p>Sale of Mitten, Inc. to Ply Gem (NYSE: PGEM)</p>	<p>BB&T Capital Markets Dechert LLP Ernst & Young LLP Graham Partners Intralinks KPMG, LLC Mitten Inc. Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP Ply Gem (NYSE: PGEM)</p>
<p>Restructuring of Clare Oaks</p>	<p>RBC Capital Markets Alvarez and Marsal Clare Oaks DLA Piper Duane Morris LLP MB Financial Bank; Sovereign Bank Mintz Levin Cohn Ferris Glovsky and Popeo PC Ungaretti & Harris Wells Fargo Bank, NA Ziegler Securities</p>
<p>Sale of North American Bus Industries Inc. to New Flyer Industries Inc.</p>	<p>Schulte Roth & Zabel BMO Capital Markets Corp. Cerberus Capital Management LP New Flyer Industries Inc. Torys LLP</p>
<p>Restructuring of WindsorMeade</p>	<p>RBC Capital Markets Deloitte DLA Piper McDermott Will & Emery McguireWoods LLP UMB Bank WindsorMeade</p>

M&A Deal of the Year (Over \$50mm to \$75mm)

FINALISTS

Acquisition of High Pressure
Equipment Company by
Wasserstein & Co.

Janney Montgomery Scott
AMR International
Audax Partners
Donnelley
Grant Thornton LLP
High Pressure Equipment Co.
Knox McLaughlin Gornall & Sennett, P.C.
Madison Capital
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Wasserstein & Co

Acquisition of Technical
Innovation, LLC by MSouth
Equity Partners

SunTrust Robinson Humphrey
Alston & Bird
Bain & Company
MSouth Equity Partners
Navigation Capital
New Canaan Funding
PWC
Regions Bank
RR Donnelley
Technical Innovation
Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice

Acquisition of Miner Holding
Company by CI Capital Partners

TM Capital
Celerant Consulting
CI Capital
Ernst & Young
General Catalyst Partners
Jefferson Bank
Merrill Corp
Miner Holding Company
Paul Weiss
Prospect Capital
PWC
Strasburger Price Oppenheimer Blend
Total Fleet Solutions

Acquisition of Carmel Car and
Limousine Service by a Large
Strategic Provider of Transit
Services

Branford Castle, Inc.
BDO Seidman, LLP
Boies, Schiller & Flexner LLP
Bracewell & Giuliani LLP
Fifth Third Bank
Houlihan, Lokey, Howard & Zukin, Inc.
Intralinks, Inc.
Peninsula Capital Partners
PricewaterhouseCoopers
Ronald Shapss Corporate Services, Inc.

Acquisition of Zephyr Associates, Inc. ("Zephyr") by Informa Investment Solutions ("IIS")

Financial Technology Partners
Informa
Zepher

Sale of Liquent Inc. to PAREXEL International Corporation

Schulte Roth & Zabel
Marlin Equity Partners LLC
PAREXEL International Corp.

Resolute Anesthesia and Pain Solutions, LLC formed by a Recapitalization Sponsored by Goldman Sachs & Co. ("Resolute")

Cross Keys Capital, LLC
Broad Anesthesia Associates, LLC
Broad Anesthesia Mgmt. Co.
Broad Midwest Anesthesia, LLC
Crowe Horwath, LLP
Epstein Becker & Green, P.C
FTI Consulting
Goldman Sachs & Co.
Greenberg Traurig, LLP
Horizon Advisors
Latham & Watkins, LLP
McDermott, Will & Emery LLP
Menkhaus & Moore, P.L.
Mid-Florida Anesthesia Associates, Inc.
Regions Bank
Rosen Seymour Shapps Marin & Co. LLP

Acquisition of Health Essentials by SV Life Sciences and Bessemer Venture Partners

The Courtney Group
SV Life Sciences
Bessemer Venture Partners
Goodwin Procter
PwC
R&C Healthcare Solutions
Health Essentials
Rutan & Tucker

M&A Deal of the Year (Over \$25mm to \$50mm)

FINALISTS

Acquisition of iParty Corp. by Party City Holdings Inc.

Raymond James
iParty Corp.
Party City Holdings Inc
Posternak, Blanstein & Lund LLP
Ropes & Gray

Acquisition of Hetsco by Global Power Equipment Group

St. Charles Capital
Bartlit Beck Herman Palenchar & Scott LLP
Ernst & Young
Global Power Equipment Group
Platte River Equity
Thompson Hine
TM Capital

Acquisition of Water Products, Inc. by HD Supply, Inc.	Generational Capital Markets, Inc. HD Supply King & Spalding Milam & Assoc. PrayWalker Water Products, Inc.
Sale of PLAYTIME to Geneva Glen Capital	Headwaters MB Geneva Glen Capital Karsh & Co Playtime Polsinelli
Acquisition of Dynamic Dental Partners by Huron Capital Partners	Huron Capital Partners Alvarez & Marsal Benesch Friedlander Dynamic Dental Partners Fifth Third Bank Honigman Miller Investor Group Services KeyBanc Capital Markets Marwood Group Waller Lansden
Growth Equity Investment in PizzaRev by Buffalo Wild Wings	GulfStar Group Buffalo Wild Wings GulfStar Group Kaplan, Strangis, Kaplan Monroe, Moxness & Berg PizzaRev
Acquisition of Retina Institute Management, Inc by Retina Institute Management, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Trust	CSG Partners American Savings Bank ESOP Trust Law Offices of Robert E. Lesser, LLC Meyers Harrison & Pia LLC Morrison Cohen LLP Retina Institute Management, Inc.
Acquisition of Tenere Inc. via Special Purpose Vehicle affiliated with The Watermill Group	Goodwin Procter LLP Cole Taylor Greystone Strategies Ice Miller LLP Kahn, Litwin, Renza & Co. Medley Capital Phoenix Management Services SSG Capital The Watermill Group Western Reserve

M&A Deal of the Year (Between \$10mm and \$25mm)

FINALISTS

Sale of Trans National Communications International, Inc. to Blue Casa Telephone, LLC	Phoenix Capital Resources Bingham McCutchen, LLP Blue Casa Telephone, LLC Capstone Vrooms Carl Marks CohnReznick Garrison Investment Group, L.P HNB Capital, LLC Miles & Stockbridge, PC Phoenix Capital Resources RBS Citizens Bank, NA The Staten Group Trans National Communications International, Inc.
Acquisition and Majority recapitalization of Invo HealthCare Associates, Inc. by Post Capital Partners	Capstone Partners LLC Post Capital Partners Crowe Horwath Giordano, Halleran & Ciesla Invo HealthCare Associates, Inc Susquehanna Bank Winston & Strawn
Acquisition of Stuart Manufacturing, Inc. by DCX Chol Enterprises, Inc.	Lake Pointe Partners, LLC DCX Chol Enterprises, Inc Fifth Third Bank Stuart Manufacturing, Inc.
Acquisition of Tricore, Inc. by High Road Capital Partners' portfolio company, Dowden Medical Communications Group (DMCG)	Capstone Partners LLC Ballard Spahr Fifth-Third Bank Grant Thornton LLP High Road Capital Partners Merrill Datasite Thompson Hine LLP Tricore, Inc. Wilkin & Guttenplan, P.C.
Acquisition of Saffer Plastics, Inc. by Priority Plastics, Inc.	Capstone Partners LLC BMC Smartroom Engel & Reiman pc Husch Blackwell LLP Lopata, Flegel & Company Marrs, Sevier & Company Priority Plastics, Inc. SAFFER Products, Inc.

Acquisition of Andrew & Everett / Ry-Con Specialty Foods by PANOS Brands LLC / High Road Capital Partners	CSG Partners Andrew & Everett High Road Capital Partners Jones Day LLP PANOS Brands Rhoads – Sinon LLP Ry-Con Specialty Foods
Sale of Rokkan Media LLC to Publicis Groupe	DeSilva & Phillips LLC Frankfurt Kurnit Klein & Selz PC Publicis Groupe S.A. Rokkan Media LLC
Sale of Cylex Inc. to ViraCor-IBT Laboratories, Inc.	Cooley LLP SSG Capital Advisors, LLC Ashby & Geddes, PA Cylex, Inc. Edwards Wildman Palmer LLP Hogan Lovells Viracor-IBT Laboratories

II. CORPORATE/STRATEGIC ACQUISITION DEAL OF THE YEAR

Corporate/Strategic Acquisition of the Year (Over \$1 Billion)

FINALISTS

Sale of LNR Property to Starwood Property Trust and Starwood Capital Group	Schulte Roth & Zabel LLP Cerberus Capital Management LP Citigroup Inc. Credit Suisse Group Debevoise & Plimpton LLP Sidley Austin LLP Starwood Capital Group Global LLC Starwood Property Trust Inc. Sullivan & Cromwell LLP
Acquisition of hybris by SAP	Seward & Kissel Bentley Associates Credit Suisse Deutsche Bank HGGC hybris AG Jones Day SAP Wilson Sonsini
\$1.5 billion acquisition of CH Energy Group Inc. by Fortis Inc.	White & Case LLP
Acquisition of Harland Financial Solutions by Davis and Henderson Corp.	Raymond James & Associates, Inc. Bank Consortium Credit Suisse (USA) Inc. Davis Henderson Deloitte Harland Clarke Corporation Intralinks KPMG Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP Stikeman Elliott LLP
Acquisition of YES Network equity stake by News Corp.	Herrick, Feinstein LLP Boies, Schiller & Flexner LLP FOX Sports Media Group Hogan Lovells Jenner & Block News Corporation PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP Yankee Global Enterprises LLC

Acquisition of West Penn Allegheny Health System by Highmark

Grant Thornton LLP
Buchanan Ingersoll & Rooney, PC
DLA Piper
Hammond Hanlon Camp LLC
Highmark Inc.
Houlihan Lokey
West Penn Allegheny Health system

Acquisition of Pfizer's infant nutrition business by Nestlé

Mayer Brown LLP
Nestlé
Pfizer
Rothschild
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

Corporate/Strategic Acquisition of the Year (Over \$250mm to \$1 Billion)

FINALISTS

Acquisition of ecoATM by Outerwall Inc. (Nasdaq: OUTR)

Capstone Partners LLC
DLA Piper
ecoATM
Grant Thornton
Morgan Stanley
Outerwall Inc.
Perkins Coie
PriceWaterHouseCoopers

Acquisition of Thomson Reuters Investor Relations, Public Relations and Multimedia Solutions Businesses by NASDAQ OMX

FTI Consulting, Inc.
Bank of America Merrill Lynch
Barclays
Jones Day
NASDAQ OMX
Shearman & Sterling LLP
Thomson Reuters

Merger of Azteca, Cine Latino, Inc., InterMedia Espanol Holdings, LLC with Hemisphere Media Group, Inc.

Greenberg Traurig

Acquisition of Wave Broadband by Oak Hill Capital Partners and GI Partners

Waller Capital Partners, LLC
Dow Lohnes
Merrill Data Site
RBC Capital Markets

Acquisition of stake in Nephila Capital by KKR
Seward & Kissel, LLP
Clifford Chance LLP
Conyers Dill & Pearman
Evercore
Gleacher
KKR
Man Group
Nephila Capital
Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP

Acquisition of CyOptics by Avago
Raymond James
Avago Technologies
Latham & Watkins LLP

Acquisition of PPC Broadband by Belden
Raymond James
Baker & McKenzie
Belden Inc.
Ernst & Young LLP
John Mezzalingua Associates
Lewis, Rice & Fingersh
Merrill DataSite
PPC

Acquisition of Coperion Capital GmbH by Hillenbrand
P&M Corporate Finance
DC Advisory
Deutsche Betaili-gungs AG
Ernst & Young LLP
Helbling Business Advisors
Hillenbrand, Inc.
Intralinks
JP Morgan
Linklaters
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

Corporate/Strategic Acquisition of the Year (Over \$50mm to \$250mm)

FINALISTS

Acquisition of SOS Staffing, Inc. by Elwood Staffing
Hire Calling Holding Company
Bank of the West
Blue & Co., LLC
CHILDS Advisory Partners
Crowe Horwath
Dunn Carney
Elwood Staffing
Firmex
Ice Miller
KPMG
Lockton Companies, LLC
PNC Bank

Acquisition of MCV Broadband, a portfolio company of Seaport Capital by NTT Docomo	Waller Capital Partners, LLC Calvo Fisher & Jacob Goldman Sachs (Japan) Intralinks Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel
Acquisition of Agrifos Fertilizer by Rentech Nitrogen Partners	Seward & Kissel, LLP Agrifos Holdings Inc. BMO Capital Markets GE Capital Imperial Capital Latham & Watkins LLP Macquarie Capital (USA) Inc. PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP Rentech Nitrogen Partners, L.P.
Sale of certain gravure printing assets by ASG to Amcor Limited	Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP AGI Global Holdings Cooperatief (International) Amcor Limited Atlas AGI Holdings LLC (US) Davies Ward Phillips & Vineberg LLP PricewaterhouseCoopers
Sale of Venyu to EATEL	Madison Parker Capital Deerpath Capital Dickstein Shapiro Eatel Gladstone Investment Corporation JPMorgan Merrill P&N
Acquisition of Thomson Reuters Property Tax Services by Ryan, LLC	MHT Partners, LP Allen & Overy LLP Lidji Dorey & Hooper Ryan LLC Thomson Reuters
Acquisition of Kansas City Board of Trade by CME Group Inc.	George K. Baum Capital Advisors, Inc. CME Group Inc. Husch Blackwell LLP Kansas City Board of Trade Merrill DataSite Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Acquisition of Nokia Siemens Networks' Optical Networks by Marlin Equity Partners	Schulte Roth & Zabel Marlin Equity Partners LLC Nokia Siemens Networks Oy

Acquisition of Aero Precision Industries by Greenwich AeroGroup

Janes Capital Partners
Aero Precision Industries
Berkley Capital
Comerica Bank
Dermond Holdings
Foley & Lardner
Greenwich AeroGroup
ICF SH&E
Merrill Corp
Pillsbury Winthrop

Corporate/Strategic Acquisition of the Year (Between \$10mm and \$50mm)

FINALISTS

Acquisition of ACT! and Saleslogix Assets from Sage Group PLC by Swiftpage

St Charles Capital
Accel-KKR
Bryan Cave
EKSH
KPMG
Moss Adams
Sage Group PLC
Silicon Valley Bank
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Swiftpage

Acquisition of Saffer Plastics, Inc. by Priority Plastics, Inc.

Capstone Partners LLC
BMC Smartroom
Engel & Reiman pc
Husch Blackwell LLP
Lopata, Flegel & Company
Marrs, Sevier & Company
Priority Plastics, Inc.
SAFFER Products, Inc.

Acquisition of Zateca Foods and Greeley Trading Company by Teasdale Quality Foods

JD Ford & Company
Kendall, Koenig & Oelsner PC
Teasdale Quality Foods

Acquisition of Mopec by Blackford Capital

Lambert, Edwards & Associates
Blackford Capital
Barnes & Thornburg
Comerica Bank
Crowe Horwath
Miller Canfield
Mopec
Northcreek Mezzanine Fund

<p>Sale of Trans National Communications International, Inc. to Blue Casa Telephone, LLC</p>	<p>Phoenix Capital Resources Bingham McCutchen, LLP Blue Casa Telephone, LLC Capstone Vrooms Carl Marks CohnReznick Garrison Investment Group, L.P HNB Capital, LLC Miles & Stockbridge, PC Phoenix Capital Resources RBS Citizens Baml ,NA The Staten Group Trans National Communications International, Inc.</p>
<p>Acquisition of Stamp Farms</p>	<p>O'Keefe Boersen Farms AG, LLC VARIOUS Varnum</p>
<p>Acquisition of Thermafiber by Owens Corning (NYSE: OC)</p>	<p>BB&T Capital Markets Altus Capital Partners Centerfield Capital Edwards Wildman Palmer LLP Foley & Lardner LLP Intralinks Owens Corning (NYSE: OC) Plante & Moran , PLLC PWC Thermafiber</p>
<p>Acquisition of Water Products, Inc. by HD Supply, Inc.</p>	<p>Generational Capital Markets, Inc. HD Supply King & Spalding Milam & Assoc. PrayWalker Water Products, Inc.</p>

III. CROSS-BORDER DEAL OF THE YEAR

Cross-Border Deal of the Year (Over \$500mm)

FINALISTS

Acquisition of Coperion Capital GmbH by Hillenbrand

P&M Corporate Finance
DC Advisory
Deutsche Betailli-gungs AG
Ernst & Young LLP
Helbling Business Advisors
Hillenbrand, Inc.
Intralinks
JP Morgan
Linklaters
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

Acquisition of the North American distribution business of Barnes Group, Inc. by MSC Industrial Direct

Curtis, Mallet-Prevost, Colt & Mosle LLP
Baker & McKenzie
Barnes Group Inc.
Ernst & Young
Goldman Sachs
Intralinks, Inc.
Jackson Lewis
JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A
McDermott Will & Emery LLP
MSC Industrial Direct Co., Inc.
PriceWaterhouseCoopers LLP
Robert W. Baird & Co. Incorporated
Tian Yuan Law Firm

Acquisition of Skippy Peanut Butter by Hormel Food

Faegre Baker Daniels LLP
Barclays
Cravath, Swaine & Moore LLP
Hormel Foods Corporation
Lazard Freres & Co. LLC
Merrill Corporation
Pricewaterhouse Coopers LLP
Unilever, united states

Acquisition of Harland Financial Solutions by Davis and Henderson Corp.

Raymond James & Associates, Inc.
Bank Consortium
Credit Suisse (USA) Inc.
Davis Henderson
Deloitte
Harland Clarke Corporation
Intralinks
KPMG
Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP
Stikeman Elliott LLP

\$1.5 billion acquisition of CH Energy Group Inc. by Fortis Inc.	White & Case LLP
Acquisition of hybris by SAP	Seward & Kissel Bentley Associates Credit Suisse Deutsche Bank HGGC hybris AG Jones Day SAP Wilson Sonsini
Acquisition of Pfizer's infant nutrition business by Nestlé	Mayer Brown LLP Nestlé Pfizer Rothschild Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Acquisition of Sprint Nextel by SoftBank and Acquisition of Clearwire by Sprint Nextel	Morrison & Foerster LLP Shearman & Sterling, LLP Bank of America Merrill Lynch Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ Ltd. Deutsche Bank Ltd. Goldman Sachs Mizuho Corporate Bank Ltd. Mizuho Securities Co. Ltd. Raine Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP SoftBank Sprint Nextel Corp. Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corp. UBS Investment Bank

Cross-Border Deal of the Year (UP TO \$500mm)

FINALISTS

Merger of Azteca, Cine Latino, Inc., InterMedia Espanol Holdings, LLC with Hemisphere Media Group, Inc.	Greenberg Traurig
Sale of certain gravure printing assets by ASG to Amcor Limited	Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP AGI Global Holdings Cooperatief (International) Amcor Limited Atlas AGI Holdings LLC (US) Davies Ward Phillips & Vineberg LLP PricewaterhouseCoopers

Acquisition of Brazil-based Macom Industria by Hoshizaki America	Redwood Capital Group, LLC Acos Macom Indústria e Comércio, Ltda Excelia Gestão e Negócios Habif Arogeti and Wynne LLP Hoshizaki America, Inc. Peixoto e Cury Advogados Veirano Advogados
Sale of Vitran Corporation Inc.'s Supply Chain Operation Division to Legacy Supply Chain, Inc.	BB&T Capital Markets IntraLinks Key Bank Legacy Supply Chain, Inc. McMillan LLP THL Credit Advisors LLC Verrill Dana LLP Vitran Corporation
Acquisition of Nokia Siemens Networks' Optical Networks by Marlin Equity Partners	Schulte Roth & Zabel Marlin Equity Partners LLC Nokia Siemens Networks Oy
Acquisition of Karo Film by Patton Media Group and Baring Vostok, UFG and the Russian Direct Investment Fund	Redwood Capital Group Akin Group Baker Botts Baring Vostok Capital Partners Chase Mellen Law Office Dechert LLP Deloitte & Touche Karo Film KPMG Patton Media Group Russian Direct Investment Fund UFG Private Equity
Acquisition of MCV Broadband, a portfolio company of Seaport Capital by NTT Docomo	Waller Capital Partners, LLC Calvo Fisher & Jacob Goldman Sachs (Japan) Intralinks Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel
Acquisition of stake in Nephila Capital by KKR	Seward & Kissel, LLP Clifford Chance LLP Conyers Dill & Pearman Evercore Gleacher KKR Man Group Nephila Capital Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP

IV. RESTRUCTURING DEAL OF THE YEAR

Restructuring Deal of the Year (Over \$100mm)

FINALISTS

Restructuring of Residential
Capital LLC ("ResCap")

Centerview Partners LLC
Barclays
Berkshire Hathaway
Clifford Chance
FGIC
FTI Consulting
Kramer Levin
Marc Puntus
Morrison & Foerster
Ocwen Financial
Residential Capital LLC
Walter Investment Mgmt

Restructuring of the
Mashantucket Pequot Tribal
Nation (Foxwoods Resort
Casino)

Miller Buckfire & Co.
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Chapter 11 Reorganization of
Ahern Rentals

DLA Piper
Ahern Rentals
Bank of America
Bracewell & Giuliani
Covington & Burling LLP
CRG Partners Group, LLC
Del Mar Asset Management, LP
FTI Consulting, Inc.
GE
Goldman Sachs Asset Management
Gordon Silver
Incline, LLC
Kaye Scholer
Liberty Harbor
Milbank, Tweed, Hadley & McCloy LLP
Nomura Corporate Research and Asset Management Inc
Oppenheimer & Co.
Piercy Bowler Taylor & Kern
Platinum Equity
Stoel Rives LLP
The Seaport Group
Wells Fargo
Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP

Restructuring of Conexant Systems, Inc.	The Blackstone Group Akin Gump Alvarez and Marsal August Capital Conexant Systems, Inc Golden Gate Capital Kirkland & Ellis LLP Soros Fund Management
Restructuring of Elyria Foundry	Gordian Group Akin Gump Cerberus Business Finance Finn Dixon and Herling Schulte Roth Taft Stettinius & Hollister Wayzata Investment Partners
Sale of Indiana Grand Casino and Indiana Downs Racetrack	Greenberg Traurig Centaur Holdings, LLC Indiana Downs Capital Corp. Indianapolis Downs, LLC Lazard Freres & Co. LLC Richards, Kibbe & Orb LLP
Restructuring of Stock Building Supply by The Gores Group	The Gores Group Bank of America Barclays Hunton & Williams Merrill Price Waterhouse Coopers, LLC Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom UBS Wells Fargo Wolseley plc

Restructuring Deal of the Year (UP TO \$100mm)

FINALISTS

Restructuring of American Suzuki Motor Corporation	Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones FTI Consulting, Inc. Imperial Capital Klee, Tuchin, Bogdanoff & Stern LLP Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP
Restructuring of WindsorMeade	RBC Capital Markets Deloitte DLA Piper McDermott Will & Emery McguireWoods LLP UMB Bank WindsorMeade

Restructuring of Clare Oaks	RBC Capital Markets Alvarez and Marsal Clare Oaks DLA Piper Duane Morris LLP MB Financial Bank; Sovereign Bank Mintz Levin Cohn Ferris Glovsky and Popeo PC Ungaretti & Harris Wells Fargo Bank, NA Ziegler Securities
Out-of-Court Restructuring of Russound FMP, Inc.	Capstone Partners LLC Russound FMP
Liquidation and closure of Max Rave LLC	BCBG Max Azria Group, Inc Solution Trust Venable LLP
Restructuring of Stamp Farms	O'Keefe Boersen Farms AG, LLC VARIOUS Varnum
Sale of Annie Sez and Mandee to Large Canadian Retailer	Lowenstein Sandler, LLP Big M, Inc. (dba Mandee, Annie Sez and Afaze) GRL Capital Advisors PwC Salus Capital Troutman Sanders YM Inc.
Turnaround of Southlake Village	Drever Capital

V. DEAL FINANCING OF THE YEAR

Debt Financing Deal of the Year

FINALISTS

Debt Financing of DG3 Holdings, LLC	SSG Capital Advisors, LLC DG3 Holdings LLC Gibbons P.C. Goldberg Kohn LTD
Debt Financing of Cotton Holdings, Inc.	SSG Capital Advisors, LLC Alostar Cotton Holdings, Inc. King & Spalding Paul Hastings
Refinancing of M. Luis Construction	Executive Sounding Board Associates Inc. M. Luis Construction Co., Inc. Eagle Bank Michael Lichtenstein, Marty Schaffer, Sandy Baron
\$745 million Exit Financing of Ahern Rentals	The Seaport Group Ahern Rentals CRG Partners Group, LLC Gordon Silver Oppenheimer & Co. Piercy Bowler Taylor & Kern Stoel Rives LLP

Equity Financing Deal of the Year

FINALISTS

Financing of Tricore, Inc. by High Road Capital Partners' portfolio company, Dowden Medical Communications Group (DMCG)	Capstone Partners LLC Ballard Spahr Fifth-Third Bank Grant Thornton LLP High Road Capital Partners Merrill Datasite Thompson Hine LLP Tricore, Inc. Wilkin & Guttenplan, P.C.
Equity Investment in SumUp from Groupon, American Express and BBVA	Financial Technology Partners American Express BBVA Groupon Sumup

Financing of Friedrich Air
Conditioning Co., Ltd. By
Corinthian Capital Group

Capstone Partners LLC
BMC SmartRoom
Corinthian Capital Group
Friedrich Air Conditioning Co.
Kayne Anderson
Mintz Levin
Regions Bank
RSM McGladrey

Acquisition of Karo Film by
Patton Media Group and Baring
Vostok, UFG and the Russian
Direct Investment Fund

Redwood Capital Group
Akin Group
Baker Botts
Baring Vostok Capital Partners
Chase Mellen Law Office
Dechert LLP
Deloitte & Touche
Karo Film
KPMG
Patton Media Group
Russian Direct Investment Fund
UFG Private Equity

Sanchez Energy Corporation
Convertible Preferred Stock
Offering

RBC Capital Markets

Equity Investment in Actient
Pharmaceuticals by GTCR

GTCR
Auxlium Pharmaceuticals
GE
Kirkland & Ellis
LEK
Morgan Stanley
PwC

Private Equity Financing of
Mobileye, N.V.

Morrison & Foerster LLP
Enterprise Holdings, Inc.
Goldman, Sachs & Co.
Goodwin Procter LLP
Greenberg Traurig, LLP
Hong Kong Sailing Capital International Limited
Mobileye, N.V.
Morgan Stanley
NautaDutilh New York P.C.
O'Melveny & Myers LLP
Stibbe
Van Campen Liem Attorneys At Law
Van Campen Liem Tax Advisors
Wellington Investment Management

Fox Factory Holding Corp. Initial
Public Offering

Robert W. Baird & Co
Fox Factory Holding Corp.
The Compass Group

VI. M&A PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR

M&A Dealmaker of the Year

FINALISTS

Jim Bunn, Managing Director and Co-Head of Technology Services Investment Banking Group, Raymond James

Robert Ciardi, Managing Partner, Provident Healthcare Partners

Sunny Khorana, Partner, Fifth Street Management LLC

Frank A. McGrew IV, Managing Director, Raymond James

Steve McLaughlin, Managing Partners, Financial Technology Partners

Louis Mitchell, Managing Director - Investment Banking, Mesirow Financial

George W. Thacker III, Managing Director, CSG Partners

Carsten Thoma, President and Co-Founder, hybris AG

J. Scott Victor, Managing Director, SSG Capital Advisors, LLC

Legal Advisor of the Year

FINALISTS

David Carpenter, Partner, Mayer Brown LLP

Andrew M. Lohmann, Partner, Hirschler Fleischer

Craig Sklar, Partner/Co-Head Business Transactions Group, Seward & Kissel LLP

Robert S. Townsend, Partner, Morrison & Foerster LLP

Andrew Gerlach, Partner, Sullivan & Cromwell

Krishna Veeraraghavan, Partner, Sullivan & Cromwell

Service Provider of the Year

FINALISTS

Ron Chopoorian, Partner and the U.S. Head of Divestiture, PwC

Tom Herd, Managing Partner, North America Mergers & Acquisitions Practice, Accenture

Laura Miles, Partner, Bain & Company

Chuck Moritt, Global M&A Consultant, Mercer

VII. M&A PRODUCT/SERVICE OF THE YEAR

FINALISTS

AIG, Representations & Warranties Insurance (RWI)

AppFolio, SecureDocs Virtual Data Room

Tasman Consulting, Inc., Integrating Human Capital during Technology Acquisitions

Merrill DataSite

Pitchbook Data, Inc.

DTZ, Real Estate Services

West Monroe Partners, Carve-out Services

VIII. FIRM OF THE YEAR

Boutique Investment Banking Firm of the Year

FINALISTS

CHILDS Advisory Partners

CSG Partners

Gordian Group, LLC

Harbor View Advisors

Janes Capital Partners

Metronome Partners, LLC

Provident Healthcare Partners, LLC

SSG Capital Advisors, LLC

Variant Capital Advisors LLC

Private Equity Firm of the Year

FINALISTS

Huron Capital Partners

Catterton Partners

Madison Parker Capital

GTCR

Law Firm of the Year

FINALISTS

Goodwin Procter LLP

Hirschler Fleischer

Morrison & Foerster LLP

Seward & Kissel LLP

Duane Morris

Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz

Investment Banking Firm of the Year

FINALISTS

Financial Technology Partners

Greene Holcomb Fisher

Headwaters MB

Raymond James

Harris Williams

Imperial Capital

Lender Firm of the Year

FINALISTS

Babson Capital Management

Fifth Street Management LLC

Golub Capital

Monroe Capital LLC

NXT Capital

Madison Capital Funding LLC

M&A Consulting Firm of the Year

FINALISTS

Generational Equity

L.E.K. Consulting LLC

PwC

Riveron Consulting

Valuation Firm of the Year

FINALISTS

Generational Equity

Murray, Devine & Company, Inc.

Valuation Research Corporation

Liquidity Services Inc.

Empire Valuation

Hilco

IX. SECTOR DEAL OF THE YEAR AWARDS

Healthcare/Life Sciences (Over \$500mm)

FINALISTS

Sale of Actient Pharmaceuticals to Auxilium Pharmaceuticals	GTCR Auxilium Pharmaceuticals GE Jefferies Kirkland & Ellis LEK Morgan Stanley PwC
\$4.42 Billion Acquisition of HealthCare Partners Holdings, LLC by DaVita Inc.	Morrison & Foerster LLP DaVita, Inc. HealthCare Partners Holdings JP Morgan Securities LLC Munger Tolles & Olson LLP Nossaman LLP Sheppard Mullin Richter & Hampton LLP Sidley Austin LLP
Acquisition of Pfizer's infant nutrition business by Nestlé	Mayer Brown LLP Nestlé Pfizer Rothschild Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Acquisition of West Penn Allegheny Health System by Highmark	Grant Thornton LLP Buchanan Ingersoll & Rooney, PC DLA Piper Hammond Hanlon Camp LLC Highmark Inc. Houlihan Lokey West Penn Allegheny Health system

Healthcare/Life Sciences (Over \$100mm to \$500mm)

FINALISTS

Acquisition of Acurian by Pharmaceutical Product Development, LLC (PPD)	Signal Hill Acurian Fesnak & Associates Intralinks Latham & Watkins, LLC Morgan, Lewis & Bockius PPD PwC
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Acquisition of AndersonBrecon by Packaging Coordinator, Inc., a majority-owned portfolio company of Frazier Healthcare	Goodwin Procter LLP Alvarez & Marsal Amerisource Bergen Corporation Deutsche Bank USA Merrill DataSite Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP Packaging Coordinators, Inc.
Acquisition of TechHealth, Inc. by One Call Care Management	TM Capital Alston & Bird Intralinks Jefferies LLC Kpmg LLP Latham & Watkins LLP Odyssey Investment Partners One Call Care Management Pender Newkirk & Company LLP SunTrust Robinson Humphrey, Inc. TechHealth, Inc.
Marlin & Associates advised Bain Capital Ventures on the merger of its portfolio company ABILITY Network Inc. with IVANS	Marlin & Associates Ivans
Acquisition of Atlantis Healthcare Group Puerto Rico, Inc. (Atlantis) by American Alliance Dialysis Holdings, LLC (AAD)	Provident Healthcare Partners, LLC American Alliance Dialysis Atlantis Healthcare Group Ernst and Young Kirkland and Ellis Patton Boggs
Recapitalization of Hospice Advantage Inc.	Provident Healthcare Partners, LLC Empire Value Advisors Hospice Advantage, Inc. Kirkland & Ellis LLP Sentinel Capital Partners, LLC

Healthcare/Life Sciences (Over \$50mm to \$100mm)

FINALISTS

Strategic Investment in California Forensic Medical Group, Inc. by H.I.G. Capital Partners	Provident Healthcare Partners, LLC Andrews Kurth LLP California Forensic Medical Group, Inc. H.I.G. Capital KPMG International Patane & Gumberg
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Sale of Liquent Inc. to PAREXEL International Corporation

Schulte Roth & Zabel
Marlin Equity Partners LLC
PAREXEL International Corp.

Resolute Anesthesia and Pain Solutions, LLC formed by a Recapitalization Sponsored by Goldman Sachs & Co. ("Resolute")

Cross Keys Capital, LLC
Broad Anesthesia Associates, LLC
Broad Anesthesia Mgmt. Co.
Broad Midwest Anesthesia, LLC
Crowe Horwath, LLP
Epstein Becker & Green, P.C
FTI Consulting
Goldman Sachs & Co.
Greenberg Traurig, LLP
Horizon Advisors
Latham & Watkins, LLP
McDermott, Will & Emery LLP
Menkhaus & Moore, P.L.
Mid-Florida Anesthesia Associates, Inc.
Regions Bank
Rosen Seymour Shapps Marin & Co. LLP

Acquisition of Health Essentials by SV Life Sciences and Bessemer Venture Partners

The Courtney Group
SV Life Sciences
Bessemer Venture Partners
Goodwin Procter
PwC
R&C Healthcare Solutions
Health Essentials
Rutan & Tucker

Acquisition of National Pain Institute (NPI) by Prospira PainCare

Provident Healthcare Partners, LLC
Alvarez & Marsal, LLC
McDermott Will & Emery LLP
Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP
National Pain Institute
Prospira PainCare

Healthcare/Life Sciences (Between \$10mm to \$50mm)

FINALISTS

Acquisition of Southern Maryland Hospital Center by MedStar

SC&H Capital
Hammon Hanlon Camp LLC (H2C)
i3 Healthcare Consulting, LLC
MedStar Health
SC&H Group
Southern Maryland Hospital Center
Venable

Acquisition and Majority recapitalization of Invo HealthCare Associates, Inc. by Post Capital Partners	Capstone Partners LLC Post Capital Partners Crowe Horwath Giordano, Halleran & Ciesla Invo HealthCare Associates, Inc Susque-hanna Bank Winston & Strawn
Acquisition of Eclipse Therapeutics by Bionomics Ltd.	Curtis, Mallet-Prevost, Colt & Mosle LLP Agiletic Law Group, P.C. Aquila Partners, L.P. Bionomics Limited DLA Piper Eclipse Therapeutics, Inc. Johnson Winter & Slattery Morrison & Foerster LLP
Sale of Cylex Inc. to ViraCor-IBT Laboratories, Inc.	Cooley LLP SSG Capital Advisors, LLC Ashby & Geddes, PA Cylex, Inc. Edwards Wildman Palmer LLP Hogan Lovells Viracor-IBT Laboratories
OxOnc Co-Development Agreement with Pfizer, Inc.	Foley & Lardner LLP EisnerAmper MTS Advisors Orbimed Advisors OxOnc Development LP Stuarts Walker Hersant Wilmer Hale
Acquisition of Longhorn Health Solutions by Satori Capital	Allegiance Capital Corporation Brookside Mezzanine Fund II, L.P. Partners Credit Suisse, AG Figer & Company Firmex Longhorn Healthcare Solutions McGladdery, LLP Munsch Hard Kopf & Harr, P.C. Patton Boggs, LLP Satori Capital
Divestiture of Champion (Invacare subsidiary) to LLC	SunTrust Robinson Humphrey Calfee, Halter & Griswold Intralinks Invacare Corporation KPMG Levine Leichtman Capital Partners Willis North America

Industrial Manufacturing/Distribution (Over \$100mm)

FINALISTS

Restructuring of Elyria Foundry	Gordian Group Akin Gump Cerberus Business Finance Finn Dixon and Herling Schulte Roth Taft Stettinius & Hollister Wayzata Investment Partners
Acquisition of Agrifos Fertilizer by Rentech Nitrogen Partners	Seward & Kissel, LLP Agrifos Holdings Inc. BMO Capital Markets GE Capital Imperial Capital Latham & Watkins LLP Macquarie Capital (USA) Inc. PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP Rentech Nitrogen Partners, L.P.
Sale of Ropak Packaging to BWAY Corporation by LINPAC	McKenna Long & Aldridge LLP BWAY Corporation Latham & Watkins LINPAC Group Rothschild Inc.
Acquisition of PPC Broadband by Belden	Raymond James Baker & McKenzie Belden Inc. Ernst & Young LLP John Mezzalingua Associates Lewis, Rice & Fingersh Merrill DataSite PPC
Acquisition of Coperion Capital GmbH by Hillenbrand	P&M Corporate Finance DC Advisory Deutsche Betailli-gungs AG Ernst & Young LLP Helbling Business Advisors Hillenbrand, Inc. Intralinks JP Morgan Linklaters Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Sale of Wausau Paper Corp.'s ("Wausau") to Expera Specialty Solutions, LLC ("Expera Specialty Solutions")	Mesirow Financial Ernst & Young LLP KPS Capital Partners Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison Ruder Ware Wausau Paper Corp.

Acquisition of Stock Building
Supply by The Gores Group

The Gores Group
Bank of America
Barclays
Hunton & Williams
Merrill
Price Waterhouse Coopers, LLC
Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom
UBS
Wells Fargo
Wolseley plc

Acquisition of Aero Precision
Industries by Greenwich
AeroGroup

Janes Capital Partners
Aero Precision Industries
Berkley Capital
Comerica Bank
Dermond Holdings
Foley & Lardner
Greenwich AeroGroup
ICF SH&E
Merrill Corp
Pillsbury Winthrop

Industrial Manufacturing/Distribution (UP TO \$100MM)

FINALISTS

Sale of Brenner Aerostructures
to The Atlas Group

SSG Capital Advisors, LLC
Brenner Aerostructures LLC
Cooper Levenson April Niedelman & Wagenheim, P.A.
Dechert LLP
Grant Thornton
KPMG
The Atlas Group

Acquisition of Stuart
Manufacturing, Inc. by DCX Chol
Enterprises, Inc.

Lake Pointe Partners, LLC
DCX Chol Enterprises, Inc
Fifth Third Bank
Stuart Manufacturing, Inc.

Out-of-Court Restructuring of
Russound FMP, Inc.

Capstone Partners LLC
Russound FMP

Sale of PLAYTIME to Geneva
Glen Capital

Headwaters MB
Geneva Glen Capital
Karsh & Co
Playtime
Polsinelli

Acquisition of Water Products, Inc. by HD Supply, Inc.

Generational Capital Markets, Inc.
HD Supply
King & Spalding
Milam & Assoc.
PrayWalker
Water Products, Inc.

Acquisition of High Pressure Equipment Company by Wasserstein & Co.

Janney Montgomery Scott
AMR International
Audax Partners
Donnelley
Grant Thornton LLP
High Pressure Equipment Co.
Knox McLaughlin Gornall & Sennett, P.C.
Madison Capital
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Wasserstein & Co

Sale of North American Bus Industries Inc. to New Flyer Industries Inc.

Schulte Roth & Zabel
BMO Capital Markets Corp.
Cerberus Capital Management LP
New Flyer Industries Inc.
Torys LLP

Acquisition of Tenere Inc. via Special Purpose Vehicle affiliated with The Watermill Group

Goodwin Procter LLP
Cole Taylor
Greystone Strategies
Ice Miller LLP
Kahn, Litwin, Renza & Co.
Medley Capital
Phoenix Management Services
SSG Capital
The Watermill Group
Western Reserve

Financial Services Deal of the Year (Over \$200mm)

FINALISTS

Acquisition of Digital Risk by Mphasis

Choate Hall & Stewart
Aventus Capital
Century Capital Partners
Digital Risk
Goodwin Procter
Katz, Teller, Brant & Hild
Mphasis
Portico Capital Securities

Acquisition of Online Resources (NasdaqGS: ORCC) by ACI Worldwide (NasdaqGS: ACIW)	Raymond James ACI Worldwide Intralinks Jones Day Morris, Manning & Martin, LLP Online Resources Suntrust Robinson Humphrey Wells Fargo Securities
Acquisition of FleetOne by WrightExpress	Financial Technology Partners Fleetone Wright Express
Section 363 bankruptcy sale of Residential Capital, LLC substantially all operating and mortgage assets	Morrison & Foerster LLP Brown Rudnick LLP Centerview Partners FTI Consulting Mayer Brown LLP Morrison Cohen LLP Munger, Tolles & Olson LLP ResCap Sidley Austin LLP
Acquisition of stake in Nephila Capital by KKR	Seward & Kissel, LLP Clifford Chance LLP Conyers Dill & Pearman Evercore Gleacher KKR Man Group Nephila Capital Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP

Financial Services Deal of the Year (UP TO \$200mm)

FINALISTS

Acquisition of Stamp Farms	O'Keefe Boersen Farms AG, LLC VARIOUS Varnum
Sale of CR Software to FICO	Headwaters MB CR Software Deloitte Faegre Baker Daniels FICO

<p>Acquisition of Thomson Reuters Investor Relations, Public Relations and Multimedia Solutions Businesses by NASDAQ OMX</p>	<p>FTI Consulting, Inc. Bank of America Merrill Lynch Barclays Jones Day NASDAQ OMX Shearman & Sterling LLP Thomson Reuters</p>
<p>Acquisition of XSP by SunGuard</p>	<p>Marlin & Associates</p>
<p>Acquisition of Thomson Reuters Property Tax Services by Ryan, LLC</p>	<p>MHT Partners, LP Allen & Overy LLP Lidji Dorey & Hooper Ryan LLC Thomson Reuters</p>
<p>Acquisition of Kansas City Board of Trade by CME Group Inc.</p>	<p>George K. Baum Capital Advisors, Inc. CME Group Inc. Husch Blackwell LLP Kansas City Board of Trade Merrill DataSite Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP</p>
<p>Acquisition of ProPay by TSYS</p>	<p>Financial Technology Partners ProPay TSYS</p>
<p>Acquisition of Multi Service Corporation by World Fuel Services Corporation</p>	<p>Raymond James Chadbourne & Parke Deloitte & Touche Financial Technology Partners Finch & Campell Grant Thornton IntraLinks Multi Service Corp Willis Mergers & Acquisitions Group World Fuel Services (NYSE:INT)</p>

Professional Services (B-to-B) (Over \$100mm)

FINALISTS

Chapter 11 Reorganization of Ahern Rentals	DLA Piper Ahern Rentals Bank of America Bracewell & Giuliani Covington & Burling LLP CRG Partners Group, LLC Del Mar Asset Management, LP FTI Consulting, Inc. GE Goldman Sachs Asset Management Gordon Silver Incline, LLC Kaye Scholer Liberty Harbor Milbank, Tweed, Hadley & McCloy LLP Nomura Corporate Research and Asset Management Inc Oppenheimer & Co. Piercy Bowler Taylor & Kern Platinum Equity Stoel Rives LLP The Seaport Group Wells Fargo Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP
Acquisition of FleetOne by WrightExpress	Financial Technology Partners Fleetone Wright Express
Acquisition of American Fast Freight by The Jordan Company	Raymond James & Associates, Inc.
Acquisition of Thomson Reuters Property Tax Services by Ryan, LLC	MHT Partners, LP Allen & Overy LLP Lidji Dorey & Hooper Ryan LLC Thomson Reuters
Acquisition of ProPay by TSYS	Financial Technology Partners ProPay TSYS
Sale of Venyu to EATEL	Madison Parker Capital Deerpath Capital Dickstein Shapiro Eatel Gladstone Investment Corporation JPMorgan Merrill P&N

Acquisition of Stock Building
Supply by The Gores Group

The Gores Group
Bank of America
Barclays
Hunton & Williams
Merrill
Price Waterhouse Coopers, LLC
Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom
UBS
Wells Fargo
Wolseley plc

Professional Services (B-to-B) (UP TO \$100mm)

FINALISTS

Majority Investment from
Insight Venture Partners to SR
Labs

Marlin & Associates
Insight Venture Partners
SR Labs

Merger of Reznick Group and
J.H. Cohn

McKenna Long & Aldridge LLP

Acquisition of SOS Staffing, Inc.
by Elwood Staffing

Hire Calling Holding Company
Bank of the West
Blue & Co., LLC
CHILDS Advisory Partners
Crowe Horwath
Dunn Carney
Elwood Staffing
Firmex
Ice Miller
KPMG
Lockton Companies, LLC
PNC Bank

Acquisition of Zephyr
Associates, Inc. ("Zephyr") by
Informa Investment Solutions
("IIS")

Financial Technology Partners
Informa
Zepher

Acquisition of Miner Holding
Company by CI Capital Partners

TM Capital
Celerant Consulting
CI Capital
Ernst & Young
General Catalyst Partners
Jefferson Bank
Merrill Corp
Miner Holding Company
Paul Weiss
Prospect Capital
PWC
Strasburger Price Oppenheimer Blend
Total Fleet Solutions

Acquisition of Water Products, Inc. by HD Supply, Inc.

Generational Capital Markets, Inc.
HD Supply
King & Spalding
Milam & Assoc.
PrayWalker
Water Products, Inc.

Acquisition of Tricore, Inc. by High Road Capital Partners' portfolio company, Dowden Medical Communications Group (DMCG)

Capstone Partners LLC
Ballard Spahr
Fifth-Third Bank
Grant Thornton LLP
High Road Capital Partners
Merrill Datasite
Thompson Hine LLP
Tricore, Inc.
Wilkin & Guttenplan, P.C.

Sale of Rokkan Media LLC to Publicis Groupe

DeSilva & Phillips LLC
Frankfurt Kurnit Klein & Selz PC
Publicis Groupe S.A.
Rokkan Media LLC

Technology, Media, Telecom (Over \$500mm)

FINALISTS

Acquisition of Sprint Nextel by SoftBank and Acquisition of Clearwire by Sprint Nextel

Morrison & Foerster LLP
Shearman & Sterling, LLP
Bank of America Merrill Lynch
Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ Ltd.
Deutsche Bank Ltd.
Goldman Sachs
Mizuho Corporate Bank Ltd.
Mizuho Securities Co. Ltd.
Raine
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
SoftBank
Sprint Nextel Corp.
Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corp.
UBS Investment Bank

Acquisition of YES Network equity stake by News Corp.

Herrick, Feinstein LLP
Boies, Schiller & Flexner LLP
FOX Sports Media Group
Hogan Lovells
Jenner & Block
News Corporation
PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Yankee Global Enterprises LLC

Acquisition of hybris by SAP	Seward & Kissel Bentley Associates Credit Suisse Deutsche Bank HGGC hybris AG Jones Day SAP Wilson Sonsini
Acquisition of Wave Broadband by Oak Hill Capital Partners and GI Partners	Waller Capital Partners, LLC Dow Lohnes Merrill Data Site RBC Capital Markets
Acquisition of Harland Financial Solutions by Davis and Henderson Corp.	Raymond James & Associates, Inc. Bank Consortium Credit Suisse (USA) Inc. Davis Henderson Deloitte Harland Clarke Corporation Intralinks KPMG Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP Stikeman Elliott LLP
Acquisition of BrightPoint by Ingram Micro	The Blackstone Group Blank Rome BrightPoint Davis Polk & Wardwell Ingram Micro Morgan Stanley

Technology, Media, Telecom (Over \$100mm to \$500mm)

FINALISTS

Acquisition of CyOptics by Avago	Raymond James Avago Technologies Latham & Watkins LLP
Acquisition of ecoATM by Outerwall Inc. (Nasdaq: OUTR)	Capstone Partners LLC DLA Piper ecoATM Grant Thornton Morgan Stanley Outerwall Inc. Perkins Coie PriceWaterHouseCoopers

Restructuring of Conexant Systems, Inc.	The Blackstone Group Akin Gump Alvarez and Marsal August Capital Conexant Systems, Inc Golden Gate Capital Kirkland & Ellis LLP Soros Fund Management
Acquisition of N-able Technologies, Inc. by Solarwinds, Inc.	Raymond James Atlas Technology Group N-able Technologies Solarwinds, Inc.
Acquisition of Karo Film by Patton Media Group and Baring Vostok, UFG and the Russian Direct Investment Fund	Redwood Capital Group Akin Group Baker Botts Baring Vostok Capital Partners Chase Mellen Law Office Dechert LLP Deloitte & Touche Karo Film KPMG Patton Media Group Russian Direct Investment Fund UFG Private Equity
Merger of Azteca, Cine Latino, Inc., InterMedia Espanol Holdings, LLC with Hemisphere Media Group, Inc.	Greenberg Traurig
Sale of Insight Venture Partners' significant minority interest in trivago GmbH to Expedia Inc.	Goodwin Procter LLP Insight Venture Partners Noerr LLP
Acquisition of Nokia Siemens Networks' Optical Networks by Marlin Equity Partners	Schulte Roth & Zabel Marlin Equity Partners LLC Nokia Siemens Networks Oy

Technology, Media, Telecom (Between \$10mm and \$100mm)

FINALISTS

Sale of Comverse Inc.'s stake in Starhome to Fortissimo Capital	Curtis, Mallet-Prevost, Colt & Mosle LLP Azini Capital Partners LLP Bank Hapoalim B.M. Barclays Capital Fortissimo Capital Fund Gemini Israel Ventures Gornitzky & Co. Mayer, Brown International LLP Naschitz, Brandes & Co.
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Sale of Evolution Robotics to iRobot Corporation	Robert W. Baird & Co
Acquisition of Technical Innovation, LLC by MSouth Equity Partners	SunTrust Robinson Humphrey Alston & Bird Bain & Company MSouth Equity Partners Navigation Capital New Canaan Funding PWC Regions Bank RR Donnelley Technical Innovation Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice
Sale of CR Software to FICO	Headwaters MB CR Software Deloitte Faegre Baker Daniels FICO
Sale of Trans National Communications International, Inc. to Blue Casa Telephone, LLC	Phoenix Capital Resources Bingham McCutchen, LLP Blue Casa Telephone, LLC Capstone Vrooms Carl Marks CohnReznick Garrison Investment Group, L.P HNB Capital, LLC Miles & Stockbridge, PC Phoenix Capital Resources RBS Citizens Bank, NA The Staten Group Trans National Communications International, Inc.
Acquisition of ACT! and Saleslogix Assets from Sage Group PLC by Swiftpage	St Charles Capital Accel-KKR Bryan Cave EKSH KPMG Moss Adams Sage Group PLC Silicon Valley Bank Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP Swiftpage
Acquisition of Cooking.com by Target Corporation	Headwaters MB BIA Digital Partners Cooking.com DLA Piper LLP Faegre Baker Daniels KPMG Target

Acquisition of Knovel Corp. by Reed Elsevier	Marlin & Associates Reed Elsevier Knovel
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Energy

FINALISTS

Acquisition of IBI, LLC by Global Power Equipment Group Inc.	TM Capital Ernst & Young Global Power Equipment Group, Inc. Grant, Konvalinka & Harrison IBI LLC Merrill Corp Thompson Hine LLP
Acquisition of Hetsco by Global Power Equipment Group	St. Charles Capital Bartlit Beck Herman Palenchar & Scott LLP Ernst & Young Global Power Equipment Group Platte River Equity Thompson Hine TM Capital
Minority Sale of Martin Resource Management Corporation to Employee Stock Ownership Trust	CSG Partners Greenberg Traurig LLP Katten Muchin Rosenmann LLP Martin Resource Management Corporation Stout Risius Ross Wilmington Trust,as ESOP Trustee
\$1.5 billion acquisition of CH Energy Group Inc. by Fortis Inc.	White & Case LLP
Acquisition of a 40% interest in Pioneer Natural Resources Company by Sinochem Petroleum USA LLC	Mayer Brown LLP Pioneer Natural Resources Co. Sinochem Petroleum USA LLC Tudor, Pickering, Holt & Co. Vinson & Elkins

Industrial Goods and Basic Resources

FINALISTS

Acquisition of Stock Building Supply by The Gores Group	The Gores Group Bank of America Barclays Hunton & Williams Merrill Price Waterhouse Coopers, LLC Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom UBS Wells Fargo Wolseley plc
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Acquisition of the Assets of High Country Chemical Supplies by Western Paper Distributors	SDR Ventures, Inc High Country Chemical Supplies, Inc. McGloin, Davenport, Severson & Snow P.C. Minor & Brown PC Western Paper Distributors, Inc
Acquisition of Water Products, Inc. by HD Supply, Inc.	Generational Capital Markets, Inc. HD Supply King & Spalding Milam & Assoc. PrayWalker Water Products, Inc.
Acquisition of Brazil-based Macom Industria by Hoshizaki America	Redwood Capital Group, LLC Acos Macom Indústria e Comércio, Ltda Excelia Gestão e Negócios Habif Arogeti and Wynne LLP Hoshizaki America, Inc. Peixoto e Cury Advogados Veirano Advogados
Acquisition of High Pressure Equipment Company by Wasserstein & Co.	Janney Montgomery Scott AMR International Audax Partners Donnelley Grant Thornton LLP High Pressure Equipment Co. Knox McLaughlin Gornall & Sennett, P.C. Madison Capital Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP Wasserstein & Co
Acquisition of Dynapower Company LLC by Pfingsten Partners LLC	Jordan, Knauff & Company BDO USA Dynapower Company LLC Hertz Schram PC Magna Principals LLC Paul Hastings LLP Pfingsten Partners LLC
Acquisition of Agrifos Fertilizer by Rentech Nitrogen Partners	Seward & Kissel, LLP Agrifos Holdings Inc. BMO Capital Markets GE Capital Imperial Capital Latham & Watkins LLP Macquarie Capital (USA) Inc. PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP Rentech Nitrogen Partners, L.P.

Chapter 11 Reorganization of
Ahern Rentals

DLA Piper
Ahern Rentals
Bank of America
Bracewell & Giuliani
Covington & Burling LLP
CRG Partners Group, LLC
Del Mar Asset Management, LP
FTI Consulting, Inc.
GE
Goldman Sachs Asset Management
Gordon Silver
Incline, LLC
Kaye Scholer
Liberty Harbor
Milbank, Tweed, Hadley & McCloy LLP
Nomura Corporate Research and Asset Management Inc
Oppenheimer & Co.
Piercy Bowler Taylor & Kern
Platinum Equity
Stoel Rives LLP
The Seaport Group
Wells Fargo
Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP

Consumer and Retail Products (Over \$100mm)

FINALISTS

Sale of certain gravure printing
assets by ASG to Amcor Limited

Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP
AGI Global Holdings Cooperatief (International)
Amcor Limited
Atlas AGI Holdings LLC (US)
Davies Ward Phillips & Vineberg LLP
PricewaterhouseCoopers

Acquisition of Capital Vision
Services, LLC (dba MyEyeDr) by
Monitor Clipper Partners, LLC

Metronome Partners, LLC
Capital Vision Services, LLC (dba MyEyeDr)
Monitor Clipper Partners, LLC

Sale of CorePower Yoga

Greene Holcomb Fisher
Alvarez & Marsal
Amzak Capital Management
Catterton Partners
Core Power Yoga
DLA Piper LLP
Ernst & Young LLP
Kirkland & Ellis
Merrill DataSite
Robert W. Baird

<p>Acquisition of GWC Warranty Corporation and certain affiliated entities from CIVC Partners by APCO Holdings, Inc.</p>	<p>Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel LLP APCO Holdings CIVC Partners GWC Investments LLC JP Morgan Chase Bank, NA Stone Point Capital LLC William Blair & Co.</p>
<p>Financial Restructuring of Orchard Supply Hardware</p>	<p>DLA Piper Cortland Products Dechert LLP FTI Consulting, Inc. Goldman, Sachs & Co. Hunton & Williams LLP Lowe’s Home Improvement Stores Moelis & Co. LLC Orchard Supply Hardware Stores Riemer & Braunstein Wells Fargo Zolfo Cooper</p>
<p>Restructuring of DirectBuy Holdings, Inc.</p>	<p>Carl Marks Advisory Group LLC Bayside Capital, Inc. Greenberg Traurig, LLP JP Morgan Chase Rothschild, Inc. The Keystone Group Trivest Partners, L.P. Weil Gotshal & Manges LLP</p>
<p>Acquisition of the North American distribution business of Barnes Group, Inc. by MSC Industrial Direct</p>	<p>Curtis, Mallet-Prevost, Colt & Mosle LLP Baker & McKenzie Barnes Group Inc. Ernst & Young Goldman Sachs Intralinks, Inc. Jackson Lewis JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A McDermott Will & Emery LLP MSC Industrial Direct Co., Inc. PriceWaterhouseCoopers LLP Robert W. Baird & Co. Incorporated Tian Yuan Law Firm</p>
<p>Acquisition of Skippy Peanut Butter by Hormel Food</p>	<p>Faegre Baker Daniels LLP Barclays Cravath, Swaine & Moore LLP Hormel Foods Corporation Lazard Freres & Co. LLC Merrill Corporation Pricewaterhouse Coopers LLP Unilever, united states</p>

Consumer and Retail Products (UP TO \$100mm)

FINALISTS

Acquisition of Zateca Foods and Greeley Trading Company by Teasdale Quality Foods	JD Ford & Company Kendall, Koenig & Oelsner PC Teasdale Quality Foods
Sale of Annie Sez and Mandee to Large Canadian Retailer	Lowenstein Sandler, LLP Big M, Inc. (dba Mandee, Annie Sez and Afaze) GRL Capital Advisors PwC Salus Capital Troutman Sanders YM Inc.
Sale of Cygnus Business Media's Agriculture group to a subsidiary of the American Farm Bureau.	Curtis, Mallet-Prevost, Colt & Mosle LLP Corporate Solutions Grindstone Partners, LLC IDEAg Group, LLC Patterson Belknap Webb & Tyler LLP
Liquidation and closure of Max Rave LLC	BCBG Max Azria Group, Inc Solution Trust Venable LLP
Acquisition of Andrew & Everett / Ry-Con Specialty Foods by PANOS Brands LLC / High Road Capital Partners	CSG Partners Andrew & Everett High Road Capital Partners Jones Day LLP PANOS Brands Rhoads – Sinon LLP Ry-Con Specialty Foods
Growth Equity Investment in PizzaRev by Buffalo Wild Wings	GulfStar Group Buffalo Wild Wings GulfStar Group Kaplan, Strangis, Kaplan Monroe, Moxness & Berg PizzaRev
Acquisition of Friedrich Air Conditioning Co., Ltd. By Corinthian Capital	Capstone Partners LLC BMC SmartRoom Corinthian Capital Group Friedrich Air Conditioning Co. Kayne Anderson Mintz Levin Regions Bank RSM McGladrey
Sale of 50% Stake of Dave's Killer Bread to The Goode Partners LLC	Cascadia Capital Meriwether Group

Real Estate

FINALISTS

363 Sale of Wisp Resort to EPR Properties and National Land Partners	SSG Capital Advisors, LLC Cole Schotz Meisel Forman & Leonard P.A. Dinsmore & Shohl LLP EPR Propertiers Foley & Lardner LLP Invotex Group Kramon & Graham, P.A. National Land Partners Rosenberg Martin Greenberg Shapiro Sher Guinot & Sandler Stinson Morrison Hecker LLP Wisp Resort Yumkas Vidmar & Sweeney LLC
Sale of Hyatt Place Waikiki Beach Hotel to Host Hotels & Resorts	The Chartres Lodging Group, LLC Bank of Hawaii Host Hotels & Resorts Kokua Hospitality Latham Watkins Paul Hastings
Joint \$16 Billion Acquisition of Archstone by Equity Residential and AvalonBay Communities	Morrison & Foerster LLP
Acquisition of the Radisson Plaza Minneapolis by The Chartres Lodging Group, LLC	The Chartres Lodging Group Carlson Real Estate Carlson Rezidor Eastdil Secured KKR Paul Hastings Wells Fargo Bank, NA
Acquisition of Stamp Farms	O'Keefe Boersen Farms AG, LLC VARIOUS Varnum
Sale of LNR Property to Starwood Property Trust and Starwood Capital Group	Schulte Roth & Zabel LLP
Turnaround of Southlake Village	Drever Capital

Retail Manufacturing/Distribution

FINALISTS

Acquisition of Skippy Peanut Butter by Hormel Food

Faegre Baker Daniels LLP
Barclays
Cravath, Swaine & Moore LLP
Hormel Foods Corporation
Lazard Freres & Co. LLC
Merrill Corporation
Pricewaterhouse Coopers LLP
Unilever, united states

Acquisition of AndersonBrecon by Packaging Coordinator, Inc., a majority-owned portfolio company of Frazier Healthcare

Goodwin Procter LLP
Alvarez & Marsal
Amerisource Bergen Corporation
Deutsche Bank USA
Merrill DataSite
Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP
Packaging Coordinators, Inc.

Sale of Vitran Corporation Inc.'s Supply Chain Operation Division to Legacy Supply Chain, Inc.

BB&T Capital Markets
IntraLinks
Key Bank
Legacy Supply Chain, Inc.
McMillan LLP
THL Credit Advisors LLC
Verrill Dana LLP
Vitran Corporation

Sale of Mitten, Inc. to Ply Gem (NYSE: PGEM)

BB&T Capital Markets
Dechert LLP
Ernst & Young LLP
Graham Partners
Intralinks
KPMG, LLC
Mitten Inc.
Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP
Ply Gem (NYSE: PGEM)

Sale of PLAYTIME to Geneva Glen Capital

Headwaters MB
Geneva Glen Capital
Karsh & Co
Playtime
Polsinelli

Merger of Visual Merchandising Inc. and Noa Visual Group

St. Charles Capital
Arcano Investment Banking
Blue Sage Capital
Graves Dougherty Hearon & Moody
Mayer Brown LLP
Miura Private Equity
Vectra Bank
Visual Merchadising Inc.

Acquisition of Saffer Plastics, Inc. by Priority Plastics, Inc.

Capstone Partners LLC
BMC Smartroom
Engel & Reiman pc
Husch Blackwell LLP
Lopata, Flegel & Company
Marrs, Sevier & Company
Priority Plastics, Inc.
SAFFER Products, Inc.

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PricewaterhouseCoopers

Consumer Services

FINALISTS

Sale of Cygnus Business Media's Agriculture group to a subsidiary of the American Farm Bureau.

Curtis, Mallet-Prevost, Colt & Mosle LLP
Corporate Solutions
Grindstone Partners, LLC
IDEAg Group, LLC
Patterson Belknap Webb & Tyler LLP

Acquisition of Dynamic Dental Partners by Huron Capital Partners

Huron Capital Partners
Alvarez & Marsal
Benesch Friedlander
Dynamic Dental Partners
Fifth Third Bank
Honigman Miller
Investor Group Services
KeyBanc Capital Markets
Marwood Group
Waller Lansden

Acquisition of Carmel Car and Limousine Service by a Large Strategic Provider of Transit Services

Branford Castle, Inc.
BDO Seidman, LLP
Boies, Schiller & Flexner LLP
Bracewell & Giuliani LLP
Fifth Third Bank
Houlihan, Lokey, Howard & Zukin, Inc.
Intralinks, Inc.
Peninsula Capital Partners
PricewaterhouseCoopers
Ronald Shapss Corporate Services, Inc.

Sale of CorePower Yoga	Greene Holcomb Fisher Alvarez & Marsal Amzak Capital Management Catterton Partners Core Power Yoga DLA Piper LLP Ernst & Young LLP Kirkland & Ellis Merrill DataSite Robert W. Baird
Sale of Insight Venture Partners' significant minority interest in trivago GmbH to Expedia Inc.	Goodwin Procter LLP Insight Venture Partners Noerr LLP
Acquisition of Albertsons, Acme, Jewel-Osco, Shaw's and related Osco and Sav-on in-store pharmacies by Cerberus Capital Management	Schulte Roth & Zabel LLP Barclays plc Cerberus Capital Management LP Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson LLP Goldman, Sachs & Co. Greenhill & Co. Kimco Realty Corp. Klaff Realty LP Lazard Lubert-Adler Partners LP Schottenstein Realty Co. SUPERVALU INC. Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz
Restructuring of American Suzuki Motor Corporation	FTI Consulting Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones Imperial Capital Klee, Tuchin, Bogdanoff & Stern LLP Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP
Acquisition of GWC Warranty Corporation and certain affiliated entities from CIVC Partners by APCO Holdings, Inc.	Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel LLP APCO Holdings CIVC Partners GWC Investments LLC JP Morgan Chase Bank, NA Stone Point Capital LLC William Blair & Co.

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