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2021 Best Places to Work in Kentucky Rankings Announced **Booz Allen Hamilton, Inc., Kentucky Lottery Corporation, and Peel & Holland, Inc. take top honors**

Frankfort, Ky. (June 17, 2021) – Booz Allen Hamilton, Inc., Kentucky Lottery Corporation, and Peel & Holland, Inc. were ranked the 2021 Best Places to Work in [Kentucky by the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce](#) and the [Kentucky Society for Human Resource Management \(KYSHRM\)](#).

During the 17th Annual Best Places to Work in Kentucky awards ceremony, presented by [ClearPath Mutual Insurance Company](#), more than 600 attendees joined in celebrating the 100 Kentucky companies who were recognized for their commitment to focus, measure and move their workplace environments toward excellence.

The list of companies who made the 2021 list was announced in March and the ranked list was announced on stage at the awards ceremony. The 100 winning companies participated in a comprehensive survey process and were then ranked according to those results. The list consists of three categories: small companies of 15-149 employees, medium companies of 150-499 employees and large companies consisting of more than 500 employees (categories based on number of U.S. employees, only Kentucky employees surveyed).

[Booz Allen Hamilton, Inc.](#), the top winner in the large category, is more than a leading provider of management consulting, technology, and engineering services to the U.S. government in defense, intelligence, and civil markets, and to major corporations and not-for-profit organizations for over a century. It is a firm where employee voices are heard and where they matter. Their motto – Empower People to Change the World - isn't new, and it has meaning. Employees receive the tools to help them be successful, management that supports their careers, and opportunity for advancement. Booz Allen respects its people, and clients respect our value and services. Booz Allen Hamilton, Inc. has made the list for 12 years and last year was ranked fifth in the large category.

The [Kentucky Lottery Corporation](#), the top winner in the medium category, has been fueling imagination and funding education in the Commonwealth for 32 years. Since 1999, when Lottery proceeds were directed to pay for college scholarship and grant programs, more than \$3.8 Billion has been provided to help Kentucky students work towards a degree. Every dime of the popular KEES scholarship ever awarded came straight from the sale of Kentucky Lottery tickets, and 1 in 5 Kentuckians have now received a college scholarship or grant paid for by Lottery proceeds. Kentucky Lottery Corporation has made the list for 2 years and was ranked 18th in 2005 in the medium category.

[Peel & Holland, Inc.](#), the top winner in the small category, provides insurance services to businesses, families, employers, and public entities in 36 states. With five locations across Western and South-Central Kentucky, they pride in being more than a typical insurance agency quoting policies. Instead, they strive to make a meaningful difference in the lives of their employees, the success of their clients, and the future of the communities where they live and work. They are recognized as a Top 100 in the nation "Best Practices Agency" by the Independent Insurance Agents of America. Peel & Holland, Inc. has made the list for four years and last year was ranked eighth in the small category.

Now in its 17th year, the Best Places to Work in Kentucky program has recognized a combined 324 unique Kentucky companies with 227 of those making the list more than once. Special recognition to the two companies that have made the list all 17 years - Dean Dorton and KORT.

The Kentucky Society for Human Resource Management (KYSHRM) state council and the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce are proud to host the Best Places initiative, as both organizations support the value of workplace excellence as a key component in moving Kentucky forward.

"HR professionals are the CEO's strategic partner in creating an adaptive advantage for Kentucky's employers. The Best Places to Work in Kentucky program recognizes those employers who set an exemplary standard of excellence for both employee engagement and business success," said KYSHRM Chair, Patrick Smith, SHRM-CP, PHR.

According to Kentucky Chamber President and CEO, Ashli Watts, "In order to help Kentucky's economy thrive, we must be able to educate and employ current Kentuckians, while also creating workplaces that attract talent from outside of the state. The Best Places program does just that."

[Click here to view the 2021 magazine](#). For more details about Best Places to Work in Kentucky, visit [bestplacestoworkky.com](#).

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2021 Best Places to Work in Kentucky – Ranked Lists

Small Companies

| <u>Rank</u> | <u>Company</u> |
|-------------|---|
| 1 | Peel & Holland, Inc. |
| 2 | MiddleGround Capital |
| 3 | Delta Dental of Kentucky, Inc. |
| 4 | Ward, Hocker & Thornton, PLLC |
| 5 | PriceWeber |
| 6 | Connected Nation |
| 7 | Venminder, Inc. |
| 8 | Volta |
| 9 | Bim Group |
| 10 | MCF |
| 11 | Bitwerx |
| 12 | FNB Bank |
| 13 | Wehr Constructors, Inc. |
| 14 | All Star Purchasing |
| 15 | NetGain Technologies, LLC |
| 16 | KLH Engineers |
| 17 | Marine Solutions, Inc. |
| 18 | BUDGET For The People |
| 19 | Copperhead Environmental Consulting, INC. |
| 20 | Alpha Business Acquisitions, Inc. |
| 21 | Town & Country Bank and Trust Company |
| 22 | Tri-Arrows Aluminum Inc. |
| 23 | Massage Envy Lexington |
| 24 | Strothman and Company |
| 25 | People Plus, Inc. |
| 26 | Forcht Broadcasting |
| 27 | Fahe |
| 28 | Mirazon |
| 29 | Middleton Reutlinger |
| 30 | Metro United Way, Inc. |
| 31 | DBL Law |
| 32 | CORNETT |
| 33 | Clay Ingels Co. LLC |
| 34 | Rajant Corporation |
| 35 | United States Hunter Jumper Association |
| 36 | Strategic Marketing |
| 37 | Victory Mortgage |
| 38 | Hardin County Water District No. 1 |
| 39 | Associations International |
| 40 | Kerr-Greulich Engineers |

Medium Companies

| <u>Rank</u> | <u>Company</u> |
|-------------|---|
| 1 | Kentucky Lottery Corporation |
| 2 | Independence Bank |
| 3 | Stites & Harbison, PLLC |
| 4 | Car-Part.com |
| 5 | Blue & Co., LLC |
| 6 | Community Financial Services Bank |
| 7 | ARGI |
| 8 | Interapt |
| 9 | Kentucky Bank |
| 10 | MCM CPAs & Advisors LLP |
| 11 | Associates in Pediatric Therapy LLC |
| 12 | Xometry |
| 13 | Dean Dorton |
| 14 | Columbia Gas of Kentucky |
| 15 | L&N Federal Credit Union |
| 16 | Commonwealth Credit Union |
| 17 | LockNet LLC |
| 18 | KEEN Footwear |
| 19 | Limestone Bank |
| 20 | Forcht Bank |
| 21 | Revecore |
| 22 | Park Community Credit Union |
| 23 | Shepherd Insurance |
| 24 | Louisville Tile Distributors |
| 25 | UofL Health - Shelbyville Hospital |
| 26 | AE Electrical Solutions |
| 27 | KECH, Inc. |
| 28 | Southcentral Kentucky Community & Technical College |
| 29 | Winterwood Inc. |
| 30 | PharmaCord |

Large Companies

| <u>Rank</u> | <u>Company</u> |
|-------------|--|
| 1 | Booz Allen Hamilton, Inc. |
| 2 | Neustar Inc. |
| 3 | Edward Jones |
| 4 | Farm Credit Mid-America |
| 5 | Steptoe & Johnson PLLC |
| 6 | Envoy Mortgage, Ltd. |
| 7 | Jack Henry & Associates |
| 8 | ISCO Industries |
| 9 | Bluegrass Care Navigators |
| 10 | Kentucky Power Company |
| 11 | Long John Silver's, LLC |
| 12 | Bastian Solutions |
| 13 | Genentech |
| 14 | Appriss, Inc |
| 15 | Central Bank & Trust Co. |
| 16 | Republic Bank |
| 17 | CSI |
| 18 | Galen College of Nursing |
| 19 | Signature HealthCARE Consulting Services |
| 20 | Amgen |
| 21 | Total Quality Logistics |
| 22 | Corning |
| 23 | Kentucky American Water |
| 24 | Senture, LLC |
| 25 | AssuredPartners |
| 26 | V-Soft Consulting |
| 27 | Fischer Homes |
| 28 | KORT |
| 29 | CHI Saint Joseph Health, Saint Joseph London |
| 30 | Rockcastle Regional Hospital and Respiratory Care Center |