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Ninth Annual Best Places to Work in Kentucky Award Winners Announced

FRANKFORT, Ky. (Jan. 28, 2013) – The Kentucky Society for Human Resource Management (KYSHRM), in conjunction with the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce, announces the winners (see attached list) in the **Ninth Annual Best Places to Work in Kentucky** competition. The winner rankings will be announced at an awards dinner Tuesday, April 16, 2013, at the Lexington Convention Center.

Winners from across the state have been selected in two categories: small/medium-sized employer (companies of 25 to 249 U.S. employees) and large-sized employer (companies of 250 U.S. employees or greater). The selection process, managed by Best Companies Group, is based on an assessment of the company's employee policies and procedures and the results of an internal employee survey.

The competition is a multi-year initiative designed to motivate companies in the Commonwealth to focus, measure and move their workplace environments toward excellence. Numerous studies show a strong correlation between profitability and creating a good place to work. The Best Places to Work in Kentucky initiative is based on FORTUNE magazine's "100 Best Companies to Work for in America" list.

The KYSHRM organization consists of 13 local chapters throughout the state, with a membership of over 2,500 human resources and business professionals across all industries.

The Kentucky Chamber represents 2,700 member businesses – from family-owned shops to Fortune 500 companies – that employ over half of the Commonwealth's workforce.

For more details about Best Places to Work in Kentucky, or to register for the awards dinner, visit www.bestplacetoworkky.com.

–See winners list on pages 2 and 3–

THE BEST PLACES TO WORK IN KENTUCKY 2013

(Alphabetical order – rankings will be revealed at an awards dinner on April 16, 2013)

Small/Medium Companies

<u>Company Name</u>	<u>Primary Location</u>
Air Hydro Power	Multiple Cities
Alure Salon and Day Spa	Lexington
ARGI Financial Group	Louisville/Bowling Green
Associations International.....	Lexington/Louisville
Benefit Insurance Marketing.....	Lexington
CLARK Material Handling Company.....	Lexington/Louisville
Connected Nation.....	Bowling Green
Creative Lodging Solutions.....	Lexington
Dean Dorton Allen Ford, PLLC	Lexington/Louisville
Fellon-McCord.....	Louisville
Greater Louisville Inc.....	Louisville
Hospice of Hope, Inc.	Maysville
Integrity IT	Lexington
Kentucky Bank	Multiple Cities
KESA, The Kentucky Workers' Compensation Fund	Louisville
Learning House	Louisville
Louisville Convention & Visitors Bureau	Louisville
Lockett & Farley	Louisville
MassMutual Financial Group: Assurance Financial Group, LLC	Lexington/Louisville
Mountjoy Chilton Medley LLP	Multiple Cities
Nephrology Associates of Kentuckiana, PSC	Multiple Cities
Park Community Federal Credit Union	Louisville/Lexington
People Plus, Inc	Multiple Cities
PEOPLES EXCHANGE BANK	Multiple Cities
River Road Asset Management, LLC	Louisville
Southcentral Kentucky Community & Technical College	Multiple Cities
(Formally Bowling Green Technical College)	
Strategic Marketing	Louisville
Sturgill, Turner, Barker & Moloney, PLLC.....	Lexington
Symbiotix, Inc.	Lexington/Danville
Tenmast Software	Lexington
The Heritage Nursing and Rehabilitation Facility	Corbin
Traditional Bank, Inc.....	Multiple Cities
WDRB/WMYO Television.....	Louisville

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Large Companies

<u>Company Name</u>	<u>Primary Location</u>
Allconnect.....	Lexington
Baptist Health LaGrange	LaGrange
Baptist Health Lexington.....	Lexington
Baptist Health Louisville (formerly known as Baptist Hospital East)	Louisville
Big Ass Fans	Lexington
Blue & Co., LLC.....	Louisville/Lexington
Booz Allen Hamilton, Inc.....	Radcliff
Bottom Line Systems, Inc.....	Crescent Springs
Central Bank.....	Multiple Cities
Computer Services Inc.	Paducah
Corning Incorporated.....	Harrodsburg
Crowe Horwath LLP	Louisville/Lexington
Edward Jones.....	Winchester
Exceptional Living Centers	Lexington
Farm Credit Mid-America.....	Multiple Cities
First Federal Savings Bank.....	Multiple Cities
Frankfort Regional Medical Center	Frankfort
Genentech.....	Louisville
Harrison Memorial Hospital	Cynthiana
Harshaw Trane	Multiple Cities
Heritage Bank.....	Multiple Cities
Hilliard Lyons.....	Multiple Cities
Hosparus Inc.	Louisville
Independence Bank.....	Multiple Cities
iPay Solutions, A Division of ProfitStars	Elizabethtown/Louisville
ISCO Industries, Inc.	Louisville
Kentucky Orthopedic Rehab Team (KORT)	Multiple Cities
Masonic Homes of Kentucky, Inc.	Louisville/Shelbyville
Neace Lukens, An AssuredPartners Company.....	Multiple Cities
NPAS, A Subsidiary of Parallon Business Solutions	Louisville
ORR Corporation.....	Louisville
Pikeville Medical Center	Multiple Cities
Republic Bank	Multiple Cities
Somerset Community College	Multiple Cities
Stantec	Lexington/Louisville
Stites & Harbison PLLC.....	Multiple Cities
Total Quality Logistics	Multiple Cities
Trilogy Health Services, LLC - Home Office	Louisville
Twin Lakes Regional Medical Center	Leitchfield
Wyatt, Tarrant & Combs, LLP.....	Louisville/Lexington

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