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## **2003 Honorees Announced for HR Leadership Awards of Greater Washington**

### **Bobbie Kilberg to give keynote address; Bob Madigan to be Master of Ceremonies**

Winners of the 2003 HR Leadership Awards of Greater Washington will be announced at the Awards Gala to be held at the Hilton McLean Tysons Corner on June 3. Six awards will be presented: four for ***Human Resources Professional Excellence*** in the organization categories of large commercial, small commercial, government, and non-profit; one for ***Community Service/Corporate Social Responsibility***, in honor of former Marymount University President Sr. Eymard Gallagher, RHSM; and one for ***Ethics***, in honor of CACI Chairman, President & CEO Dr. J. P. (Jack) London.

The award winners will be announced from the following list of honorees:

- **William Albright**, Director, Quality of Work Life and Benefits, The MITRE Corporation, McLean, VA
- **Kaye Anderson**, Director of HR, User Technology Associates, Inc., Arlington, VA
- **Susan D. Baker**, VP of Workforce Development, Northern Virginia Technology Council, Herndon, VA
- **Mosetta Blackmon**, Director of HR, Mitretek Systems, Inc., Falls Church, VA
- **Susann Bresnahan**, Partner/Global HR Director for the Financial Services, Accenture, Reston, VA
- **Dr. Brad S. Draeger**, Assistant Superintendent, Department of HR, Fairfax County Public Schools
- **Dr. Amy Dufrane**, Director of HR, The Optical Society of America, Washington, DC
- **Garry Griffiths**, Executive VP and Chief HR Officer, AMS, Inc., Fairfax, VA
- **Thomas Jefferson**, VP of HR, Comcast Communications, Inc., Manassas, VA
- **Lee Karbowski**, Executive Director, Workplace Relations, Northrop Grumman IT, Herndon, VA
- **Karen L. Meyer-Cain**, VP of HR, Avendra, LLC, Rockville, MD
- **L. Patricia Sherod**, Executive Director, Organization and Workforce Development, Northrop Grumman IT, Reston, VA
- **Maggie Sinnot**, Director of Administration, Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld, LLP, McLean, VA
- **Raymond J. Wernecke**, Director, Program and Business Analysis, Naval Air Systems Command, Patuxent River, MD

Human resource leaders sustain and cultivate the infrastructure of today's private and public organizations, often overcoming remarkable challenges. The ***HR Leadership Awards of Greater Washington*** were created to recognize and celebrate the exemplary contributions of outstanding human resource leaders who serve as business strategists, change drivers and thought leaders in industry and government throughout the greater Washington, D.C., area.

**HR Leadership: The Competitive Edge** is the theme of this year's Awards Gala. **Bobbie Kilberg**, president, Northern Virginia Technology Council (NVTC), will give the keynote address; **Bob Madigan**, WTOP's *Man About Town*, will serve as master of ceremonies.

For more information, go to [www.hrleadership.org](http://www.hrleadership.org) or contact Marie Assir, HR Leadership Awards administrator, at 703-284-5975 or [info@hrleadership.org](mailto:info@hrleadership.org). #####