



9TH ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL M&A AWARDS WINNERS

I. SECTOR DEAL OF THE YEAR

FINANCIALS DEAL OF THE YEAR

Acquisition of AssetMark by Huatai Securities Co., Ltd. Raymond James Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP

Huatai Securities Co. Morgan Stanley

HEALTHCARE/LIFE SCIENCES DEAL OF THE YEAR

Sale of Graphic Controls, a portfolio company of WestView Capital to Nissha Printing Co., Ltd. Headwaters MB Baker & McKenzie

BDA Partners WestView Capital Partners Nissha Printing Co. Ltd.

AssetMark

Capital to Nissha F Baker & McKenzie RR Donnelly A.T. Kearney

MATERIALS DEAL OF THE YEAR

Restructuring of Molycorp

Miller Buckfire, a Stifel Company Centerview Neo Performance Materials Houlihan Lokey Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel LLP Jones Day PJT Partners Paul Hastings Alix Partners Berkeley Research Group Ashby & Geddes Young Conaway Stargatt & Taylor, LLP

CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY DEAL OF THE YEAR		
Acquisition of Ixxus by Copyright Clearance Center Signal Hill Capital Copyright Clearance Center	Innovation Advisors Ixxus	
CONSUMER STAPLES DEAL OF THE YEAR		
Sale of Highline Produce Holdings, a portfolio company of F Lazard Middle Market Holland & Knight LLP Highline Produce	Peak Rock Capital, to Fyffes Peak Rock Capital McDermott Will & Emery	
PROFESSIONAL SERVICES (B-TO-B) DEAL OF THE YEAR		
Acquisition of Marketwired by Nasdaq BMO Capital Markets Corp Marketwired	OMERS Private Equity	
ENERGY DEAL OF THE YEAR (UP TO \$250MM)		
Investment in clean energy by OCI Dechert LLP	Nagashima Hashimoto & Yasukun	
ENERGY DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$250MM - \$1B)		
Sec. 363 Sale of Abengoa SA DLA Piper Houlihan Lokey KPMG Armstrong Teasdale Alvarez & Marsal	Carl Marks Advisors Green Plains Renewable Energy, Inc. KAAPA Ethanol ICM, Inc.	
ENERGY DEAL OF THE YEAR (OVER \$1B)		
Acquisition of Columbia Pipeline Group, Inc. by TransCanae Mayer Brown LLP Wells Fargo Securities	da Blake, Cassels & Graydon LLP	
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND TELECOM DEAL OF THE YEAR (UNDER \$75MM)		
Capital Raise for Vena Solutions KPMG Corporate Finance LLC	Vena solutions	
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND TELECOM DEAL OF THE YEAR (OVER \$75MM)		
Strategic Investment in Infutor by Norwest Venture Partners Dresner Partners Investment Banking Goodwin Procter LLP Neal, Gerber & Eisenberg LLP Bill Hickey & Associates, Inc.	Norwest Venture Partners Ernst & Young LLP AB Private Credit Investors Mueller	
INDUSTRIALS DEAL OF THE YEAR (UP TO \$150MM)		

Acquisition of MIOX Corporation by Johnson Matthey Plc Headwaters MIOX Corporation

Johnson Matthey Plc

INDUSTRIALS DEAL OF THE YEAR (OVER \$150MM)

Divestiture of Doosan Engineering & Construction Co Ltd heat recovery steam generator business to GE Power

BDA Partners Doosan Engineering & Construction Co Ltd GE Power Kim & Chang Yulchon SmartRoom PwC Ernst & Young

II. FIRM OF THE YEAR

BOUTIQUE INVESTMENT BANKING FIRM OF THE YEAR

Equiteq

INVESTMENT BANKING FIRM OF THE YEAR

BDA Partners

COMMUNICATIONS FIRM OF THE YEAR

Finsbury

CONSULTING FIRM OF THE YEAR

Deloitte Consulting

PRIVATE EQUITY FIRM OF THE YEAR

L Catterton

VALUATION FIRM OF THE YEAR

VRC | Valuation Research

III. PRODUCT/SERVICE OF THE YEAR

Ernst & Young - People Advisory Services M&A Integrations

IV. RESTRUCTURING OF THE YEAR

RESTRUCTURING OF THE YEAR

Chapter 11 of O.W. Bunker Debtors

Montgomery McCracken Walker & Rhoads LLP Alvarez & Marsal Allen & Overy Hunton& Williams Norton Rose Fulbright US LLP Robinson & Cole, LLP Halloran & Sage LLP Gavin/Solmonese LLC

V. CORPORATE/STRATEGIC DEAL OF THE YEAR

CORPORATE/STRATEGIC DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$10MM - \$50MM)

Acquisition of Banco Citibank de Guatemala and AffiliatesbyPromerica Financial Corporation Hunton & Williams LLP Deutsche Bank Securities Inc. Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

CORPORATE/STRATEGIC DEAL OF THE YEAR (OVER \$50MM - \$100MM)

Acquisition of ComNet by ACRE/LLR Partners

Carter Morse & Mathias ComNet Holdings, LLC Martin LLP Day Pitney Brown Butler Access Control Related Enterprises LLR Partners, Inc. Pepper Hamilton LLP

CORPORATE/STRATEGIC DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$100MM - \$250MM)

Financing of Gate, Inc. Gulfstar Group Gibson Applied Technology & Engineering Morgan Stanley Credit Partners

Porter Hedges Proskauer Rose BDO

CORPORATE/STRATEGIC DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$250MM - \$500MM)

Acquisition of Vindicia, Brite:Bill and Pontis by Amdocs

 Amdocs
 William Fry

 Brite:Bill
 PwC

 Arma
 Vindicia and Pontis

 MeitarLiquornikGevaLeshem Tal
 CORPORATE/STRATEGIC DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$500MM - \$1B)

Acquisition of Continental Structural Plastics by Teijin Limited

Foley & Lardner LLP Bradley Arant Boult Cummings LLP Cleary Gottlieb Cacheaux, Cavazos & Newton, L.L.P.

CORPORATE/STRATEGIC DEAL OF THE YEAR (OVER \$1B)

Restructuring of Pacific Exploration & Production Corp.

Curtis, Mallet-Prevost, Colt &Mosle LLP The Catalyst Capital Group, Inc. Pacific E&P Evercore Partners McMillan LLP PwC Brown Rudnick LLP Norton Rose Fulbright Canada LLP Borden Ladner Gervais LLP Proskauer Rose LLP DLA Piper (Canada) LLP J&A Garrigues, S.L.P. Carter Ledyard & Milburn LLP Lazard Freres & Co. LLC

VI. CROSS BORDER DEAL OF THE YEAR

CROSS BORDER DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$10MM - \$25MM)

Strategic Investment in Xignite by Quick and Nikkei Marlin & Associates Xignite

Quick

CROSS BORDER DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$25MM - \$50MM)

Acquisition of Arnold Industries by the Bossard Group

Capstone Partners LLC Bossard North America Bossard Holding AG Dutton, Braun, Staack& Hellman P.L.C. Arnold Industries, Inc. Andersen Tax

CROSS BORDER DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$50MM - \$100MM) Acquisition of Teradata Marketing Applications Schulte Roth & Zabel LLP Marlin Equity Partners Teradata Corporation CROSS BORDER DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$100MM - \$250MM) Merger of The Robbins Company with Northern Heavy Industries Western Reserve Partners LLC Northern Heavy Industries The Robbins Company Mount Flag, LLC CROSS BORDER DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$250MM - \$500MM) Acquisition of Saham Finances SA by Sanlam Group **ENSafrica** Allen & Overy Naciri & Associates Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer CROSS BORDER DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$500MM - \$1B) Acquisition of MAPCO, a Subsidiary of Delek US, by Copec Raymond James Copec S.A. **Delek US Holdings** Simpson Thacher **RBC** Capital Markets CROSS BORDER DEAL OF THE YEAR (OVER \$1B) Acquisition of GE Appliances by Qingdao-Haier FTI Consulting White & Case Sidley Austin PwC

VII. PRIVATE EQUITY DEAL OF THE YEAR

PRIVATE EQUITY DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$10MM - \$50MM)

Acquisition of Dock Edge + by Canada Metal Pacific, a Subsidiary of Branford Castle PartnersGenerational Capital Markets, Inc.Canada MetalDock Edge + Inc.Ormston List Frawley, LLPBranford Castle PartnersEdwards, Kenny & Bray LLP

PRIVATE EQUITY DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$50MM - \$100MM)

Significant Investment in St. Marche from L Catterton	
L Catterton	PwC
St. Marche	Sally Dancer Inc.
Stocche Forbes	Itau BBA

PRIVATE EQUITY DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$100MM - \$250MM)

Sale of Fitness First Australia by Oaktree Capital Management Record Point Quadrant Private Equity

PRIVATE EQUITY DEAL OF THE YEAR (OVER \$250MM)

Acquisition of Morrison Utility Services by First Reserve Winchester Capital First Reserve Bregal Capital

VIII. REGIONAL DEAL OF THE YEAR

EUROPE DEAL OF THE YEAR

Acquisition of Runbook B.V. by Blackline, Inc.

Drake Star Partners Runbook B.V. BlackLine Inc. PPM Oost Sumeru Equity Partners

LATIN AMERICA DEAL OF THE YEAR

Restructuring and Sale of Peninsula Papagayo Resort Berger Singerman REH Capital Partners, LLC EH Capital Partners, LLC ICONIQ Capital Tennenbaum Capital Partners, LLC Kirkland & Ellis LLP Silicon Polder Fund Deloitte

Algon Group LLC Stearns Weaver Miller WeisslerAlhadeff and Sitterson

ASIA DEAL OF THE YEAR

Divestment of TR Pty Limited to VP plc LCC Asia Pacific Advent Partners

Squire Paton Boggs K&L Gates

NORTH AMERICA DEAL OF THE YEAR

Acquisition of New Holland Apparel and ArtFX by Apollo Global Management in connection with Apollo's strategic partnership with Nike
MMG Advisors, Inc.
Apollo Global Management
Kythera Capital Management, LLC

OCEANIA DEAL OF THE YEAR

Sale of Microsoft's Feature Phone business and Vietnam factory Microsoft Corporate HMD Global

IX.M&A DEAL OF THE YEAR

M&A DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$10MM - \$25MM)

The Acquisition of Acuna & Asociados SA by The Dowco GroupMadison Street CapitalAcuna & AsociadosS.A

M&A DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$25MM - \$50MM)

Acquisition of Diversified Global Graphics Group ("DG3") by an affiliate of Resilience Capital Partners

Resilience Capital Partners DLA Piper LLP Gibbons P.C. SSG Capital Advisors, LLC McGuireWoods, LLP Kirkland & Ellis LLP Aon Risk Solutions - Cleveland Ernst & Young LLP Ramboll Environ Sterling Associates

M&A DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$50MM - \$100MM)

Acquisition of Teradata Marketing Applications Schulte Roth & Zabel LLP Teradata Corporation

M&A DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$100MM - \$250MM)

Sale of BELECTRIC to innogy, an RWE company Capitalmind Corporate Finance Advisory BELECTRIC Solar & Battery Holding GmbH

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M&A DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$250MM - \$500MM)

Acquisition of Allworld Exhibitions by UBM plc BCMS Corporate LLC J.P. Morgan Cazenove KPMG

Herbert Smith Freehills Allen &Overy Ernst & Young

Marlin Equity Partners

M&A DEAL OF THE YEAR (\$500MM - \$1B)

Joint Venture and Acquisition of IAC's soft-trim business by Shanghai Shenda Dechert LLP Jones Day

M&A DEAL OF THE YEAR (OVER \$1B)

Creation of Aker BP – the merger of BP Norge and Det Norske BP plc AKER BP ASA Det Norske ASA

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