



## GLOBAL MARKETS • 15<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL Gala & Dinner Ceremony: June 8, 2023, New York, USA.

**i-NOMINATE DEADLINE:**

**January 27, 2023** (no extensions this year!)

**SEND FORMS:**

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World's most prestigious – Global M&A Atlas Awards solely honors best value-creating deals, outstanding firms, and legendary leaders-dealmakers from the international corporate, investor and deal communities.

**PRESTIGE:** Winning the independently governed awards, equates to achieving the “Gold Standard of Performance” standing in the industry, validating the firm and team leadership since winners are selected based on “deals criteria”, experience and expertise.

*Note: Global Markets M&A Atlas Awards are combined for the calendar year 2021 and 2022.*

*So, you have the benefit of nominating for deals per expanded time-frame, and winning for both years at the same time.*

- ▶ **GAIN Advantage, Nominate:** We encourage you to nominate on behalf of your organization, colleagues, and clients to gain advantage of being considered first, and notified early regarding your winner status. There are no fees to nominate in any number of awards categories per eligibility standards.
- ▶ **ELIGIBILITY:** Deals must be closed in the timeframe: **January 30, 2021 – December 30, 2022.** Deals must be cross-border and/or the acquiring party must have global operations in at least three countries. Forms must be fully completed to qualify for expedited review.
- ▶ **INDEPENDENT GOVERNANCE & Process:** Prestige emanates from the integrity of the process. Winners are judged by point-indexed scoring method based on the deal criteria such as pre-and-post deal outcomes; style/negotiation; sector; complexities; regulation/jurisdictions; stakeholder/community value impact; leadership; brand strength; etc. Significantly, we do not accept sponsorship for the awards gala from deal advisory (legal, banks) to avoid “pay for play” influence and insure a 100% conflict-free process.
- ▶ **GALA & DINNER CELEBRATION:** Winners are announced and honored at the networking gala dinner. As before, the winners must attend and participate at staged ceremony to accept their prized trophy accolade.
- ▶ **WINNER TROPHY Presentation Policy:**  
**Outstanding Firms:** Firm representative must participate at the staged gala ceremony.  
**Leaders & Dealmakers:** Award recipients must personally participate at the staged gala ceremony.  
**Deal Awards Winners:** Naturally each deal consists of several advisors. Trophy presented - (1<sup>st</sup>) nominees; (2) Acquiring counter-party; (3) buy-side advisors; (4<sup>th</sup>) sell-side lead advisors.

*Note: Advisory firms' that are part of several winning transactions must confirm deal-team members who worked on the transaction to accept their deal award winner trophy. Example, if firm is winning three deal awards, then the firm must register the three professionals who worked on the award-winning deals. Trophy presentation is at discretion of GM&AN and based on significance of the firm's advisory role.*

**TERMS:** By submitting the entry form, the nominee agrees and accepts to the following in its entirety:

### **DELGATE PARTICIPATION & ATTENDANCE:**

Secured per Forum Sponsor delegate pass or as a registered VIP delegate.

**VIP i-REGISTER BENEFITS:** (1) Full access to the Single-Day Forum includes breakfast and lunch; (2) Global Markets M&A Atlas Awards Gala – networking cocktail party, dinner, staged ceremony + winner's prized trophy; (3) Winner publicity materials – logos, and licensing rights.

Global M&A Network (GM&AN) reserves the right to re-classify and/or eliminate awards categories.

(b) include firms in its news releases, marketing, etc.

(c) GM&AN does not disclose nominees data/private info on the entry forms to any external parties.

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## DEAL AWARDS, ENTRY FORMS

**GLOBAL DEAL AWARDS** categories: (Major Markets – Deal size above billion USD; Middle Markets – Deal size below a billion.)

- (1) Global M&A Deal of the Year
- (2) Cross Border Deal of the Year
- (3) Global Private Equity Deal of the Year
- (4) SPAC M&A Deal of the Year

**REGIONAL DEAL AWARDS:** (Major Markets – Deal size above billion USD; Middle Markets – Deal size below a billion.)

- (1) Africa M&A Deal of the Year
- (2) Europe M&A Deal of the Year
- (3) Americas M&A Deal of the Year
- (4) Middle East M&A Deal of the Year
- (5) Asia Pacific M&A Deal of the Year

**GLOBAL M&A INDUSTRY DEAL** Categories:

- (1) Consumer Deal of the Year (Goods, Services, Food & Bev)
- (2) Energy Deal of the Year (Oil, Gas, Renewable, Services)
- (3) Financial Deal of the Year (including FinTech)
- (4) Healthcare Deal of the Year (including IT)
- (5) Industrials Deal of the Year (Goods, Metals, Services, etc.)
- (6) TMT Deal of the Year (Tech, Telecom, Media, etc.)

**NOMINATION:** One form for one deal, considered for all applicable categories.

**NOMINEE:** Person filling and submitting this form.

C:	Firm Type:
N:	Title:
E:	T:

### PART 1: DEAL INFORMATION

- (1) Deal (x buys y):
- (2) Select 2 Category per your “wish” (note deal will be evaluated for all applicable categories):
- (3) Deal Size **Required:** Actual or rounded in increments of \$10 million:
- (4) Date Deal Time Frame: January 30, 2021 – December 30, 2022 (month/year):
- (5) Sector:

**PART 2: NOMINEE: DEAL TEAM LEADER** **Required.** (“Leader” is primary advisor to deal/assignment.)

Name:	Title:
Email:	Tel:

**PART 3: PRIMARY ADVISORS**, exclude nominee. **Required.** Nomination is ineligible if deal-team advisors are not listed.

Use “N/A” only if there are no other advisors for the deal such as investment bank, legal and TAS/Due Diligence Advisors.

**BUY-SIDE ADVISORS:** Investment Bank, Legal, as applicable.

C:	N:	T:	E:
C:	N:	T:	E:
C:	N:	T:	E:

**SELL-SIDE ADVISORS:** Investment Bank, Legal, as applicable.

C:	N:	T:	E:
C:	N:	T:	E:
C:	N:	T:	E:

**OPTIONAL:** One KEY reasons why the transaction creates value and is a worthy winner!

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## OUTSTANDING FIRM AWARDS, ENTRY FORMS

### GLOBAL INVESTOR *Categories:*

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|---|---|
| (1) Global Institutional Investor <i>of the Year</i>  | (4) Global Infrastructure Investor <i>of the Year</i>           |
| (2) Global Private Equity Investor <i>of the Year</i> | (5) Global Real Estate Investor <i>of the Year</i>              |
| (3) Global Growth Equity Investor <i>of the Year</i>  | (6) Emerging Markets Private Equity Investor <i>of the Year</i> |

### M&A INVESTMENT BANK AWARDS ▼

- (1) Global Investment Bank *of the Year*
- (2) Emerging Markets Investment Bank *of the Year*
- (3) Global Private Equity Investment Bank *of the Year (mid-market)*
- (4) Cross-Border Boutique Investment Bank *of the Year (mid-market)*

### M&A LAW FIRM AWARDS ▼

- (1) Global Law Firm *of the Year*
- (2) Emerging Markets Law Firm *of the Year*
- (3) Global Private Equity Law Firm *of the Year (mid-market)*

### GLOBAL SERVICES FIRM AWARDS, *Categories:*

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|---|--|
| (1) Transactions Advisor <i>of the Year</i> | (3) Public Relations Firm <i>of the Year</i> |
| (2) VDR Firm <i>of the Year</i>             |  |

**NOMINATION:** One form per firm for consideration of all categories. Forms must be fully completed.

*We encourage your nominations for consideration. Secondly, Global M&A Network will release list of firm finalists.*

**NOMINEE:** Person filling and submitting this form.

Company:	Firm Type:
Name:	Title:
Email:	Tel:

### PART 1: FIRM Information

- (1) Nominated Firm:
- (2) Award Category:
- (3) Firm Headquarters, City and Country:
- (4) Total number and value of deals closed January 30, 2021 – December 30, 2022.
- (5) List at most 2 top transaction closed January 30, 2021 – December 30, 2022.

### PART 2: PRACTICE HEAD **Required.**

Name:	Title:
Email:	Tel:

### PART 3: EXTERNAL REFERENCE **Required.** (*Hint, Client reference is best.*)

Name:	Title:
Email:	Tel:

OPTIONAL. Describe in 2 sentences, top reason why the nominated firm is a worthy winner.  
Hint: Include testimony from clients or peers. (50 words or less. DO NOT exceed the word limit.)

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## GLOBAL LEADERS AWARDS ENTRY FORM

Leadership Achievement Award is the highest honor bestowed to an accomplished and an illustrious c-level executive in admiration of their management skills, bold vision and contributions made to advance and grow their respective organizations and markets. Moreover, the award validates the organizations' preeminent status in the local, regional, and international markets.

- **Global Corporate Growth Leadership:** Presented to CEO / Chairman / Founder of a public or private corporate entity for consistently delivering growth outcomes including via M&A, JV, investments and innovation, among additional attributes. The executive must be with the respective organization for 5 years, or more.
- **Global Private Equity Growth Leader:** Presented to a managing partner / founder of a private equity firm for their managerial talents, investment/exit record, as well as contributions made in advancement of private equity industries. The executive must be with the respective organization for 10 plus years, or more.
- **Global + Emerging Markets M&A Leader:** Presented to a skillful investment banker, lawyer or industry professional with over 20 years of experience for their expertise, client service and contributions made in the M&A industries.

Note: Recipient must attend the gala dinner on June 8, 2023, to accept their accolade.

**NOMINATION:** One form per Leader from the nominating firm. Forms must be fully completed.

**NOMINEE:** Person filling and submitting this form.

Company:	Firm Type:
Name:	Title:
Email:	Tel:

**PART 1: LEADER AWARD Nominee Information.**

- (1) Award Category:
- (2) Full Name:
- (3) Title:
- (4) Company:
- (5) Company Type:
- (6) Telephone:
- (7) Email:
- (8) Number of years at the firm and industry:

**PART 2: EXTERNAL REFERENCE Required.** (Hint, Client reference is best.)

Name:	Firm:	
Title:	Tel:	Email:

**PART 3: MILESTONES.** Describe below why the nominee firm is a worthy winner.

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