

Baby, you're a star!!!

Despite the technical difficulties that the Cobb Energy Centre experienced, the 2008 CREW Awards ceremony was both exciting and inspiring. Once a year we recognize some of CREW's most successful members and celebrate the outstanding year that they have experienced. This year, we recognized each recipient with a video of their CREW peers discussing why each recipient deserved the award. It was an amazing production! If you missed it, this video will be available on the website under the Programs and Events tab, CREW Annual Awards Program section. Below is the summary of the awards presented and the 2008 winners.

New Member of the Year

This award recognizes a new member who has joined CREW-Atlanta between January 1, 2007 and December 31, 2007 and has contributed a significant time and energy to CREW-Atlanta.

Winner: Betsy Nurse, Director of Business Development, [idea|span](#)

Member-to-Member Business

This award recognizes a CREW-Atlanta member, in two sub-categories, who demonstrates an extraordinary commitment to doing business with and referring business to their fellow CREW members, thereby exemplifying the spirit of CREW-Atlanta and CREW NETWORK.

Winner, Deal of the Year:

CREW members/companies involved: Beth McClurg-Cushman and Wakefield of Georgia, Lynne O'Brien-The Coca Cola Company, Lisa Rhudy-Patillo Construction, Emily Ormsby-Patillo Construction for their client Eggs Overnite.

Winner, Connector of the year:

Darlene Hawksley, LCG Real Estate

Industry Innovator

This award is presented to the organization that fosters a culture of innovation, dedication to diversity and the equal advancement of women and men in commercial real estate. The winner this year was not a company, but their success speaks for itself!



Winner: CREW Atlanta Membership Committee 2007. Accepting: Heather Davis, PM Realty Group 2007 Membership Chair, Chrissy Smith, Integra Construction, 2007 Membership Co-Chair

Career Advancement for Women

Awarded to the member or chapter that, through personal and professional contacts and because of a deep-seated commitment to helping women advance in commercial real estate, has provided guidance and mentoring and/or identified, communicated or created career opportunities that have resulted in employment and advancement opportunities for fellow CREW members or young women entering the industry. Successful candidates will have made a substantial contribution to the advancement of women in commercial real estate.

Winner: Lee Eastwood, Owner -Eastwood Real Estate Services, CREW Atlanta Past President 2002-2003

Humanitarian

This award recognizes the significant contributions of a member or chapter for its fund raising events, community service projects, support of another organizations charitable project or history of ongoing community service. Nominations should demonstrate the spirit and mission of CREW Atlanta & CREW Network.



Winner: Susana Chavez, Vice President, Parking Company of America, 2008 CREW Atlanta Leadership Committee Co-Chair

Local Company of the Year

This award recognizes outstanding involvement and exemplary support by a company through its contribution to the development, growth and success of CREW Atlanta.

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2008 Network Convention and Marketplace

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Join leaders in commercial real estate from across North America October 15 - 18 as we explore this new day in commercial real estate and what it means for your success. Location: Hilton Americas Houston.

Save the Date!

ACE LEED Class

July 15, For Members Only; Limited to 25 members. Location: The Atlanta Community Food Bank **SOLD OUT!**

ACE Inspirational Breakfast with Leo Wells

July 23, 7:30 am; InterfaceFLOR Showroom, 75 Fifth St NW, Atlanta 30308 www.interfaceflor.com
Parking behind building \$1/hr
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ACE and Appraisal Event: The 7th Annual State of Atlanta...

Is Atlanta Burning Again?
September 26. Click [HERE](#) for more details.

CREW Network Scholarship Deadline Extended

The deadline to submit an application has been extended to June 20. Up to ten \$10,000 scholarships are available to be awarded annually to junior or senior level undergraduate students to cover the costs of tuition and books. For more information visit our website at <http://crewcareerzone.org/>.

Event Sponsorships Still Available

Sponsorships are still available for \$2,500. Please contact Karrie Westphal at execdirector@crewatlanta.org or 404-471-1110 if interested.

Re:Focus on Careers

is the premier networking organization dedicated to providing its members with the tools necessary to grow and promote business relationships, create and develop job leads and contacts, and continue on a successful career path throughout the lifecycle of their careers. CREW Members are invited to attend the meetings and workshops. Details about speakers, topics, venues, are found on the website, www.refocusoncareers.com

2008 Capital Campaign Update

We have reached or exceeded our goals for Chapter Sponsorships and Event Sponsorships. We are currently at 73% of the Personal Pledge portion of our campaign! We have collected \$36,602 to date—only \$13,398 to go! If you have not contributed, please consider donating to this very worthy cause. Contact Capital Campaign Managers Leslie Burke at 770-395-6588 or leslieatlanta@msn.com, or Karrie Westphal at 404-471-1110 or execdirector@crewatlanta.org.

Thanks to the following members for their personal pledges to support the Capital Campaign

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