



## THE CONSTRUCTION USERS ROUNDTABLE

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### The Construction Users Roundtable Workforce Development Awards

#### Cincinnati, OH

The Construction Users Roundtable (CURT) announced its fourth annual Workforce Development Awards and called upon the industry to continue its progress in promoting construction workforce training and recruitment across the United States and Canada. CURT is committed to give significant national/international recognition to companies and organizations that implement effective recruitment and training programs that develop first class craftsmen and managers.

The Construction Users Roundtable is an association of leading corporations in the United States and Canada, dedicated to the promotion of cost effective construction methods. The members recognize that training, education and recruitment are essential to excellence in construction. As a result, CURT founded the Workforce Development Awards to recognize companies and organizations for extraordinary, exemplary and innovative recruitment, training and education programs, which encourage people to pursue careers in construction.

Applications were received representing national trade associations, contractors, unions, local labor-management associations, owners, educational institutions and public school systems. Many thanks goes to the CURT Construction Industry Workforce Development Awards Committee, co-chaired by Mr. Roger Lane, Manager of Contracts, Labor and Services for DTE Energy in Detroit, MI and Mr. Jack Buttrum, Manager of Industrial Relations for Jacobs Constructors in Delaware City, DE.

The Selected Winners were: Albany Technical College; Associated Builders and Contractors, Inc.; Associated General Contractors of St. Louis; Building Trades Employers' Association; National Center for Construction Education and Research and the Wyoming Contractors Association.

CURT announced these prestigious awards and made the presentations at its 2006 National Construction Conference at The Hilton El Conquistador Golf & Tennis Resort in Tucson, Arizona on November 14, 2006.

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