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Artisan Partners Wins Institutional Investor Awards

Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Artisan Partners is pleased to announce that its Growth and Global Value teams were named "Midcap Growth Equity Investment Manager of the Year" and "EAFE Equity Investment Manager of the Year" by Institutional Investor, respectively. The awards are part of Institutional Investor's seventh annual U.S. Investment Management Awards, which recognizes U.S. money managers who have stood out in the eyes of the investor community for their exceptional performance, risk management and service. Winners were selected by the editorial staff of Institutional Investor magazine based on their market intelligence and by the results of a survey conducted of U.S. institutional investors.

The Growth team is led by portfolio managers Jim Hamel, Matt Kamm, Craigh Cepukenas and Jason White, who manage the Artisan Global Opportunities, U.S. Mid-Cap Growth and U.S. Small-Cap Growth Strategies. The Global Value team is led by portfolio managers David Samra and Dan O'Keefe, who manage the Artisan Non-U.S. Value and Global Value Strategies. This year's awards mark the third time the Growth team has been honored by the magazine and the second time for the Global Value team. The awards also mark the seventh time Artisan Partners' investment teams have been recognized.

- 2016 Artisan Partners Growth Team was named Midcap Growth Equity Investment Manager of the Year for the team's efforts in managing the Artisan U.S. Mid-Cap Growth Strategy.
- 2016 Artisan Partners Global Value Team was named EAFE Equity Investment Manager of the Year for the team's efforts in managing the Artisan Non-U.S. Value Strategy.
- 2015 Artisan Partners Global Value Team was named EAFE Equity Investment Manager of the Year for the team's efforts in managing the Artisan Non-U.S. Value Strategy.
- 2014 Artisan Partners Growth Team was named Midcap Growth Equity Investment Manager of the Year for the team's efforts in managing the Artisan U.S. Mid-Cap Growth Strategy.
- 2012 Artisan Partners U.S. Value Team was named Midcap Value Equity Investment Manager of the Year for the team's efforts in managing the Artisan U.S. Mid-Cap Value Strategy.
- 2012 Artisan Partners Global Equity Team was named Non-U.S. Equity Growth (excluding emerging markets) Investment Manager of the Year for the team's efforts in managing the Artisan Non-U.S. Growth Strategy.
- 2011 Artisan Partners Growth Team was named Midcap Equity Investment Manager of the Year for the team's efforts in managing the Artisan U.S. Mid-Cap Growth Strategy.

"We are honored to be recognized by Institutional Investor magazine and institutional investors, our primary client base," said Eric Colson, chief executive officer of Artisan Partners. "It is a testament to the value of our business model and the investment franchises we have developed throughout our 20 years in the asset management industry. At Artisan Partners, we are committed to managing an investment culture that allows our autonomous investment teams to be successful and to remain focused on delivering long-term results for our clients".

ABOUT ARTISAN PARTNERS

Artisan Partners is a global investment management firm that provides a broad range of high value-added investment strategies in growing asset classes to sophisticated clients around the world. Since 1994, the firm has been committed to attracting experienced, disciplined investment professionals to manage client assets. Artisan Partners' autonomous investment teams oversee a diverse range of investment strategies across multiple asset classes. Strategies are offered through various investment vehicles to accommodate a broad range of client mandates.

Artisan Partners was recognized on 19 May 2016 as part of Institutional Investor's 7th Annual US Investment Management Awards, which recognize US money managers in 39 asset classes who stood out in the eyes of the investor community for their exceptional performance, risk management and service. Award receipt does not constitute a testimonial and past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results.

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