

CFO Roundtable

2009 Year End Dinner & CFO of the Year Award

Reinvention in Today's Global Market

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Atlanta
InterContinental Hotel
Buckhead

Area CFOs and senior finance executives gathered at the InterContinental Hotel - Buckhead on November 19, 2009 for the fourth annual Atlanta CFO Roundtable Year-End Dinner and CFO of the Year celebration. The event gave the nearly 150 attendees occasion to



Young engages attendees with a description of GM's extensive planning & scenario analysis needs.

reflect on a challenging year and to look ahead to the opportunities of a recovering market. Attendees enjoyed a keynote address by **Ray G. Young**, Executive Vice President and CFO of General Motors, whose battle-tested organization recently emerged from Chapter 11 (after just 40 days) and is looking to a future fueled by reinvention. Young's gripping account included details about the government's role in the restructuring, giving peers a glimpse into sobering financial statements and aggressive timelines.

Keynote Speaker

Ray G. Young
EVP & CFO
General Motors

CFO of the Year Award Recipient

Carol Tome
EVP & CFO
The Home Depot

Introductions

Gary Fayard
CFO
The Coca-Cola Company

Kurt Kuehn
CFO
United Parcel Service



Carol Tomé graciously accepts the 2009 CFO of the Year Award.

Following Young's presentation, **Kurt Kuehn**, CFO of UPS, took the stage to present the 2009 CFO of the Year award to **Carol Tomé**, Executive Vice President and CFO of The Home Depot. Tomé's path brought her from small-town Jackson Hole, Wyoming to Atlanta, Georgia, where she has become one of the longest-serving CFOs of a major U.S. corporation. Impressively, Tomé's leadership has helped Home Depot grow five-fold into a \$70 billion company.

In addition to the speakers, Atlanta's CFO Roundtable Advisory Board was recognized for their contribution and participation throughout the year. Hank Halter, SVP & CFO – Delta Air Lines, received accolades as the Atlanta Advisory Board Member of the Year.

ABOUT THE CFO ROUNDTABLE PROGRAM

The CFO Roundtable is the preeminent forum for CFO leadership and innovation. It is an invitation-only series of quarterly events designed by and for CFOs and senior finance executives on topics relevant to the CFO community. The program facilitates regionally driven, peer-to-peer discussions that deliver practical value. The interactive format engages attendees and provides new ideas to drive business performance. In addition, the initiative builds meaningful relationships within the CFO community and participating sponsors.

Created by Cushman & Wakefield, in partnership with The Terry College of Business, the initiative has been a success. Following the initial launch (June 2005), the program is active in 14 markets across North America and continues to grow. In 2010, alongside top-tier business schools, the program will launch in additional markets – ultimately reaching an estimated 12,000 CFOs and senior finance executives. For more information about the CFO Roundtable, visit www.cwCFOroundtable.com.

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