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WINNIPEG RISK MANAGEMENT GROUP SEES MAJOR UPTICK IN MEMBERSHIP

RIMS Manitoba Chapter Membership Increases 38% Receives the Society's Membership SuperStar Award

NEW YORK (April 27, 2015) — RIMS, the risk management society™, announced that its Manitoba Chapter, headquartered in Winnipeg, saw a significant 38 percent increase in membership in 2014. To recognize its success and growth, the chapter was presented with the RIMS Membership SuperStar Award at RIMS 2015 Annual Conference & Exhibition in New Orleans.

“As organizations move to strengthen their risk management capabilities, risk professionals are in constant search of best-practices and resources to help their organizations advance within its industry, expand into new areas and, ultimately, achieve set strategic objectives,” said RIMS Executive Director Mary Roth. “The discipline continues to see a steady influx of new professionals – whether they’re just out of school or transitioning from different business functions. Their decision to join RIMS is a testament to our chapters’ ability to deliver thought-leading content to their local risk management communities.”

The SuperStar Award is presented to RIMS chapters that have shown growth of at least nine percent. RIMS recognizes chapters with growth rates of at least six percent but less than nine percent with its Star Award.

In addition to the RIMS Manitoba Chapter, the following chapters were also presented with the 2014 Membership SuperStar Award:

- RIMS Alabama Chapter (Birmingham, AL)
- RIMS Australasia Chapter (Melbourne, AUS)
- RIMS Central Oklahoma Chapter (Oklahoma City, OK)
- RIMS Central Texas Chapter (Austin, TX)
- RIMS Detroit Chapter (Detroit, MI)
- RIMS Eastern Oklahoma Chapter (Tulsa, OK)
- RIMS Golden Gate Chapter (San Francisco, CA)
- RIMS Greater Quad Cities Chapter (Muscatine, IA)

- RIMS Iowa Chapter (Des Moines, IA)
- RIMS Japan Chapter (Tokyo)
- RIMS Northern Nevada Chapter (Reno, NV)
- RIMS Rocky Mountain Chapter (Denver, CO)
- RIMS Saskatchewan Chapter (Saskatchewan/Regina, Canada)
- RIMS Southwest Florida Chapter (Naples, FL)
- RIMS Toledo Chapter (Toledo, OH)

Recipients of the 2014 Membership Star Award are:

- RIMS Broward County Chapter (Fort Lauderdale, FL)
- RIMS Central Ohio Chapter (Columbus, OH)
- RIMS Cumberland Chapter (Nashville, TN)
- RIMS Hawaii Chapter (Honolulu, HI)
- RIMS Ohio River Valley Chapter (Cincinnati, OH)

RIMS membership awards were initiated in 2008 to acknowledge chapters with exceptional annual growth rates. For more information about RIMS chapters, visit www.RIMS.org/ChapterDirectory.

About RIMS

As the preeminent organization dedicated to advancing the practice of risk management, RIMS, the risk management society™, is a global not-for-profit organization representing more than 3,500 industrial, service, nonprofit, charitable and government entities throughout the world. Founded in 1950, RIMS brings networking, professional development and education opportunities to its membership of more than 11,000 risk management professionals who are located in more than 60 countries. For more information on RIMS, visit www.RIMS.org.

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