

2018 WINNERS & FINALISTS

HRD Canada Magazine in partnership with Ultimate Software would like to congratulate the winners of the 2018 Canadian HR Awards. Winners were revealed live on **Thursday, September 20th, 2018** at **The Liberty Grand Toronto**.

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Best Corporate Social Responsibility Strategy
 Best Employment & Labour Lawyer (Within a Practice)
 Best Talent Management Strategy
 Labour & Employment Law Boutique of the Year
 Canadian HR Champion (CEO)
 Canadian HR Rising Star of the Year
 Canadian HR Team of the Year (Fewer Than 500 Employees)
 Canadian HR Team of the Year (Finance or Insurance)
 Canadian HR Team of the Year (Retail or Hospitality)
 The Accompass Award for Canadian HR Team of the Year (500 Employees or More)
 The Dentsu Aegis Network Award for Best HR Communication Strategy
 The Globoforce Award for Best Reward & Recognition Strategy
 The HRD Readers' Choice Award For Best Service Provider (100 Staff or More)
 The HRD Readers' Choice Award For Best Service Provider (Fewer than 100 Staff)
 The Ivey Academy Award for Lifetime Achievement in HR Industry
 The KPMG in Canada Award for HR Leader of the Year
 The Leadership Agency Award for Woman Of Distinction
 The MaxSys Staffing & Consulting Award for Most Effective Recruitment Strategy
 The Mercer Award for Excellence in Diversity & Inclusion
 The Seneca Award for Best Learning & Development Strategy
 The TalentEgg Award for Best Employer Branding
 The Ultimate Software Award for Best Workplace Culture
 The University of Waterloo Award for Best Next Generation Employment Innovation
 The Venngo Award of Excellence for Financial, Physical & Mental Wellness
 The XREF Award for Most Innovative Use of HR Technology

BEST CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY STRATEGY

Aird & Berlis LLP
 Bell
 L'Oreal Canada

Nature's Path - WINNER

PepsiCo Canada
Purolator
Tata Consultancy Services Canada
The Travel Corporation

BEST EMPLOYMENT & LABOUR LAWYER (WITHIN A PRACTICE)

Lorenzo Lisi - Aird & Berlis LLP
Nancy F. Barteaux, Q.C. - Barteaux Durnford

S. Margot Blight - Borden Ladner Gervais LLP - WINNER

Benjamin Kranc - Kranc Associates
Andrew Monkhouse - Monkhouse Law
James D. Kondopulos - Roper Greyell LLP
Laura Williams - Williams HR Law

BEST TALENT MANAGEMENT STRATEGY

Acclaim Ability Management Inc.
DHL Supply Chain - WINNER
FL Fuller Landau LLP
LoyaltyOne
Seneca College
Tata Consultancy Services Canada
Wave

LABOUR & EMPLOYMENT LAW BOUTIQUE OF THE YEAR

Kent Employment Law
MacLeod Law Firm
Minken Employment Lawyers
Monkhouse Law
Rodney Employment Law
Whitten & Lublin
Williams HR Law - WINNER

CANADIAN HR CHAMPION (CEO)

Carol Leaman - Axonify - WINNER
David Ossip - Ceridian
David Bowden - Colliers International
Sam Sebastian - Pelmorex (The Weather Network)
Joe Dietrich - Trillium Mutual Insurance Company

Kirk Simpson – Wave
Laurie Schultz – ACL

CANADIAN HR RISING STAR OF THE YEAR

Izzie Egan - Blankslate Partners
Garima Gupta - Deloitte
Victor Sei - ICE Currency Services
Jacqueline Tran - Kinross Gold Corporation
Stephanie Schiffmacher - Nature's Path
Diana Trasolini - Paladin Security Group - WINNER
Keyur Jani - Royal Bank of Canada
Melissa Udvari - Tulip Retail
Alexandra Hall - You.i TV

CANADIAN HR TEAM OF THE YEAR (FEWER THAN 500 EMPLOYEES)

Coast Mental Health
Freshii
Intelix - WINNER
Kira Systems
SickKids Centre for Community Mental Health
Stryker
Thalamic Labs
Wave

CANADIAN HR TEAM OF THE YEAR (FINANCE OR INSURANCE)

Coinsquare
Paysafe
Peoples Group/Peoples Trust - WINNER
Questrade
Royal Bank of Canada
Western Financial Group

CANADIAN HR TEAM OF THE YEAR (RETAIL OR HOSPITALITY)

Best Buy Canada
Giant Tiger Stores
JYSK Canada - WINNER
Sleep Country Canada
TouchBistro
Tulip Retail

Walmart Canada

THE ACCOMPASS AWARD FOR CANADIAN HR TEAM OF THE YEAR (500 EMPLOYEES OR MORE)

- Bank of Canada
- Canopy Growth Corporation
- CIMA+
- Corus Entertainment
- La Coop fédérée - Agri-business Division
- Marine Harvest
- Nav Canada
- Ubisoft Toronto - WINNER**
- WinSport

THE DENTSU AEGIS NETWORK AWARD FOR BEST HR COMMUNICATION STRATEGY

- AstraZeneca Canada
- CAA Club Group
- CIBC
- Hydro Ottawa
- Tata Consultancy Services Canada
- Traction on Demand - WINNER**

THE GLOBOFORCE AWARD FOR BEST REWARD & RECOGNITION STRATEGY

- Accenture
- ADP Canada
- Aecon
- BDC
- Ceridian
- Doctors of BC - WINNER**
- Mccarthy Tetrault LLP
- Moneris Solutions
- Stryker

THE HRD READERS' CHOICE AWARD FOR BEST SERVICE PROVIDER (100 STAFF OR MORE)

- ADP Canada
- Globoforce

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MaRS Discovery District - WINNER

WilsonHCG
IBM Canada

**THE HRD READERS' CHOICE AWARD FOR BEST SERVICE PROVIDER (FEWER THAN
100 STAFF)**

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KLF Group - WINNER

Clear HR Consulting
The Leadership Agency

THE IVEY ACADEMY AWARD FOR LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT IN THE HR INDUSTRY

Lorne Rubis - ATB Financial - RECIPIENT

THE KPMG IN CANADA AWARD FOR HR LEADER OF THE YEAR

Arielle Meloul Wechsler - Air Canada
Alexis Corbett - Bank of Canada - WINNER
Larissa Holmes - Borrowell
Cheryl Fullerton - Corus Entertainment
Jason Fleming - MedReleaf
Jennifer Vantuil - Platinum Investments
Emma Horgan - Questrade
Agnes Garaba - SAP Canada
Janet Hughes - Vancouver Film School

THE LEADERSHIP AGENCY AWARD FOR WOMAN OF DISTINCTION

Marni Johnson - BlueShore Financial
Shelley Brown - Bromelin HR Consulting
Paula Knight - Cancer Care Ontario
Colleen Bailey Moffit - Enercare
Heidi Hauver - Keynote Group
Stephanie Hollingshead - Sierra Systems
Tanya Wick - Tolko Industries

**THE MAXSYS STAFFING & CONSULTING AWARD FOR MOST EFFECTIVE
RECRUITMENT STRATEGY**

Agnico Eagle - WINNER

BlueCat Networks
Kinaxis
KUBRA
La Coop fédérée - Agri-business Division
Ubisoft Toronto
Ultimate Software

THE MERCER AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN DIVERSITY & INCLUSION

Accenture
Ceridian
Jazz Aviation
Manulife - WINNER
Norton Rose Fulbright
Scotiabank
Tolko Industries
Ultimate Software

THE SENECA AWARD FOR BEST LEARNING & DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY

Bell & BCE
Best Buy Canada
Challenger Motor Freight
D2L Corporation
Fidelity Canada
G Adventures
LoyaltyOne
Royal Bank of Canada - WINNER
Sienna Senior Living
WilsonHCG

THE TALENTEGG AWARD FOR BEST EMPLOYER BRANDING

Colliers International
Manulife
McDonald's Restaurants of Canada - WINNER
Nav Canada
Reynolds and Reynolds
Sun Life Financial
Traction on Demand

THE ULTIMATE SOFTWARE AWARD FOR BEST WORKPLACE CULTURE

ACL

AstraZeneca Canada - WINNER

Axonify

Doctors of BC

Kinaxis

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Mindful Snacks

Paysafe

Thalamic Labs

TJX Canada

**THE UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO AWARD FOR BEST NEXT GENERATION
EMPLOYMENT INNOVATION**

Axonify

Bell

BlueCat Networks

Dentsu Aegis Network

Fidelity Canada

Freshii

IBM

Jazz Aviation

Labatt Breweries of Canada - WINNER

Procter & Gamble

Ubisoft Toronto

**THE VENNGO AWARD OF EXCELLENCE FOR FINANCIAL, PHYSICAL & MENTAL
WELLNESS**

ATB Financial - WINNER

D2L Corporation

Jazz Aviation

Niagara Casinos

SickKids Centre for Community Mental Health

Sklar Wilton & Associates

Sleep Country Canada

THE XREF AWARD FOR MOST INNOVATIVE USE OF HR TECHNOLOGY

Bank of Canada

G Adventures - WINNER

Hydro Ottawa

Kinaxis

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McDonald's Restaurants of Canada

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HR Leaders Summit (<http://hrleaders.ca/?>

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HR Leaders Summit West (<http://west.hrleaders.ca/?>

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Insurance Business Masterclass (<http://ibmasterclass.ca/>)



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