



Marc Margulies, AIA, Receives 2006 Service Provider Leadership Award from CoreNet Global New England

Founder of Margulies & Associates recognized for dedication to clients, design and the community

BOSTON, Mass. – April 12, 2006 – In recognition of his innovative service ideas and actions on behalf of clients, Marc Margulies, AIA, founder and principal of Margulies & Associates, one of Boston’s most innovative architecture and interior design firms, was selected by CoreNet Global New England last night for its 2006 Service Provider Leadership Award.

Margulies was nominated for the honor by Lawrence Healey, director of real estate, design and planning for Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts (BCBSMA). “We have had a long term relationship with Marc Margulies and his team. Starting in 1998 with our headquarters relocation in Boston, major renovations to a Quincy office complex and a new, out-of-the-ground building in Hingham,” said Healy.

“Marc has provided leadership to a qualified team of professionals, who have become a part of our Real Estate Planning Department and Business Partners. I have work with all the principals and it is clear, Marc places a great reliance and confidence in them and his organization,” continued Healey. “Marc's selection as the Service Provider of the Year is true testament to his accomplishments as a design professional, business founder, community leader, mentor and a valued friend and associate.”

The Service Provider Leadership Award from CoreNet Global New England recognizes an individual whose performance and interactions with his clients provides a uniquely valued experience for the client.

In addition to this award, Margulies will join the CoreNet Global New England Board of Directors, effective May 1, 2006.

In 1988, Margulies & Associates was founded with the goal of delivering the highest quality architectural, interior design, and facility management services. Since that time, Marc Margulies has built the firm into a technologically advanced, service-oriented team with a wide range of corporate clients.

In addition to leading his firm, Margulies is very active in the community:

- Serving on the Board of Directors of Shelter, Inc. and helping the organization raise almost \$2 million over the last six years;
- Co-chairing the 2005 United Way Annual Real Estate breakfast – which raised over \$2 million;
- Serving on the Western Zoning Board;
- Chairing the South Bay Planning Task Force (SBPTF), appointed by Mayor Menino in 2004; and,
- Founding member of the Boston chapter of the International Facility Management Association (IFMA).

About CoreNet Global

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About Margulies & Associates

Now in its 18th year of operation, Margulies & Associates is a Boston design firm providing architecture and interior design services to the corporate, institutional, and real estate communities. The firm's corporate clients include Liberty Mutual, Partners Healthcare, Forrester Research, RSA Security, Akamai Technologies, and Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts. For more information, please visit www.margulies.com/.

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