

## **TMA Announces the 2024 TMA Turnaround and Transaction of the Year Awards**

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CHICAGO, IL – The Turnaround Management Association (TMA), the premier nonprofit serving corporate renewal and restructuring professionals worldwide, is proud to announce the winners of the 2024 Turnaround and Transaction of the Year Awards. TMA will honor this year’s award recipients at the TMA Annual Conference, October 15 – 18, in Philadelphia, PA.

Since 1993, TMA has honored excellence through its annual awards program, which recognizes the most successful turnarounds and impactful transactions industrywide.

“This year’s TMA Turnaround and Transaction of the Year Award recipients are a testament to the dedication, innovative practices, and relentless commitment needed in the turnaround and restructuring industry to excel. They have proven to be in a league of their own.” says TMA Global Chief Executive Officer Scott Y. Stuart, Esq.

The Turnaround and Transaction of the Year Awards are chosen based on a rigorous peer-review process by the volunteer TMA Awards Committee. This process includes extensive diligence of each nominated case. As the judges review all components of each entry, they look for well-defined, measurable outcomes.

This year’s TMA Awards Committee was co-chaired by Sharon F. Manewitz, *Manewitz Weiker Associates LLC*, and John Salmas, *Dentons Canada LLP*. Awards submissions were reviewed and judged by the TMA Awards Committee members listed below.

### **The 2024 TMA Turnaround/Transaction of the Year Award Winners are:**

#### **Small Company Turnaround/Transaction — Xebec Adsorption**

Sandra Abitan, *Osler, Hoskin & Harcourt LLP - Counsel to Debtor*

David Agay, *McDonell Hopkins*

Marc-Etienne Boucher, *McCarthy Tétrault LLP*

Jean-Francois Nadon, *Deloitte Restructuring Inc.*

Josh Gadharf, *McDonell Hopkins*

Iliia Kravtsov, *Osler, Hoskin & Harcourt LLP - Counsel to Debtor*

Julien Morrissette, *Osler, Hoskin & Harcourt LLP - Counsel to Debtor*

Julie Morteux, *Deloitte Jocelyn Perreault, McCarthy Tétrault LLP*

Jeroen Thijssen, *Clifford Chance*

Evert Verwey, *Clifford Chance*

#### **Small Company Turnaround/Transaction — Lucria Health**

Eric S. Chafetz, *Lowenstein Sandler LLP*

Robert Eisenbach, *Cooley LLP*

H. Michael Hogan III, *Armanino LLP*  
Alexander van Dillen, *Armanino LLP*  
Elizabeth Witko, *Armanino LLP*

**Mid-Size Company Turnaround/Transaction— Ruby Pipeline**

Nikhil Angelo, *Lazard Freres & Co*  
Madison Brown, *FTI Consulting*  
Daniel DeFranseschi, *Richards Layton & Finger*  
Tom Lauria, *White & Case*  
Calvin Lee, *FTI Consulting*  
Eric McCord, *Kinder Morgan, Inc.*  
Doug McGovern, *Parella Weinberg Partners*  
David Rush, CTP, *FTI Consulting*  
Ray Schrock, *Weil Gotschal & Manges*  
John Singh, *PJT Partners*  
Sunny Singh, *Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP*  
Michael Shepherd, *White & Case*

**Mid-Size Company Turnaround/Transaction— Bittrex**

Robert S. Brady, *Young Conaway Stargatt & Taylor, LLP*  
Joanna Caytas, *Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan, LLP*  
Sedona Claypoole, *Berkeley Research Group LLC*  
Laura Davis Jones, *Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones LLP*  
Ken Enos, *Young Conaway Stargatt & Taylor, LLP*  
Evan Hengel, *Berkeley Research Group LLC*  
Razmig Izakelian, *Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan LLP*  
Alain Jaquet, *Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan LLP*  
Susheel Kirpalani, *Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan LLP*  
David Maria, *Bittrex*  
Tim Pohl, *TRP Advisors, LLC*  
Patty Tomasco, *Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan LLP*

**Large Company Turnaround/Transaction— Protera**

Jay Borow, *Berkeley Research Group (BRG)*  
Tom Califano, *Sidley*  
Eric Chafetz, *Lowenstein Sandler LLP*  
Jeffrey Cohen, *Lowenstein Sandler LLP*  
John D'Amico, *Miller Buckfire*  
Donald Harer, CTP *FTI Consulting*  
Daniel Jerneycic, *Alvarez & Marsal*

Chris Kearns, *Berkeley Research Group, LLC (BRG)*  
Bassam Latif, *Moelis & Company*  
Dave McGuinness, *Moelis & Company*  
Chuck Moore, *CTP Alvarez & Marsal*  
Justin Pugh, *FTI Consulting*  
Dennis Twomey, *Sidley*  
Ron Zaidman, *Berkeley Research Group (BRG)*

**Mega Company Turnaround/Transaction— Revlon**

Paul Basta, *Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP*  
Saul Burian, *Houlihan Lokey*  
Alice Eaton, *Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP*  
Robert Caruso, *Alvarez & Marsal*  
Karn Chopra, *Centerview Partners*  
Seth Fier, *Revlon, Inc.*  
Surbhi Gupta, *Houlihan Lokey*  
Andrew Kidd, *A. Kidd Consulting LLC*  
Robert Stark, *Brown Rudnick LLP*  
Eli Vonnegut, *Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP*  
Steve Zelin, *PJT Partners*

**International Company Turnaround/Transaction— Diebold**

Carlin Adriano, *CTP FTI Consulting*  
Clark Ansel, *CTP FTI Consulting*  
Jon Cremeans, *Ducera Partners*  
Avi Goldman, *Ducera Partners*  
David Kiyosaki, *FTI Consulting*  
Heather Lennox, *Jones Day*  
Nick Morin, *Jones Day*  
Dan Moss, *Jones Day*  
Alex Raskin, *Houlihan Lokey*  
Damian Schaible, *Davis Polk*  
Hannes Schenk, *Houlihan Lokey*  
Adam Shpeen, *Davis Polk*  
Darren Slonicker, *Ducera Partners*  
Eric Winthrop, *Houlihan Lokey*  
Gunnar Wolfe, *FTI Consulting*  
Vincent Vroom, *Loyens & Loeff N.V*

## **Non-Profit Company Turnaround/Transaction — Borrego Community Health**

Na Ganti, *FTI Consulting*

Steven Golden, *Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones*

Isaac Lee, *Ankura Consulting Group, LLC*

Samuel R. Maizel, *Dentons*

Tania M. Moyron, *Dentons*

Charles Pease, *Ankura Consulting Group, LLC*

Jeffrey N. Pomerantz, *Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones*

Clifford A. Zucker, *FTI Consulting*

## **TMA 2024 Awards Committee**

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**John D. Baumgartner**, *Grant Thornton LLP*

**Patrick Diercks**, *CTP, PKF Clear Thinking Group LLC*

**Joseph M. Esmont**, *Baker & Hostetler LLP*

**Neil Gupta**, *SSG Capital Advisors LLC*

**Randi M. Hershgordon**, *Gibraltar Business Capital*

**Matt Lupton**, *Larx Advisors, Inc.*

**DJ Miller**, *Thornton Grout Finnigan LLP*

**Ilya Podolyako**, *Port*

**Jennifer Stam**, *Norton Rose Fulbright Canada LLP*

**Bryce A Suzuki**, *Snell & Wilmer LLP*

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TMA is the most diverse group of professionals in the turnaround, restructuring, and corporate health space. It is the only non-profit global organization that allows members of the industry to build their personal brand and develop their professional network. Members include turnaround specialists, attorneys, accountants, advisors, liquidators, consultants, as well as academics, government employees, and members of the judiciary. Visit <https://turnaround.org/> for more information.

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