

Top 500

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Top companies honored at Chicago event

MORE THAN 300 REMODELERS turned out to join the *QR* staff and the event sponsor, GE Retail Sales Finance, in honoring the Top 500 remodelers in the country and the 2004 Master Design Awards winners Oct. 6 in Chicago.

Sixteen companies were honored with Top Performer honors: No. 1 on Nationals List — Disaster Kleenup International, Chicago; Whole House — BOWA Builders, Inc., McLean, Va.; Kitchens — The Kitchen Connection, Gardena, Calif.; Baths — Bath Saver, Inc., Lewisberry, Pa.; Additions — Hobbs, Inc., New Canaan, Conn.; Windows/Doors — Champion Window & Patio Room Co., Cincinnati, Ohio; Decks/Porches — U.S. Home Systems, Inc., Lewisville, Texas; Siding — K-Designers, Gold River, Calif.; Roofing — State Roofing, Monroe, Wash.; Sunrooms

— Patio Enclosures, Macedonia, Ohio; Insurance Restoration — Belfor USA, Birmingham, Mich.; Light Commercial — Jarro Building Industries Corp., East Meadow, N.Y.; Specialty — Mid-Atlantic Waterproofing, Laurel, Md.; Design/Build — Gardner/Fox Associates, Inc., Bryn Mawr, Pa.; Full Service — Case Design/Remodeling, Bethesda, Md.; Other Specialty — Garden State Brickface, Window & Siding, Roselle, N.J.

Sixty awards were also given to the 2004 Master Design Award Winners. Honored with the Best in Show awards were Alan Stein of Tanglewood Conservatories, Denton, Md., and Gaviella Fiedler of Interior Dimensions, Harrisburg, Pa. The first place winners are showcased in the October 2004 issue of *QR*.

For more information on entering the 2005 Top 500 and Master Design Awards see the January 2005 issue of *QR*. ■



Below and bottom: *QR*'s Tom Drozda with Gaviella Fiedler of Interior Dimensions and Nancy Virtz and Alan Stein of Tanglewood Conservatories. Both companies won Best in Show honors.



(Clockwise from top left) Doug Dwyer (DreamMaker Bath & Kitchen); Lisa Brown, Matt Smith, Jeff Surratt, Karl Charter, Bruce Christensen, Jenny Kotval (GE Retail Sales Finance); Don and Karen Novak (vice chairman Remodelers Council of National Association of Home Builders), David Crane (Crane Builders), Sarah and Ryan Fronick, Hwai Yang (Answers, Inc.) and Jeronimo Martin (Aquarius Laser, Etching & Design)

2004 TOP 500 TOP PERFORMERS

Whole House	BOWA Builders Inc., McLean, Va.	\$21.5 million
Kitchens	The Kitchen Connection, Gardena, Calif.	\$19.5 million
Baths	Bath Saver Inc., Lewisberry, Pa.	\$18.5 million
Additions	Hobbs, Inc., New Canaan, Conn.	\$17.0 million
Windows/Doors	Champion Window & Patio Room, Cincinnati, Ohio	\$242 million
Decks/Porches	U.S. Home Systems, Lewisville, Texas	\$74.2 million
Siding	K-Designers, Gold River, Calif.	\$55.8 million
Roofing	State Roofing, Monroe, Wash.	\$10.9 million
Sunrooms	Patio Enclosures, Macedonia, Ohio	\$61.9 million
Insurance Restoration	Belfor, Birmingham, Mich.	\$334 million
Light Commercial	Jarro Building Industries, East Meadow, N.Y.	\$19.0 million
Other Specialty	Mid-Atlantic Waterproofing, Laurel, Md.	\$27.7 million
Design/Build	Gardner/Fox Associates, Bryn Mawr, Pa.	\$24.7 million
Full-Service	Case Design/Remodeling, Bethesda, Md.	\$61.7 million
Other Specialty	Garden State Brickface, Window & Siding, Roselle, N.J.	\$16.9 million