

PRESS ANNOUNCEMENT FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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Best Investment System and Service Providers Announced

Mary Nightingale of ITV News presented awards to the best providers of systems and services to the regulated financial community at Merchant Taylor's Hall. These included a Lifetime Achievement Award for Dr Mike Bradford of Crealogix for his services to the industry.

Stephen Pinner, Goodacre UK's MD commented:

"IT is now a vital component to the regulated financial industry. The companies and individuals responsible for the provision of these services rarely get the credit they deserve for supporting one of the most important sectors of the economy.

These suppliers work incredibly hard to maintain the quality of their services and are very much the unsung heroes of the investment business. These Awards recognise their efforts, ingenuity and innovation".

A full list of winners is enclosed. Photographs of the presentations are available on request.

Notes for editors

- The Systems in the City Awards take place annually and reward the leading service and system suppliers to the regulated financial community.
- Any system or service supplier can enter their products for an award.
- Entry into the awards is free of charge.
- The awards are managed by Goodacre UK the leading specialist consultancy for the securities industry.

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Company Awards (Best in each Category)

Buy Side Solution	Multifonds
Client Reporting Solution	SimCorp
Compliance Solution	SIX Financial Information
Corporate Actions Solution	SIX Financial Information
Cost Effective Solution	Torstone Technology
CRM Solution	Wealth Dynamix
Custodian	Clearstream Banking
Data Management Solution	Platform Securities
Data Provider	Morningstar
Fund Administrator Solution	Calastone
Fund Platform	Allfunds Bank
Innovative Use of Technology	Interactive Investor
Investment Tool	Objectway Financial Software
OTC Derivatives Solutions	SunGard
Outsourcing Service	Equiniti
Portfolio Management Solution	Advent Software
Post Trade Processing Solution	Euroclear
Pricing and Market Display	Misys
Private Banking Solution	Avaloq
Proxy Voting Solution	Broadridge Financial Solutions
Reconciliation Solution	AutoRek
Research and Analytics Tool	FactSet
Retail Banking Solution	Web Financial Group
Risk Management Solution	BITA Risk
Trading Platform	Proquote
Wealth Management Solution	JHC and Dion Global Solutions

Individual Awards

Business Analyst	Andy Westley, Platform Securities
CEO of the Year	Mark Taylor, Equiniti
Marketing Specialist	Kevin Maxwell, JHC
Sales Executive	Mark Hopcroft, Cofunds
Lifetime Achievement Award	Dr. Mike Bradford