

**Ripon Printers Named “Best of the Best” in
Best Workplace in the Americas 2014 Competition for
Second Consecutive Year**

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Ripon Printers, a leading printer of catalogs, direct mail, publications, manuals and soft-cover educational products, has been awarded the Best Workplace in the Americas 2014 designation, “Best of the Best,” for outstanding human resources practices that contribute to a successful workplace. Begun to specifically recognize printing industry leaders throughout the U.S. and Canada, the Best Workplace in the Americas program was created in 2000.

A panel of highly respected HR professionals with decades of experience in the graphic arts industry reviewed the submissions. The Best Workplace program stands out as one of the most stringent HR awards programs available in any industry because it analyzes key HR metrics and program documents that firms must submit with their entries. Applicants were judged on eight criteria: Management Practices; Work Environment; Training and Development Opportunities; Financial Security; Workplace Health and Safety; Work-Life Balance; Recognition and Rewards; and Health and Wellness Programs.

“We know that a positive workplace environment plays a key role in our success,” says Ripon Printers’ President and CEO Andy Lyke, “and we have a long-term commitment to investing in a workplace featuring best practices in human relations.”

Ripon Printers received an award in the Large Companies/Multi-plants (251+ employees) category.

About Printing Industries of America

Printing Industries of America, with local affiliated associations, delivers services and products that enhance the knowledge, growth and profitability of members through advocacy, research, education and networking.

About Ripon Printers

Ripon Printers serves small to mid-sized catalog marketers and publishers, producing catalogs, direct mail and directories as well as manuals and soft-cover educational products. Founded in 1962 with just 13 employees, Ripon Printers is now more than 340 employees strong and equipped with the latest technologies from premedia through fulfillment and distribution. Linking the company's capabilities together is an obsessive devotion to customer delight that places client satisfaction above any other business goals.

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