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## **CREW-MIAMI ANNOUNCES ITS 2011 AWARD RECIPIENTS**

*Ceremony recognized members for their industry accomplishments and contributions to the organization*

**MIAMI, FL – December 20, 2011** – The Miami chapter of the leading commercial real estate association, Commercial Real Estate Women (CREW-Miami), has announced the recipients of its 2011 awards program. Each year, the organization presents a series of awards to recognize members who have made a significant impact on South Florida's commercial real estate industry and on the organization.

This year's winners are as follows:

- **Networking Deal of the Year Award - Most CREW Members, Transaction Value Below \$2M:** *Joan Sanz, Orion Investments; Ellen Blasi, The Green Companies; Elizabeth Green, The Green Companies; and Nancy Doke-Harrison, Bolyu Contract*
- **Networking Deal of the Year Award - Largest Transaction, Transaction Value Below \$2M:** *Barbara Tria, Kerdyk Real Estate; and Donna Abood, Colliers International*
- **Networking Deal of the Year Merit Award, Transaction Value Below \$2M:** *Ellen Blasi, The Green Companies; and Yvonne Bare, Furniture Marketing Group*
- **Networking Deal of the Year - Most CREW Members, Transaction Value Above \$2M:** *Barbara Liberatore Black, CresaPartners; Tere Blanca, Blanca Commercial Real Estate; Danet Linares, Blanca Commercial Real Estate; Suzanne Amaducci-Adams, Bilzin Sumberg; and Lorraine Ferguson, Beltmann Relocation Group*
- **Networking Deal of the Year Award - Largest Transaction, Transaction Value Above \$2M:** *Suzanne Amaducci-Adams, Bilzin Sumberg; Karyl Argamasilla, Bilzin Sumberg; and Lyan Fernandez, TotalBank*
- **Unsung Hero:** *Susan Cumins, independent professional writer; Katherine Rzad, Rockefeller Group Business Centers; Dean Newberry*
- **President's Award:** *Carol Ellis-Cutler, Colliers International*

- **Mentor of the Year:** *Margaret Nee, Pointe Group Advisors*
- **Outstanding Leadership:** *Sonia Cabello, CDC Builders*
- **Outstanding Mover and Shaker:** *Lyan Fernandez, TotalBank*
- **Star Award:** *Danet Linares, Blanca Commercial Real Estate*

“Our members are not only building professional relationships within the organization but collaborating in business transactions with one another,” said newly-elected President Maria Juncadella, principal of Fairchild Partners. “Member-to-member deal making is the cornerstone of our networking platform. As CREW-Miami’s newest president, I look forward to helping our members close more deals together.”

#### **About CREW-Miami**

CREW-Miami is an association dedicated to providing a forum for professionals actively involved in the commercial real estate industry, encouraging professional interaction and networking, advancing educational opportunities, and providing a support network for commercial real estate professionals. Since its inception, CREW-Miami, which has served the South Florida commercial real estate community for 25 years, has expanded steadily to more than 150 professionals representing over 40 disciplines in our commercial real estate industry. CREW-Miami is a member of CREW Network, a national organization focusing on the advancement of men and women in commercial real estate comprised of more than 8,000 members in more than 74 markets across North America. For further information, visit [www.crewmiami.org](http://www.crewmiami.org) or call (305) 938-0775. You can also join CREW-Miami on [Twitter](#), [Facebook](#) and [LinkedIn](#).

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