



EXECUTIVE EXCELLENCE

FINANCE & HUMAN RESOURCES
AWARDS

THURSDAY, JULY 23, 2026 | 5:30 – 8:30 P.M.

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AGENDA

5:30 to 6:45 p.m.

REGISTRATION & NETWORKING

Complimentary beer, wine, and soda. Cash bar for liquor.

7 to 8 p.m.

AWARDS PROGRAM

Welcoming Remarks:

Dave Neill

Regional Publisher, In Business Madison

Co-Emcees:

Brittney Kenaston

Staff Journalist, In Business Madison

Tony Balistreri

Partner / Market Leader, Forvis/Mazars

Partner Remarks By:

Tony Balistreri

Partner / Market Leader, Forvis/Mazars

Rachel Govin

Chief Operating Officer, Investors Associated, LLP

John Hintze

Wisconsin Market President, UMB Bank

Award Presenters:

Dave Weber

Audit Partner, Forvis/Mazars

Rachel Govin

Chief Operating Officer, Investors Associated, LLP

John Hintze

Wisconsin Market President, UMB Bank

8 p.m.

CLOSING

Katie Dean

Editor-in-Chief, In Business Madison

8-8:15 p.m.

GROUP PHOTO

2026 FINALISTS

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