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## **Recognition and Education**

Congratulations to the new class of Investor Relations Charter™ (IRC) holders. Thirty-four IR professionals passed the most recent certification exam, demonstrating their knowledge, expertise, and commitment to the IR profession. For a list of the most recent charter holders, please visit the NIRI [website](#).

These charter holders will be honored at the NIRI Annual Conference in June in Orlando. Early bird registration rates end October 31, so you'll want to [register](#) now for the world's largest IR education and networking event. The theme for the 2017 Conference is "Breaking the Mold: Defy Convention / Shatter Expectations / Shape the Future." Your peers on the Annual Conference Committee met in September, and are putting together a comprehensive program designed to meet the needs for members at all levels of IR experience.

If you're new to IR, you will want to consider NIRI's [finance seminars](#) in New York during the week of November 14. If you're an experienced IR professional, you'll want to explore the NIRI [Senior Roundtable](#), which provides a unique forum for engagement with senior-level colleagues. In addition to an online community and in-city meetings, the Senior Roundtable Annual Meeting, which will be held on December 7-9 in Scottsdale, Arizona, offers members content on the forefront of the profession mixed with peer engagement.

Finally, NIRI is seeking nominations for the next class of NIRI Fellows. The NIRI Fellows Recognition Program honors members who epitomize the leadership, integrity, and contributions of investor relations professionals. Please visit [www.niri.org/fellows](http://www.niri.org/fellows) for more information and a nomination form.

With best regards,  
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