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Brian Israel Wins MACPA's "Men Who Get It" Award

Rockville, MD., September 24, 2015 – Congratulations to DHG's Brian Israel, a Business Development Executive within the firm's Metro DC Market, for winning MACPA's Men Who Get It Award. The award honors men who actively support women in the workplace and know that a diverse

and inclusive workforce makes good business sense.

The Men Who Get It Award, in its inaugural year, is focused on the development of programs for women's advancement and championing the case for diversity and inclusion in the workplace. As a Business Development Executive, Brian works frequently with women-owned small businesses (WOSBs) and veteran-owned organizations. Not only has he connected hundreds of WOSBs with potential customers and funding sources, he is credited with helping over 100 WOSBs obtain financing to fund growth and make acquisitions. A veteran, husband and father of four, Brian has served as an example of superb commitment to helping grow these businesses and helping them navigate the challenges of financing as well as mergers and acquisitions.

On behalf of Brian, Suzanne Magee, Chief Executive Officer of TechGuard Security wrote,

"If you need an answer--Brian has it. If you need a resource--Brian will find it. If you need partners, services, financing, patent help, asset valuation--Brian will be there with quick solutions and the best contacts. I highly recommend Brian for his tireless work ethic, positive attitude and understanding of the opportunity/challenge of starting and running an innovative small business with disruptive technology."

"We are very proud of Brian's recent MACPA Men Who Get it Award," says Brian Carlton, Market Managing Partner. "The recognition is proof of his tireless effort to promote the advancement of women in the workplace and his model conduct with his clients."

Internally, Brian's work at DHG has been integral in advancing the Women Forward initiative, a movement to help women in the firm advance their careers as well as reach their highest potential by providing the opportunity to network, share knowledge and obtain exposure.

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