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Artisan Partners Named "Active Manager of the Year" at Pensions Age Awards

Milwaukee, **Wisconsin and London**, **England**. Artisan Partners announced today that it was named "Active Manager of the Year" at the 2017 Pensions Age Awards in London on 23 February 2017. The Pensions Age Awards aim to reward both the pension schemes and the pension providers across the UK that have proved themselves worthy of recognition in these increasingly challenging economic times. The Active Manager of the Year Award recognizes the manager that has demonstrated consistent outperformance and an innovative approach to its investment strategy.

Andrew Marks, Managing Director and head of EMEA distribution for Artisan Partners, was delighted to accept the award on behalf of the firm, and said "This achievement is testimony to our talent-driven business model that is designed to attract and retain talented investment professionals focused exclusively on active, high value-added investment strategies."

Artisan Partners was also shortlisted in the "Equities Manager of the Year" category, for which it won the award last year.

ABOUT ARTISAN PARTNERS

Artisan Partners is a global investment management firm that provides a broad range of high value-added investment strategies in growing asset classes to sophisticated clients around the world. Since 1994, the firm has been committed to attracting experienced, disciplined investment professionals to manage client assets. Artisan Partners' autonomous investment teams oversee a diverse range of investment strategies across multiple asset classes. Strategies are offered through various investment vehicles to accommodate a broad range of client mandates.

Artisan Partners was awarded Active Manager of the Year on 23 February 2017 as part of the 2017 Pensions Age Awards. The winner was selected from a shortlist of seven investment managers in a subjective review by a panel of industry judges. Award receipt does not constitute a testimonial and past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results.

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