

EXPO 2006 SHOWGUIDE



SPOTLIGHT AWARD WINNERS

Meet the winners of the Executive Spotlight Awards

Every year since 1999 the Eastern Pennsylvania Business Journal has given Executive Spotlight Awards in recognition of individuals from the regional business community who personify the ideals of business excellence and community service.

During our Executive Mixer on Tuesday, May 16, we will again spotlight a group of 10 professionals who have made excellence and commitment a way of life and, in so doing, have made our region a better place to do business and to live.

It is with pride that the EPBJ presents these brief biographies of this year's winners.



Hamilton

Tina I. Hamilton, PHR
President
HireVision Group Inc.

With almost two decades in the human resources industry, Tina Hamilton has garnered exceptional insight into the practice of hiring, evaluating and retaining quality employees.

In 2002, she leveraged her vast knowledge and energetic, entrepreneurial spirit and founded a new venture – Inter-Source Personnel Analytics. The Whitehall firm is now called HireVision.

Hamilton launched HireVision as an outsourced partner to small- mid and large sized businesses whose growth hinges on hiring and retaining quality employees. HireVision is one of the region's first companies to provide hiring management services. The firm's innovative offerings also include mystery shopping and employee retention pro-

grams —two vital services that help businesses realize high levels of employee performance.

During the 1990s, Hamilton ran one of the Lehigh Valley's most respected personnel companies, Interim Services, which specialized in permanent job placement. After notching consistent double-digit-yearly growth as general manager, she was offered an opportunity to purchase

the regional franchise in July 1997. After a name change to Spherion Staffing Services and a corporate merger, the parent company offered Hamilton the opportunity to sell back her franchise, giving her the capital to launch HireVision.

Hamilton received her PHR (Professional Human Resources) national certification in December 2001. She is also nationally certified to administer Extended Disc Behavioral Assessments.

She is an active member of the Greater Lehigh Valley Chamber of Commerce, serving as a director on the Small Business Council, chairperson of the Masterminds Committee, member of two Masterminds groups and a member of the Marketing Committee. Her past chamber involvement includes serving on the board of the Executive Women's Council and being a new member recruiter for a past president of the chamber. Hamilton is also a member of the Society of Human Resources, Women's Entrepreneurs of Lehigh Valley, Lehigh Valley Economic Development Corp. and the Lehigh Valley Executives Forum. Hamilton also serves on the marketing committee of the LVEDC.

Hamilton has volunteered as an instructor for three years with Pathways, educating at risk students in their senior year of high school and has served as a past board member for the Inter-faith Coalition on Ethics in the Workplace, Parents Advisory Board for Johnson and Wales University in Providence, R.I., and the Applewood Homeowners association.

In April 2004, the Eastern Pennsylvania Business Journal recognized Hamilton as one of its 20 under 40 achievers for her accomplishments in business and the community.

A native of Philadelphia, Hamilton is the daughter of a Holocaust survivor. She has two children, Anthony and Rachel. She and her husband, Jeffrey, live in Fogelsville.