

This year's 24th annual Ernst & Young Entrepreneur of the Year Awards, held at Playhouse Square, were attended by 500+ business and community leaders to celebrate some of the top entrepreneurs in the region. Co-founders Micki Tubbs and Michelle Tomallo, who received the regional Entrepreneur of the Year Award for Technology in 2008, served on the judging panel to select the NE Ohio finalists and winners this year.

WINNERS

"We were honored to be part of this process and this event. To hear the stories about these successful businesses was inspiring and humbling," said Tomallo.

"The finalists' vision, passion, and dedication were so apparent, which made it challenging to choose winners from such an exemplary group of business people," said Tubbs.

All of the regional winners were invited to E&Y's Strategic Growth Forum in Palm Desert, CA being held in November.

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