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Structural Engineer magazine ranked BASE in the top ten of its 2011 national ranking of the **Best Structural Engineering Firms to Work For**. BASE is proud to be included in this prestigious list, especially given today’s economic situation where many companies have had to make sacrifices in budgets and staff.



Awards and recognition such as this typically consider important factors such as workplace practices and quality of projects; however, none of that is possible without the clients and projects we’ve been privileged to be associated with. Over the years BASE has been fortunate to receive many awards and here are a few notable ones.



SBA Business Person of the Year Award - State of Hawaii

BASE President Steven Baldrige received this important award in 2010, the 15th anniversary of BASE. Within those years we have seen our staff grow from one in 1995 to 27 in 2011. Steve attributes the growth and success of BASE to its great staff of highly qualified and dedicated professionals without whom it

wouldn’t be one of the “best firms to work for.”

SBA Phoenix Award, Office of Disaster Assistance, Field Operations Center-West Finalist

BASE President Steven Baldrige was a 2011 finalist for this national award for his volunteer work in the aftermath of the 2009 tsunami that struck American Samoa and the 2010 Haiti earthquake.



Small Biz Success Award Award of Merit Hawaii Business Magazine

In 2009 BASE was recognized for its system of “reverse outsourcing”: Providing engineering services from our U.S. offices for projects in India. BASE is still very active in several large scale mixed-use developments in India including Wave One, Wave 11, and the upcoming Wave 32.



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Notable Awards & Recognition

2011

Best Structural Engineering Firm to Work For

Eighth Place
Structural Engineer Magazine

SBA Phoenix Award

Finalist: Steven M. Baldrige
U.S. Small Business Administration, Office of Disaster Assistance,
Field Operations Center-West

2011 IDEAS² Award

National Certificate of Recognition: Pearl Harbor Visitors Center
American Institute of Steel Construction

Renovation Award–Commercial/Other Over 40,000 SF

King Kamehameha Kona Beach Hotel Renovation
NAIOP Kukulu Hale Award

Build Hawaii Award

Grand Award: Repair Wharf S-1
General Contractors Association

Build Hawaii Award

Award of Excellence: USS Arizona Memorial Visitor
Center Replacement
General Contractors Association

2010

SBA Business Person of the Year Award, State of Hawaii

Steven M. Baldrige
U.S. Small Business Administration

Build Hawaii Award

Award of Excellence: Honolulu Parking Structure at Honolulu
International Airport
General Contractors Association

Build Hawaii Award

Award of Merit: Trump International Hotel & Tower
General Contractors Association

New Project Award-Public/Government

Honolulu International Airport Parking Structure
NAIOP Kukulu Hale Award

2009

Hot Firm Winner

Number 102 of 200
ZweigLetter

Business Leadership Hawaii

Innovative Company of the Year – Finalist
Pacific Business News

Small Biz Success Award

Award of Merit
Hawaii Business Magazine

Engineering Excellence Award

Excellence Award: University of Hawaii at Manoa Frear Hall
The American Council of Engineering Companies of Hawaii

2008

Hot Firm Winner

Number 122 of 200
ZweigLetter

Best Structural Engineering Firm to Work For

Honorable Mention
Structural Engineer Magazine

Small Business Success Award

Honorable Mention
Hawaii Business Magazine

Hawaii's Fastest 50

Twenty-First Place: Ho'oulu Award
Pacific Business News

2007

Business Leadership Hawaii

Best in Business, Division II – Winner
Pacific Business News

Best Structural Engineering Firm to Work For

Honorable Mention
Structural Engineer Magazine

2006

Design and Construction Excellence Award
Oklahoma Hall, Pearl Harbor, Hawaii
Concrete Reinforcing Steel Institute

Business Leadership Hawaii
Best in Business, Division II – Finalist
Pacific Business News

2005

Business Leadership Hawaii
Best in Business, Division II – Finalist
Pacific Business News

Administrator's Award of Excellence
Outstanding Subcontractor Contribution & Service
U.S. Small Business Administration

NCSEA Finalist Project Award
Nimitz-MacArthur Pacific Command Center
National Council of Structural Engineers Association

Small Structural Project Finalist
BASE Hanger System
Structural Engineers Association of Illinois

Best Structural Engineering Firm to Work For
Honorable Mention
Structural Engineer Magazine

Hawaii's Fastest 50
44th Place: Ho'oulu Award
Pacific Business News

2004

Outstanding Project Award
Bachelor Enlisted Quarters P-593
New Buildings \$10 Million to \$30 Million
National Council of Structural Engineers Associations

Hawaii's Fastest 50
40th Place: Ho'oulu Award
Pacific Business News

Best Structural Engineering Firm to Work For
Sixth Place
Structural Engineer Magazine

Business Leadership Hawaii
Best in Business, Division II – Finalist
Pacific Business News

2003

Best Structural Engineering Firm to Work For
Fourth Place
Structural Engineer Magazine

Business Leadership Hawaii
Best in Business, Division II – Finalist
Pacific Business News

Hawaii's Fastest 50
16th Place: Ho'oulu Award
Pacific Business News

2002

Hawaii's Fastest 50
Fourteenth Place: Ho'oulu Award
Pacific Business News

2000

New Low-Rise Building Award
CompUSA
Concrete Achievement Awards

Award of Merit
Home Depot Parking Garage
Concrete Achievement Awards