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Molly N. Switzer Selected as 2014 30 Under 30 Award Recipient by The National Kitchen & Bath Association

NKBA 30 Under 30 to be featured at KBIS next February in Las Vegas.

PORTLAND, OR, (DATE) — Molly N. Switzer has been selected as one of the 30 Under 30 recipients by The National Kitchen & Bath Association (**NKBA**) for the Kitchen & Bath Industry Show 2014 (**KBIS®**), to be held February 4-6 in Las Vegas.

"We are excited to present our 30 Under 30 young professionals at KBIS 2014 for the second year in a row," says Nancy Barnes, NKBA Director of Learning. "The program launch in 2013 was a huge success with the group, which included enthusiastic entrepreneurs, forward-thinking CEOs, and cutting-edge designers who are all still in their 20s."

The goal of the NKBA 30 Under 30 Program is to acknowledge outstanding young professionals, while helping these individuals to immerse and apply themselves to new opportunities for growth and development in support of the industry.

Molly N. Switzer graduated with dual Bachelors of Science degrees in Interior Design and Housing Studies in 2008 from NKBA accredited Oregon State University. She was involved in the NKBA student organization at OSU serving as Student Chapter President for three years and strived for extended out of classroom industry involvement for fellow students. She has continued involvement with the NKBA with the local Columbia River Chapter serving various positions such as co chair of Academic Relations, Secretary and currently serving as the chapters VP of Programs. Molly has been with Precision Countertops for five years working closely with clients designing and selling custom kitchen and bath projects for one of the largest custom countertop companies in the US. Molly's passion for the industry revolves around the excitement of the latest trends, technology and creative design features that are constantly changing the way we think of kitchen and bath living.

"Being recognized as a leading young member of the kitchen and bath industry is an absolute honor. This is an evolving industry full of exciting opportunities and amazing individuals I am privileged to call my colleagues. I strive to push the envelope of how future kitchen and bath living functions and appears." - Molly N. Switzer

On Thursday, February 6, 2014, the group of 30 young professionals will present their findings on the Las Vegas show floor in a featured speaker presentation for KBIS 2014 Conference attendees. They will share the results of their explorations and answer questions from the audience.

About the National Kitchen & Bath Association and the Kitchen & Bath Industry Show

Now celebrating its 50th Anniversary, the National Kitchen & Bath Association (NKBA) is a not-for-profit trade association that owns the Kitchen & Bath Industry Show (KBIS®). With nearly 60,000 members, the NKBA has educated and led the kitchen and bath industry since the association's founding in 1963. The mission of the NKBA is to enhance member success and excellence, promote professionalism and ethical business practices, and provide leadership and direction for the kitchen and bath industry worldwide. For more information, visit the NKBA Press Roomor call 1-800-THE-NKBA (843-6522).

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