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Guy Carpenter Named Best Large Reinsurance Broker at 2009 *Reactions* Global Awards

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Guy Carpenter & Company, LLC was named "Best Large Reinsurance Broker" at *Reactions* magazine's 2009 Global Awards dinner, held September 24 in New York.

The *Reactions* Global Awards, now in their eighth year, recognize superior performance and innovation within the global insurance industry, rewarding companies and individuals who have helped raise client service standards. The peer-nominated program polls more than 4,800 risk managers, brokers, reinsurance/insurance managers, directors and CEOs from across the insurance and reinsurance markets.

QUOTE

Peter Zaffino, President and CEO, Guy Carpenter & Company, LLC

"We are honored to be selected by our peers and *Reactions* as the Best Global Reinsurance Broker. Over the past year, we delivered industry-leading risk and capital management solutions to our clients in an exceptionally challenging financial environment. This award is a testament to the dedication of our broking teams across the organization and their ability to help our clients create value."

TAGS/KEYWORDS

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About Guy Carpenter

Guy Carpenter & Company, LLC is the world's leading risk and reinsurance specialist and a part of the Marsh & McLennan Companies. With over 50 offices worldwide, Guy Carpenter creates and executes reinsurance solutions and delivers capital market solutions* for clients across the globe. The firm's full breadth of services includes line of business expertise in Agriculture; Aviation; Casualty Clash; Construction and Engineering; Excess and Umbrella; Life, Accident and Health; Marine; Medical Professional Liability; Political Risk and Trade Credit; Professional Liability; Property; Retrocessional Reinsurance; Surety; Terrorism and Workers Compensation. GCFac® is Guy Carpenter's dedicated global facultative reinsurance unit that provides placement strategies, timely market access and centralized management of facultative reinsurance solutions. In addition, Guy Carpenter's Instrat® unit utilizes industry-leading quantitative skills and modeling tools that optimize the reinsurance decision-making process and help make the firm's clients more successful. Guy Carpenter's website address is <u>www.guycarp.com</u>.

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