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Leadership Louisville Center Graduates Leadership Louisville Class of 2013

Louisville, Kentucky (May 23, 2013) – After ten months, fifty-seven local leaders graduated as the Leadership Louisville Class of 2013 on May 21. They are the 34th class of the Leadership Louisville Center's signature program for established community leaders, founded in 1979. These talented leaders spent ten months learning more about themselves, expanding their professional and social networks, developing an understanding of how our community works and examining important issues that impact Louisville's future. Please congratulate the members of the Leadership Louisville Class of 2013, who stepped up to take an expanded role in our community ([link to photo roster](#)):

Beth Avey, Kentucky Indiana Exchange (KIX); **Rania Basha**, Humana, Inc. (formerly with Wyatt, Tarrant & Combs, LLP); **Heather Weston Bell**, The Kentucky Center for the Performing Arts; **Greg Blakemore**, The Nehemiah Group; **Brigid Brown**, Thorntons Inc.; **Doug Butcher**, CBRE/Louisville; **Bradley Case**, Dinsmore & Shohl LLP; **Rhonda Clark**, UPS; **Jon Cooper**, Norton Women's & Kosair Children's Hospital; **Francesca Curry**, Citi; **Condrad Daniels**, Houston-Johnson, Inc.;

Pam Helms Darnall, Family & Children's Place; **Chrissy Evans**, Junior League of Louisville; **Greg Fante**, Louisville Sports Commission; **Bobby Ferreri**, Ferreri Partners LLC (formerly with Greater Louisville Inc.); **Erik Furlan**, Churchill Downs, Inc.; **Adam Goebel**, Stoll Keenon Ogden PLLC; **Chip Hardwick**, Presbyterian Church (USA); **Tom Johnson**, Norton Healthcare; **Ann Joseph**, D.D. Williamson; **Maggie Kassebaum**, GE Appliances; **Mark Leonardi**, Fifth Third Bank;

Donna McDonald, West Louisville Business Association; **Joe Miller**, Frost Brown Todd LLC; **Marta Miranda**, The Center for Women and Families; **Wanda Mitchell-Smith**, AFSCME Council 62; **Jim Moore**, 21st Century Parks; **Hernan Mujica**, Texas Roadhouse; **Matt Multerer**, JPMorgan Chase Bank; **James Murphy**, Greater Louisville Medical Society; **Tim Nall**, Brown-Forman Corporation; **Dayna Neumann**, FetterGroup;

Fr. Jeff Nicolas, Archdiocese of Louisville/Cathedral of the Assumption; **Jennifer Nolan**, KentuckyOne Health; **Bobbie Rafferty**, Spalding University; **Michael Raisor**, Jefferson County Public Schools; **Jerry Reynolds**, LG&E and KU Energy LLC; **Jonathan Ricketts**, Ricketts Law Offices, PLLC; **Don Riggs**, Baptist Health; **Patti Robertson**, PNC Bank; **London Roth**, Humana Inc.; **Susan Rudy**, Xerox Corporation; **Elaine Salvo**, Assumption High School; **Dale Schaefer**, Main Line Broadcasting; **Laurie Schalow**, Yum! Brands, Inc.;

Brad Seigel, Horseshoe Casino; **Ken Selvaggi**, WAVE-TV; **Leslie Buddeke Smart**, Children's Hospital Foundation; **Kelley Dearing Smith**, Louisville Water Company; **Ted Smith**, Louisville Metro Government; **Daphne Snedegar**, Ernst & Young, LLP; **Maurice Snook**, University of Louisville Health Science Center; **Pamela Stevenson**, French & Associates LLC; **Mike Wade**, Dean Dorton Allen Ford, PLLC; **Michelle Wells**, Yum! Brands, Inc.; **Matisa Wilbon**, Bellarmine University; and **Jennifer Willis**, Humana, Inc.

About the Leadership Louisville Center:

Created in 1979, the Leadership Louisville Center is the region's most valuable resource for leadership development and civic engagement. Its mission is to grow and connect a diverse network of leaders who serve as catalysts for a world-class community through dynamic programming and strong community connections. Over 6,000 community leaders have graduated from the Center's programs that include Leadership Louisville, Focus Louisville, Ignite Louisville and Bingham Fellows. In 2011, the Leadership Louisville Center was recognized as one of the top seven community leadership programs in the U.S. in a benchmark study by the Center for Creative Leadership, the "gold standard" global provider of executive leadership education and research.

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