An Award-Winning Tradition

The award-winning ACAMS Today is the leading publication for career-minded professionals in the financial crime detection and prevention field. ACAMS Today is dedicated to keeping members up-to-date on benefits, education programs, special events, and the latest legislative, regulatory and international developments. In 2014-2020, ACAMS Today won the following awards for content and design:

2020 Eddie and Ozzie Awards (Folio)
Winner: ACAMS Today Español Vol. 1 No.1 (Category: Supplemental, Annual or One Shot)
Honorable Mention: “Managing the High-Risk Cannabis Industry” (Category: Long-Form Feature Content)
Honorable Mention: “Financial Crime Matters” with Kieran Beer (Category: Podcast)
Honorable Mention: ACAMS Today March-May 2019 (Category: Illustration)

2020 W3 Awards
Silver Award: “Financial Crime Matters” with Kieran Beer (Category: Podcast, General Series-Financial Services)
Silver Award: “Digital Identity and Financial Crimes” (Category: Websites, Website Features-Best Copywriting)

2020 Tabbie Awards (Trade Association Business Publications International)
Honorable Mention: “The Rising Menace of Elder Financial Abuse” (Category: Feature Article)
Honorable Mention: September-November 2019 (Category: Front Cover, Digital Imagery)

2020 APEX Awards (Communication Concepts)
Grand Award: ACAMS Today June-August 2019 (Category: Magazines, Journals & Tabloids)
Award of Excellence: “Barbara Martinez: An Advocate for Human Trafficking Victims” (Category: Writing, Interviews & Personal Profiles)
Award of Excellence: “The Australian Experience—A Conflicting Regulatory Landscape” (Category: Design, Illustration – Spreads)

2020 Charlie Awards (Florida Magazine Association)
Charlie Award: “Financial Crime Matters: Secrecy World: Jake Bernstein on the Panama Papers” (Best Digital: Podcast)
Charlie Award: “The Rising Menace of Elder Financial Abuse (Best Writing: Public Service Coverage)
Charlie Award: “Digital Identity and Financial Crimes” (Best Writing: In-Depth Reporting)
Silver Award: “A Universal Responsibility” (Best Writing: Editorial/Commentary/Opinion)
Silver Award: ACAMS Today Español July-August 2019 (Best Design: Cover)
Silver Award: “Birth of OFAC and the Rise of Global Sanctions” (Best Design: Feature)

2020 Azbee Awards (American Society of Business Press Editors)
Regional Gold Award: “The Australian Experience—A Conflicting Regulatory Landscape” (Category: Design, Opening Page/Spread-Photo, Less than $3 million revenue, Southeast)
Regional Silver Award: ACAMS Today Ninth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Design, Front Cover-Photo Illustration, Southeast)
Regional Bronze Award: ACAMS Today Ninth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Design, Front Cover-Special Issue or Supplement, Southeast)
2020 NYX Awards (NYX Marcom Awards)
Silver: ACAMS Today Ninth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine Cover)

2020 Communicator Awards (Academy of Interactive & Visual Arts)
Award of Excellence: ACAMS Today September-November 2019 (Category: Design Features-Cover Design)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today Ninth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Design Features-Cover Design)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today September-November 2019 (Category: Magazine-Association)
Award of Distinction: “Lydia Cacho: The Defender of Human Rights” (Category: Writing-Other)

2020 Hermes Creative Awards (Association of Marketing and Communication Professionals)
Platinum Award: ACAMS Today Ninth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Print Media, Writing, Publication Overall)
Gold Award: “A Universal Responsibility” (Category: Print Media, Writing, Publication Column)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2019 (Category: Print Media, Design, Publication Cover Design)
Gold Award: “Secrecy World: Jake Bernstein on the Panama Papers” (Category: Electronic Media/Social Media/Interactive Media, Audio/Radio, Podcast Episode)
Honorable Mention: “The Rising Menace of Elder Financial Abuse” (Category: Print Media, Writing, Publication Article)
Honorable Mention: ACAMS Today Ninth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Print Media, Publications, Magazine)

2020 American Advertising Federation 4th District ADDYs (American Advertising Federation)
Silver ADDY: ACAMS Today September-November 2019 (Category: Publication Cover Design)

2020 Treasure Coast ADDYs (American Advertising Federation)
Gold ADDY: ACAMS Today September-November 2019 (Category: Publication Cover Design)
Gold ADDY: “Viva la Regulación” (Category: Editorial Spread or Feature—Series)
Silver ADDY: ACAMS Today March-May 2019 (Category: Publication Cover Design)
Silver ADDY: “Wildlife Trafficking: The Urgent Challenge for AML Professionals” (Category: Magazine Advertising Spread, Multiple Page or Insert)
Silver ADDY: “The Australian Experience—A Conflicting Regulatory Landscape” (Category: Magazine Advertising Spread, Multiple Page or Insert)
Silver ADDY: “Virtual Assets: Calibrating the Compass of Suspicion” (Category: Photography, Digitally Enhanced)
Silver ADDY: “Generational Diversity at the Office: The Greatest Opportunity for Knowledge Sharing” (Category: Magazine Advertising Spread, Multiple Page or Insert)

2019 Eddie and Ozzie Awards (Folio)
Winner: AMLopoly Table of Contents (Category: Table of Contents)
Honorable Mention: “Financial Crime Matters” with Kieran Beer (Category: Podcast)
Honorable Mention: ACAMS Today September-November 2018 (Category: Cover Design)

2019 W3 Awards (Academy of Interactive and Visual Arts)
Silver Award: “Lydia Cacho: The Defender of Human Rights” (Category: Website Features-Copy or Writing in Websites)
Silver Award: “Organ Trafficking: The Unseen Form of Human Trafficking” (Category: Website Features-Copy or Writing in Websites)

2019 Tabbie Awards (Trade Association Business Publications International)
Silver Winner: ACAMS Today September-November 2018 (Category: Front Cover, Digital Imagery)
Honorable Mention: “Organ Trafficking: The Unseen Form of Human Trafficking” (Category: Feature Article)

2019 APEX Awards (Communication Concepts)
Grand Award: “Lydia Cacho: The Defender of Human Rights” (Category: Writing)
Award of Excellence: “Terry Forliti: Empowering Human Trafficking Survivors” (Category: Writing – Interviews & Personal Profiles)

2019 Charlie Awards (Florida Magazine Association)
Silver: ACAMS Today Eighth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Special Theme or Show Issue)
Silver: “Tráfico de Órganos: La Forma Invisible de la Trata de Personas” (Category: Best Writing, Public Service Coverage)
Bronze: “The New Face of Drug Dealing” (Category: Best Writing, Public Service Coverage)
Bronze: ACAMS Today Eighth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Design Excellence, Best Traditional Illustration)

2019 Hermes Creative Awards (Association of Marketing and Communication Professionals)
Platinum Award: “De-Risking and the Effects on the World’s Neediest” (Category: Print Media, Writing, Publication Article)
Platinum Award: ACAMS Today Eighth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Print Media, Publications, Print Magazine)
Platinum Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2018 (Category: Print Media, Writing, Publication Overall)
Gold Award: “Lydia Cacho: The Defender of Human Rights” (Category: Print Media, Writing, Interview)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2018 (Category: Print Media, Publications, Print Magazine)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today Eighth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Print Media, Writing, Publication Overall)
Gold Award: AMLopoly Board Insert (Category: Print Media, Marketing Collateral/Branding, Specialty Item)
Honorable Mention: “In a Faraway Galaxy...or Financial Institution” (Category: Print Media, Writing, Publication Column)

2019 Treasure Coast ADDY Awards (American Advertising Federation)
Gold Award: “Organ Trafficking: The Unseen Form of Human Trafficking” (Category: Elements of Advertising, Copywriting)
Gold Award: “The Artificial Intelligence Revolution Is Coming...” (Category: Collateral Material, Editorial Spread or Feature Design)
Gold Award: “Lawyers, Drugs and Money: AML in Popular Media” (Category: Elements of Advertising, Copywriting)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today, September-November 2018 (Category: Collateral Material, Magazine Design)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today, Eighth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Collateral Material, Magazine Design)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today, September-November 2018 (Category: Collateral Material, Publication Cover Design)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today, Eighth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Collateral Material, Publication Cover Design)
Gold Award: “Lawyers, Drugs and Money: AML in Popular Media” (Category: Collateral Material, Editorial Spread or Feature Design)

2019 Azbee Awards (American Society of Business Press Editors)
Regional Gold Award: “Lydia Cacho: The Defender of Human Rights” (Category: All Content, Q&A, Southeast)
Regional Silver Award: AMLopoly (Category: Design, Contents Page or Pages, Southeast)
Regional Silver Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2018 (Category: Design, Front Cover, Special Issue or Supplement, Southeast)
Regional Silver Award: “Terry Forliti: Empowering Human Trafficking Survivors” (Category: All Content, Q&A, Southeast)
Regional Bronze Award: ACAMS Today Eighth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Design, Front Cover, Special or Supplement, Southeast)

2018 Tabbie Awards (Trade Association Business Publications International)
Honorable Mention: ACAMS Today September-November 2017 (Category: Front Cover-Illustration)

2018 APEX Awards (Communication Concepts)
Grand Award: ACAMS Today March-May 2017 (Category: Magazines, Journals & Tabloids-Print + 1-2 Person
2018 Communicator Awards (Academy of Interactive & Visual Arts)
Award of Excellence: “Engulfed by a Masterpiece” (Category: Writing Column)
Award of Excellence: “You Got Hacked” (Category: Writing Column)
Award of Distinction: “Chasing the Money: Celebrating 25 Years of HSI EDTF” (Category: Writing-Other)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today September-November 2017 (Category: Design Features-Cover Design)

2018 Hermes Creative Awards (Association of Marketing and Communication Professionals)
Platinum Award: ACAMS Today Seventh Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine)
Platinum Award: “Chasing the Money: Celebrating 25 Years of HSI EDTF” (Category: Interview)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2017 (Category: Magazine)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2017 (Category: Publication Cover)
Honorable Mention: “The Blocktrain has Left the Station” (Category: Publication Article)
Honorable Mention: Happy 15 ACAMS Today (Category: Infographic)
Honorable Mention: “Engulfed by a Masterpiece” (Category: Publication Column)

2018 MarCom Awards (Association of Marketing and Communication Professionals)
Platinum Award: ACAMS Today AMLopoly Table of Contents (Category: Other-Table of Contents)
Platinum Award: “Lawyers, Drugs and Money: AML in Popular Media” (Category: Feature Article)
Platinum Award: ACAMS Today Career Guidance Column (Category: Column)
Gold Award: “Organ Trafficking: The Unseen Form of Human Trafficking” (Category: Feature Article)
Gold Award: “In a Faraway Galaxy...or Financial Institution” (Category: Editorial)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today Eighth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2018 (Category: Magazine-Association)
Honorable Mention: “Fool’s Gold” (Category: Editorial)
Honorable Mention: “Reflections of Greatness” (Category: Editorial)
Honorable Mention: ACAMS Today Game Board (Category: Other-Game Board Insert)

2018 Eddie and Ozzie Awards (Folio)
Honorable Mention: “Death SARs” (Category: Association/Non-Profit-Feature Design)

2018 Charlie Award (Florida Magazine Association)
Charlie Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2017 (Category: Design Excellence/Best Design: Cover-Association)
Charlie Award: ACAMS Today Seventh Law Enforcement Edition (Category: General Excellence/Best Special Theme or Show Issue-Association)
Silver Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2017 (Category: Design Excellence/Best Traditional Illustration-Association)
Silver Award: “Fool’s Gold” (Category: Writing Excellence/Best Writing: Editorial/Commentary/Opinion-Association)
Bronze Award: ACAMS Today Seventh Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Design Excellence/Best Design: Cover-Association)

2018 Tabbies Award (Trade Association Business Publications International)
Honorable Mention: ACAMS Today September-November 2017 (Category: Front Cover-Illustration)

2018 APEX Award (Communication Concepts)
Grand Award: ACAMS Today March-May 2017 (Category: Magazines, Journals & Tabloids-Print + 1-2 Person Produced)
2018 Communicator Awards (Academy of Interactive & Visual Arts)
Award of Excellence: “Engulfed by a Masterpiece” (Category: Writing Column)
Award of Excellence: “You Got Hacked” (Category: Writing Column)
Award of Distinction: “Chasing the Money: Celebrating 25 Years of HSI EDTF” (Category: Writing-Other)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today September-November 2017 (Category: Design Features-Cover Design)

2018 Hermes Creative Awards (Association of Marketing and Communication Professionals)
Platinum Award: ACAMS Today Seventh Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine)
Platinum Award: “Chasing the Money: Celebrating 25 Years of HSI EDTF” (Category: Interview)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2017 (Category: Magazine)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2017 (Category: Publication Cover)
Honorable Mention: “The Blocktrain has Left the Station” (Category: Publication Article)
Honorable Mention: Happy 15 ACAMS Today (Category: Infographic)
Honorable Mention: ACAMS Today March-May 2017 (Category: Publication Cover)
Honorable Mention: “Engulfed by a Masterpiece” (Category: Publication Column)

2017 MarCom Awards (Association of Marketing and Communication Professionals)
Platinum Award: ACAMS Today Seventh Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine)
Platinum Award: “It’s Draft Night” (Category: Editorial)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2017 (Category: Magazine Cover)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today March-May 2017 (Category: Magazine Cover)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today March-May 2017 (Category: Magazine-Association)
Honorable Mention: “Engulfed by a Masterpiece” (Category: Editorial)
Honorable Mention: “Chasing the Money: Celebrating 25 Years of HSI EDTF” (Category: Interview)

2017 Eddie and Ozzie Awards (Folio)
Honorable Mention: ACAMS Today March-May 2016 (Category: Association/Non-Profit-Cover Design)

2017 Charlie Award (Florida Magazine Association)
Charlie Award: ACAMS Today Sixth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Best Overall Writing-Association)
Silver Award: “A Message from the Executive Vice President” (Category: Writing Excellence Column-Association)
Silver Award: “It’s Draft Night” (Category: Writing Excellence Editorial-Association)
Silver Award: ACAMS Today Sixth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: General Excellence Best Special Theme-Association)

2017 APEX Award (Communication Concepts)
Award of Excellence: ACAMS Today Sixth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazines, Journals & Tabloids-Print + 1-2 Person Produced)

2017 Tabbies Award (Trade Association Business Publications International)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today March-May 2016 (Category: Front Cover-Illustration)

2017 Communicator Awards (Academy of Interactive & Visual Arts)
Award of Distinction: “Jim Cox: Law Enforcement and Beyond” (Category: Podcast-Host)
Award of Distinction: “Jim Cox: Law Enforcement and Beyond” (Category: Podcast-General)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today Sixth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine-Copy/Writing)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today Sixth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Special Edition Magazine)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today September-November 2016 (Category: Association Magazine)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today March-May 2016 (Category: Magazine-Cover Design)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today Sixth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine-Overall Design)
Award of Distinction: “Fantasy Sports or Money Laundering?” (Category: Writing-Featured Article)
2017 AZBEES Award (American Society of Business Press Editors)
Silver Regional Award: ACAMS Today March-May 2016 (Category: Front Cover-Illustration)

2017 Hermes Creative Award (Association of Marketing and Communication Professionals)
Platinum Award: “The True Walking Dead” (Category: Publication Column)
Gold Award: “It’s Draft Night” (Category: Publication Column)
Gold Award: “AML and Fraud Blog” by John J. Byrne (Category: Blog Writing)
Gold Award: “AML in Today’s Environment” (Category: Publication Column)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today Sixth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine)
Honorable Mention: ACAMS Today March-May 2016 (Category: Publication Cover)
Honorable Mention: “What Happens in Vegas...Stays in Vegas” (Category: Publication Column)
Honorable Mention: “Raising Awareness About Human Trafficking” (Category: Interview)

2017 Treasure Coast Addys Award (American Advertising Federation)
Gold Addy Award: ACAMS Today March-May 2016 (Category: Cover-Illustration, Single)
Silver Addy Award: “Human Trafficking: Combating this Complex Crime” (Category: Copywriting)
Silver Addy Award: “The True Walking Dead” (Category: Copywriting)
Silver Addy Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2016 (Category: Publication Design, Cover Design)
Silver Addy Award: “How Terrorist Trends Evolve” (Category: Publication Design, Editorial Spread or Feature)
Silver Addy Award: ACAMS Today Sixth Law Enforcement Edition and September-November 2016 (Category: Publication Design, Editorial Spread or Feature Series)
Silver Addy Award: ACAMS Today March-May 2016 (Category: Publication Design, Magazine Design)

2016 MarCom Awards (Association of Marketing and Communication Professionals)
Gold Award: “For the Love of the Game” (Category: Magazine-Editorial)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today Fifth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine Cover)
Gold Award: “How Terrorist Trends Evolve and How FIs Should Respond” (Category: Feature Article)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today March-May 2016 (Category: Magazine-Association)
Gold Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2015 (Category: Magazine-Association)
Platinum Award: ACAMS Today Fifth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine-Special Edition)
Platinum Award: ACAMS Today Sixth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine-Special Edition)

2016 Charlie Award (Florida Magazine Association)
Charlie Award: ACAMS Today Fifth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Design Excellence-Best Illustration)
Charlie Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2015 (Category: Design Excellence-Best Cover)
Silver Award: “For the Love of the Game” (Category: Writing Excellence-Best Editorial)
Silver Award: ACAMS Today Fifth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Design Excellence-Best Cover)
Silver Award: “From Columbo to Holmes” (Category: Design Excellence-Best Feature Design)

2016 Treasure Coast Addys Award (American Advertising Federation)
Gold Addy Award: ACAMS Today Fifth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine Cover)
Gold Addy Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2015 (Category: Magazine Cover)
Gold Addy Award: ACAMS Today Fifth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Entire Magazine)
Silver Addy Award: ACAMS Today Fifth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine Cover-Illustration)
Silver Addy Award: ACAMS Today Fifth Law Enforcement Edition, September-November 2015 and December 15-February ’16 (Category: Table of Contents)

2016 Communicator Awards (Academy of Interactive & Visual Arts)
Award of Excellence: ACAMS Today Fifth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine-Association)
Award of Excellence: ACAMS Today Fifth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine-Cover Design)
Award of Excellence: “Confronting Threat of Terrorism” (Category: Writing-Feature Article)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today Fifth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine-Special Edition)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today September-November 2015 (Category: Magazine-Association)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today September-November 2015 (Category: Magazine-Special Edition)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today September-November 2015 (Category: Magazine-Overall Design)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today September-November 2015 (Category: Magazine-Cover Design)
Award of Distinction: “For the Love of the Game” (Category: Writing-Column)
Award of Distinction: “From Columbo to Holmes” (Category: Writing-Feature Article)

2016 AZBEES Award (American Society of Business Press Editors)
Bronze Regional Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2015 (Category: Front Cover-Special Issue)
Bronze Regional Award: “The T-MEN: A Giant Killer Legacy” (Category: Feature Article Design)
Bronze Regional Award: “Makings of a Great Investigator and For the Love of the Game” (Category: Print-Editorial/Editor’s Letter)

2016 APEX Award (Communication Concepts)
Award of Excellence: ACAMS Today September-November 2015 (Category: Magazines, Journals & Tabloids-Print + 1-2 Person Produced)

2016 Tabbies (Trade Association Business Publications International)
Honorable Mention: ACAMS Today Fifth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Front Cover-Special Issue)

2015 Communicator Awards (Academy of Interactive & Visual Arts)
Award of Excellence: ACAMS Today Fourth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine-Association)
Award of Excellence: ACAMS Today Fourth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine-Cover Design)
Award of Excellence: ACAMS Today September-November 2014 (Category: Magazine-Association)
Award of Distinction: “Afghanistan: A Detective’s Story” (Category: Writing-Feature Article)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today September-November 2014 (Category: Magazine-Copy/Writing)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today September-November 2014 (Category: Magazine-Cover Design)
Award of Distinction: “Life of a Compliance Officer” (Category: Writing-Feature Article)

2015 APEX Award (Communication Concepts)
Award of Excellence: ACAMS Today Fourth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazines, Journals & Tabloids-Print + 32 pages)

2015 AZBEES Award (American Society of Business Press Editors)
Silver Regional Award: “Life of a Compliance Officer” (Category: Design Excellence-Feature Article Design)

2015 Davey Awards (Academy of Interactive & Visual Arts)
Silver Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2014 (Category: Individual Achievement-Copywriting)
Silver Award: ACAMS Today Fifth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Editorial-Magazine Cover)

2015 Tabbies (Trade Association Business Publications International)
Honorable Mention: “It’s About Time” (Category: Editor’s Column)
Honorable Mention: “Afghanistan: A Detective’s Story” (Category: Focus/Profile Article)
Honorable Mention: ACAMS Today Fourth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Front Cover-Special Issue)

2015 Treasure Coast Addys Award (American Advertising Federation)
Gold Addy Award: ACAMS Today Fourth Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Overall Magazine Design)
Silver Addy Award: ACAMS Today September-November 2014 (Category: Overall Magazine Design)
2015 Charlie Award (Florida Magazine Association)
Silver Award: ACAMS Today December ’14-February ’15 and March-May 2015 (Category: Best Table of Contents-Association)

2014 Communicator Awards (Academy of Interactive & Visual Arts)
Award of Excellence: ACAMS Today September-November 2013 (Category: Magazine-Association)
Award of Excellence: ACAMS Today September-November 2013 (Category: Magazine-Cover Design)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today Third Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine-Association)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today Third Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine-Special Edition)
Award of Distinction: ACAMS Today Third Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Magazine-Cover Design)

2014 Charlie Award (Florida Magazine Association)
Charlie Award: ACAMS Today Third Law Enforcement Edition (Category: Best Cover-Association)