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Davenport & Company Named a 2017 Best Employer in North Carolina

Davenport & Company announced that they were recently named as one of the **2017 Best Employers in North Carolina**. The list of the **Best Employers in North Carolina** was created by *Business North Carolina*, the Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) – NC State Council and Best Companies Group.

This statewide survey and awards program is designed to identify, recognize and honor the best places of employment in North Carolina, benefiting the state's economy, workforce and businesses. The **2017 Best Employers in North Carolina** list is made up of **35** companies.

To be considered for participation, companies had to fulfill the following eligibility requirements:

- Be a for-profit, not-for-profit business or government entity;
- Be a publicly or privately held business;
- Have a facility in the state of North Carolina;
- Have at least 15 employees in North Carolina; and
- Be in business a minimum of 1 year.

Companies from North Carolina entered the two-part survey process to determine the 2017 Best Employers in North Carolina. The first part consisted of evaluating each nominated company's workplace policies, practices, philosophy, systems, and demographics. The second part consisted of an employee survey to measure the employee experience. The combined scores determined the top companies and the final ranking. Best Companies Group managed the overall registration and survey process, analyzed the data, and determined the final rankings.

For more information on the **Best Employers in North Carolina** program, visit www.bestemployersnc.com.

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