



Utah Credit Professional Krista Miller Named Student of the Year

*Award Presented by the National Association of Credit Management
and Robert Half Finance & Accounting and Accountemps*

June 29, 2009: Columbia, Maryland—The National Association of Credit Management (NACM) and Robert Half Finance & Accounting and Accountemps have honored **Krista Miller, CBA** with the 2009 NACM/Robert Half Finance & Accounting and Accountemps Student of the Year Award. Miller was recognized during NACM's 113th Annual Credit Congress, held in Orlando, Florida, June 14-17.

Two parties have played key roles in Krista Miller's steady professional ascent: her employer, Intermountain Electric of Salt Lake City and the National Association of Credit Management. Miller explained, "I wouldn't be here if it weren't for Intermountain Electric believing in me—seeing my potential and putting me in a position to have those opportunities. I also attribute my success so far to NACM."

Miller joined Intermountain Electric in 1998 as its receptionist. Her conscientious work ethic and her willingness to take on new responsibilities soon caught the attention of management, and Miller was promoted to the credit manager position where she now oversees all aspects of accounts receivables and accounts payable. Since 2003, Miller has been active in the NACM Business Credit Services affiliate, also located in Salt Lake City, where she contributes a great deal of her time to the Intermountain Credit Education League.

Miller successfully earned her Credit Business Associate (CBA) designation earlier this year in March. From the beginning, she was a dedicated and energetic presence in the classroom. Susan Lujan, CCE, a member of the NACM-National Board of Directors and a well-regarded instructor, said, "Krista encourages dialogue and group activities to enhance the learning environment and shares part of her personal life as she goes. I don't think Krista ever set out to be an example to others. I believe her behavior is pure and true to meet her own minimum expectations of herself and, along the way, others took notice."

The NACM-National Honors and Awards Committee bases its awards on a scoring system that rates nominees in nearly 50 areas of professional life, including their participation in NACM activities on the local and national levels, service on local and national industry credit groups, educational attainment in the credit field, continuing education participation, professional accomplishments and dedication to the profession.

The National Association of Credit Management warmly congratulates Ms. Miller on her receipt of this distinguished award.

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