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## Global Finance Names The World's Best Private Banks 2018

NEW YORK, October 25, 2017 — *Global Finance* magazine has announced its third annual World's Best Private Banks Awards for 2018. A full report on the selections will appear in the December issue of *Global Finance*, and winners will be honored at an Awards Dinner at the Harvard Club of New York City on February 7, 2018.

*Global Finance's* editorial board selected the winners making use of entry submissions, market research, input from industry analysts and executives, and other users of private banking services.

"Private banking is back on the right track, with rising assets and shrinking costs. But with wealth creation shifting from the West to Asia, and tax havens under continued attack, it needs a new long-term *raison d'être*. Our global group of winners are finding some answers," said Joseph D. Giarraputo, publisher and editorial director of *Global Finance*.

The full list of *Global Finance's* World's Best Private Banks 2018 can be found on the following pages.

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### About *Global Finance*

*Global Finance*, founded in 1987, has a circulation of 50,050 and readers in 191 countries. *Global Finance's* audience includes senior corporate and financial officers responsible for making investment and strategic decisions at multinational companies and financial institutions. Its website — [GFMag.com](http://GFMag.com) — offers analysis and articles that are the heritage of 30 years of experience in international financial markets. *Global Finance* is headquartered in New York, with offices around the world. *Global Finance* regularly selects the top performers among banks and other providers of financial services. These awards have become a trusted standard of excellence for the global financial community.

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### Global Awards

Best Private Bank in the World	<b>UBS</b>
Best Boutique Private Bank in the World	<b>J. Safra Sarasin</b>
Most Innovative Private Bank in the World	<b>DBS Private Banking</b>
Best Private Bank for Social Responsibility	<b>J.P. Morgan Private Bank</b>
Best Private Bank for New Customer Segments	<b>China Merchants Bank</b>
Best Private Bank for Intergenerational Wealth Management	<b>BNY Mellon Wealth Management</b>
Best Private Bank for Digital Client Solutions	<b>KEB Hana Bank</b>
Best Private Bank for Islamic Services	<b>Maybank Islamic</b>
Best Private Bank for C-Suite Executives	<b>HSBC Private Banking</b>
Best Private Bank for Millennials	<b>Morgan Stanley</b>
Best Private Bank for Entrepreneurs	<b>Santander Private Banking</b>
Best Private Bank in Emerging Markets	<b>Itaú Private Bank</b>
Best Private Bank for Net Worth Under \$1 million	<b>Societe Generale</b>
Best Private Bank for Net Worth Between \$1 million and \$24.9 million	<b>RBC</b>
Best Private Bank for Net Worth of \$25 million or more	<b>Citi Private Bank</b>

### Regional Awards

Best Private Bank in North America	<b>Citi Private Bank</b>
Best Private Bank for Entrepreneurs in North America	<b>BMO Private Bank</b>
Best Private Bank in Western Europe	<b>BNP Paribas</b>
Best Private Bank for Entrepreneurs in Western Europe	<b>Societe Generale</b>
Best Private Bank in Asia-Pacific	<b>DBS Private Banking</b>
Best Private Bank for Entrepreneurs in Asia-Pacific	<b>Credit Suisse</b>
Best Private Bank in Central & Eastern Europe	<b>UniCredit</b>
Best Private Bank in Latin America	<b>BBVA</b>
Best Private Bank in The Caribbean	<b>Scotia Wealth Management</b>
Best Private Bank in The Middle East	<b>Emirates NBD</b>
Best Private Bank in Africa	<b>Standard Bank</b>

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COUNTRY AWARDS			
Albania	<b>Intesa Sanpaolo</b>	Denmark	<b>Nordea</b>
Andorra	<b>Crédit Andorrà</b>	Dominican Republic	<b>Citi Private Bank</b>
Argentina	<b>Banco Galicia</b>	Egypt	<b>Crédit Agricole</b>
Australia	<b>BT Private Wealth</b>	Finland	<b>SEB</b>
Austria	<b>Schoellerbank</b>	France	<b>BNP Paribas</b>
Azerbaijan	<b>PASHA Bank</b>	Georgia	<b>Bank of Georgia</b>
Bahamas	<b>RBC</b>	Germany	<b>Berenberg</b>
Bahrain	<b>Ahli United Bank</b>	Greece	<b>Eurobank Ergasias</b>
Barbados	<b>RBC</b>	Hong Kong	<b>Credit Suisse</b>
Belgium	<b>KBC Private Banking</b>	Hungary	<b>OTP Bank</b>
Belize	<b>Caye International Bank</b>	India	<b>IIFL Wealth &amp; Asset Management</b>
Bermuda	<b>Butterfield Bank</b>	Indonesia	<b>DBS Private Banking</b>
Brazil	<b>Itaú Private Bank</b>	Ireland	<b>Bank of Ireland</b>
British Virgin Islands	<b>Scotia Wealth Management</b>	Israel	<b>Bank Leumi</b>
Canada	<b>RBC</b>	Italy	<b>Intesa Sanpaolo</b>
Cayman Islands	<b>Butterfield Bank</b>	Jamaica	<b>National Commercial Bank</b>
Chile	<b>LarrainVial</b>	Japan	<b>Mitsubishi UFJ</b>
China	<b>China Merchants Bank</b>	Jordan	<b>Societe Generale</b>
Colombia	<b>Bancolombia</b>	Kenya	<b>Stanbic Bank Kenya</b>
Costa Rica	<b>Citi Private Bank</b>	Kuwait	<b>NBK</b>
Croatia	<b>UniCredit (Zagrebačka Banka)</b>	Lebanon	<b>Audi Private Bank</b>
Cyprus	<b>Bank Of Cyprus</b>	Liechtenstein	<b>LGT Bank</b>
Czech Republic	<b>Komerční banka</b>		

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### COUNTRY AWARDS CONTINUED

Luxembourg	<b>KBL European Private Bankers</b>	Russia	<b>Credit Suisse</b>
Malaysia	<b>Maybank Private Banking</b>	Saudi Arabia	<b>SABB</b>
Mauritius	<b>Bank One</b>	Singapore	<b>DBS Private Banking</b>
Mexico	<b>Citibanamex</b>	Slovakia	<b>Tatra banka</b>
Monaco	<b>CMB</b>	South Africa	<b>Investec</b>
Morocco	<b>Attijariwafa</b>	South Korea	<b>KB Kookmin Bank</b>
Netherlands	<b>ING</b>	Spain	<b>Banca March</b>
New Zealand	<b>NAB</b>	Sweden	<b>SEB</b>
Nigeria	<b>First Bank of Nigeria</b>	Switzerland	<b>Julius Baer</b>
Norway	<b>Nordea</b>	Taiwan	<b>Taipei Fubon Bank</b>
Oman	<b>Bank Muscat</b>	Thailand	<b>Siam Commercial Bank Private Banking</b>
Panama	<b>Towerbank</b>	Trinidad & Tobago	<b>Republic Bank</b>
Peru	<b>Banco de Crédito del Perú</b>	Turkey	<b>Akbank</b>
Philippines	<b>BDO Private Bank</b>	UAE	<b>Emirates NBD</b>
Poland	<b>Bank Pekao Private Banking</b>	United Kingdom	<b>Barclays</b>
Portugal	<b>Banco Santander Totta</b>	United States	<b>Northern Trust</b>
Puerto Rico	<b>Banco Popular</b>	Uruguay	<b>Santander Private Banking</b>
Qatar	<b>International Bank of Qatar</b>	U.S. Virgin Islands	<b>Banco Popular</b>
Romania	<b>Friedrich Wilhelm Raiffeisen Private Banking</b>		

### US REGIONAL AWARDS

Best Private Bank In The Northeast	<b>Bessemer Trust</b>
Best Private Bank In The Midwest	<b>Fifth Third Bank</b>
Best Private Bank In The Southwest	<b>Frost Bank</b>
Best Private Bank In The Mid-Atlantic	<b>PNC</b>
Best Private Bank In The West	<b>Bank Of The West</b>
Best Private Bank In The Southeast	<b>BB&amp;T</b>