

24 honored, 6 receive Entrepreneur of Year awards

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Twenty-four area business leaders were honored and six received awards Wednesday night during the 1990 Entrepreneur of the Year dinner held at the Institute of Texan Cultures.

About 400 attended the formal dinner sponsored by Ernst & Young, Inc. Magazine and Merrill Lynch.

The winners represented five categories: small business, manufacturing, construction/real estate, services and retail/wholesale.

The winners were: Troy Davis, president of Match Frame Compu-



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ter Graphics, small business category; Steve McGlothlin, president, and David Woody, vice president, of Texas Shredders Parts, manufacturing division; Jasmine Azima, president of Jasmine Engineering Inc., construction/real estate

class; Lionel Sosa, chairman of Sosa & Associates, services category; Brian Weiner, president of Periodical Management Group Inc., retail/wholesale classification.

Runners-up were: small busi-

ness, Carlos J. Silva of C.J.'s General Machine Works and Micheal Lepai and Leo Toussant, owners of New Opportunities and Ways in New Braunfels; manufacturing category, Doroteo Chavarria of Alamo Technology Inc. and Roy

Terracina of Sterling Foods Inc.

Other runners-up were: construction/real estate division, Cal C. Banker, chairman, and Barbara J. Banker, president, Banker Industries; Jill Wilson and Kay Schanzer, principals of Wilson-Schanzer Inc.; and James Barnette, president of Coastcon Corp. general contractors in Corpus Christi.

Other finalists include: services class, Dr. James V. Benedict, chief executive officer, Dr. Harry L. Smith, vice president, and Dr. James H. Raddin Jr., vice president of Biodynamic Research Corp.; and Michael Trevino, president and Pat Beecher, vice presi-

dent of Detail Masters Inc.; retail/wholesale grouping, Felix Stehling, chairman of Taco Cabana Inc. and Wynne Lou Ferguson, national sales director for Mary Kay Cosmetics.

"Once again the competition was extremely tough," said Rick Burr, director of the Entrepreneur of the Year program for Ernst & Young in San Antonio.

"We were very impressed with all the nominees (about 50) and the quality of companies here in San Antonio and South Texas. Selecting the finalists and award recipients was a difficult decision because they all had tremendous business and civic contributions."