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Diana Joseph/Barrington Strategic Wealth Management Group LLC Earns Five Star Wealth Manager Award for Second Year in a Row

CHICAGO, Oct. 31, 2011 -- Barrington Strategic Wealth Management Group LLC is pleased to announce that Diana Joseph, Chief Investment Officer, and the BSWMG team have earned the 2011 Five Star Wealth Manager Award for exceptional service and overall satisfaction, as published in the November issue of *Chicago* magazine. The recipients of the Award are an elite group, representing less than 2% of Chicago area wealth managers. This is the second consecutive year in which the firm received this award.

To identify the wealth managers who provide exceptional service and overall satisfaction, Five Star Professional surveyed approximately 1 in 4 high-net-worth households and more than 14,500 registered financial services professionals in the Chicago area. Participants in the survey were asked to evaluate wealth managers whom they know through personal experience and to evaluate them based upon nine criteria: customer service, integrity, knowledge/expertise, communication, value for fee charged, meeting of financial objectives, post-sale service, quality of recommendations and overall satisfaction. Each wealth manager was reviewed for regulatory actions, civil judicial actions and customer complaints, as reported by regulatory bodies. The list was reviewed by a panel of industry experts before it was finalized.

Says Diana, "We are gratified that our client-centric philosophy is appreciated and recognized by clients and peers. BSWMG has a talented, first-rate team of knowledgeable people focused on optimizing the client experience and investment results."

Barrington Strategic Wealth Management Group LLC is a boutique investment management firm located in Chicago, Illinois. For more information on our firm, visit www.bswmg.com. For more information on the FIVE STAR Award and the research/selection methodology, go to: www.fivestarpromotional.com/2011/wealth_managers_research_overview.php.

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