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40 Under 40 Recognizes Emerging Trailblazers

Arlington, VA - At a sold out event with more than 275 people in attendance, Leadership Arlington held its second annual 40 Under 40 at Army Navy Country Club on Friday, December 4, 2015 in partnership with Arlington Chamber of Commerce, Arlington Community Foundation, Arlington Economic Development and the *Sun Gazette*.



Leadership Arlington's 40 Under 40 event recognized 40 emerging leaders under the age of 40 who demonstrated impact personally and/or professionally through their exceptional leadership in the DC metropolitan region. This event was an opportunity to show support and invest in this next generation of trailblazers. <u>Click here</u> to view the list of honorees.

Bruce Potter, Regional Vice President for Northern Virginia Media Services, boasts 40 Under 40 as "one of the best events of the year." One of this year's nominees, Courtney Mesmer, Director of Meetings and Events for American Telemedicine Association, reflects a similar sentiment. Mesmer expressed being "humbled and honored to be part of [such] a very incredible group of individuals in the Arlington County area." With the visible glow of passion that has driven their lives thus far, this year's honorees celebrated one another as the audience radiated momentous support for both the honorees and the Arlington community.

Pictures from the event may be viewed on Leadership Arlington's Facebook page.

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