



Laurie Kahn Named By *Radio Ink* Among The Most Influential Women In Radio

*Annual List Recognizes Outstanding Achievements Of Women
Throughout The Radio Industry*

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PALM BEACH – June 11, 2008: Laurie Kahn, president, Media Staffing Network, has received the distinct honor of being named by *Radio Ink* magazine as one of The 50 Most Influential Women in Radio. Kahn stands proudly among a list of distinguished honorees, every one among radio's best-known and most-respected professionals.

Joe Howard, *Radio Ink* editor-in-chief commented, “We’re proud to honor Laurie Kahn’s contributions to radio. She is a wonderful advocate for the industry, and elevates radio with everything she does.”



Published annually and featured in the June 2, 2008, issue of *Radio Ink*, the Most Influential Women in Radio™ list recognizes women whose contributions to radio enrich, inspire, and elevate both the industry and the people around them. The list is compiled through a combination of industry nominations and input from *Radio Ink's* editors about the women who are making a positive difference in the radio business. Included are professionals from the corporate, radio station, and radio network ranks, and across many executive levels.

Says *Radio Ink Radio* Publisher and CEO B. Eric Rhoads, “Each year I am more impressed by the accomplished professionals featured on our Most Influential Women in Radio list. Every one exemplifies the best of radio. Their devotion and commitment to this industry serves as an example to us all.”

Now in its tenth year, *Radio Ink's* Most Influential Women in Radio list has grown over the years in length and importance as more women rise to prominent posts in the radio industry. In 2000 the list gave rise to a mentoring group formed for and by women in the industry interested in building a community and offering support and guidance to their radio peers.

Howard added, “We’re proud to honor this year’s Most Influential Women in Radio. As advocates for and fans of the radio industry, their contributions are unmatched.”

Radio Ink's 2008 List Of The Most Influential Women in Radio:

1. Judy Ellis, Chief Operating Officer, Citadel Communications
2. Mary Quass, Chief Executive Officer, NRG Media
3. Cathy Hughes, Chairperson, Radio One
4. Lisa Dollinger, Chief Communications Officer, Clear Channel Communications
5. Susan Karis, EVP/Operations Western Region, Clear Channel Radio
6. Erica Farber, President & Publisher, Radio & Records
7. Val Maki, VP/Radio Division, Emmis Communications.
8. Ginny Morris, President, Hubbard Radio
9. Weezie Kramer, Regional Vice President, Entercom Communications
10. Mary Beth Garber, President, Southern California Broadcasters Assoc.
11. Kim Guthrie, Regional Vice President, Cox Radio
12. Caroline Beasley, CFO, Beasley Broadcast Group
13. Lisa Sirotko-Sonnenklar, President McGavren Guild Radio
14. Sheila Kirby, President of Strategic Sales, Interep National Sales
15. Bonnie Press, President, Clear Channel Katz Advantage
16. Laura Hagan, President, Univision Radio National Sales
17. Heidi Raphael, VP/Corp Communications, Greater Media, Inc.
18. Alene Grevey, Regional Vice President, Clear Channel Radio
19. Linda Byrd Regional VP/Central and North Florida, Clear Channel Radio
20. Deborah Kane, Regional President Entercom Communications
21. Lynn Anderson, EVP/Training, Radio Advertising Bureau
22. Carol Logan, President, Forever Media
23. Cathy Csukas, COO, Jones MediaAmerica
24. Chesley Maddox Dorsey, COO, Access.1 Communications
25. Susan Novicki President, Morrison and Abraham Boston
26. Christine Travaglini, President ,Christal Radio
27. Susan Platt, VP/Radio Operations, National Association of Broadcasters
28. Amy Bolton, Vice President/General Manager-News/Talk, Jones Radio Networks
29. Valerie Geller, President, Geller Media International
30. Mary Hawley, President, Lotus Entravision Reps
31. Susan Patrick, EVP, Legend Communications
32. Susan Davenport Austin, VP/Strategic Planning & Treasurer, Sheridan Broadcasting
33. Ruth Presslaff, President, Presslaff Interactive.
34. Lois Wright, EVP, ICBC Broadcast Holdings
35. Kay Olin, President, Interep Local Focus
36. Michele Hohman, Los Angeles Market Manager, Univision Radio
37. Robin Bertolucci, Program Director, KFI-AM/Los Angeles
38. Julie Lane, SVP/General Sales Manager, Clear Channel Katz Advantage
39. Margaret Shiverick, President, MJI Interactive
40. Carol Hanley SVP/U.S. Media Sales, Arbitron

40. Kerry McFeetors, SVP/General Sales Manager, Katz Radio Group (tie)
41. Laurie Kahn, CEO, Media Staffing Network
42. Jana Cosgrove, President, CBS Radio Sales
43. Nancy Kahn, VP/Director of Sales, ABC Radio Sales
44. Julie Kahn, Boston Market Manager, Entercom Communications
45. Rosemary Scott, Corporate Research & Communications Dir., BMP Radio
46. Wendy Jones-Hayes, VP/Director of Sales, Katz Radio Group
47. Gerryann Agovino, VP/National Sales, Entercom Communications
48. Julia Atherton, EVP, Reach Media
48. Jessica Sherman, VP of Affiliate Sales, Jones Radio Network (tie)
49. Angie Balderas, VP National Sales, Bustos Media
50. Lois Ann Chooljian, VP/Associate Publisher, Radio Ink
50. Deborah Parenti, VP/GM, Radio Ink (tie)

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