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OPES ADVISORS' SUSAN MCHAN RECOGNIZED IN THE TOP 100 MOST INFLUENTIAL MORTGAGE EXECUTIVES IN AMERICA

PALO ALTO, CA – February 3, 2014 – Opes Advisors, an innovative mortgage banking and wealth management firm, is pleased to announce that Susan McHan, our CEO and President, Mortgage Bank has been recognized in *Mortgage Executive Magazine's* "Top 100 Most Influential Mortgage Executives in America" for 2013.

"I am honored to be recognized by *Mortgage Executive Magazine* and chosen among this prestigious group of Mortgage Executives," said McHan. "I am energized to continue leading Opes into our future -- a future that will involve innovating the customer experience as well as furthering the careers and the value of our mortgage professionals." Regulatory changes along with economic and demographic changes continue to reshape the mortgage industry and create new customer needs. Susan has responded by investing in the capabilities of Mortgage Advisors through continuing education and new technology. She is dedicated to helping clients make effective financial decisions and to building a culture of excellence for our Mortgage Advisors. She believes it matters for high achieving people to have the opportunity of working for a firm that provides them with the advanced credential opportunities to enhance their expertise for their clients, but also for their own lives.

Susan is the co-founder of Opes Advisors and has successfully led Opes for the past 10 years, growing it to become the 26th largest Mortgage Bank in America. As the economy continues to find its footings, Susan sees significant opportunity for Opes to help all homeowners make smart mortgage financing decisions that not only work for them today, but have a positive impact for their future as well.

About Opes Advisors

Opes Advisors is an innovative mortgage banking and wealth management firm dedicated to helping clients make effective choices that support their financial goals. As a leading, full-service mortgage bank, we offer a wide range of competitively-priced mortgage programs

designed to meet the diverse needs of today's home buyers and real estate investors. Wealth management clients work with our integrated team of Advisors and receive comprehensive financial planning, investment management, real estate investment advisory services and expertise in real estate financing. Opes Advisors has offices throughout California as well as Eugene, Oregon. Learn more at www.opesadvisors.com.

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