



**Title:** 40 Real Estate Finance Professionals Graduate from Future Leaders Program  
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Chicago, IL (October 25, 2006) - The Mortgage Bankers Association (MBA) today recognized 40 mortgage professionals in a graduation ceremony held at MBA's 93rd Annual Convention & Expo in Chicago.

MBA's Future Leaders Program, in its 11th year, is dedicated to identifying and cultivating the next generation of industry leaders by delivering a comprehensive leadership training experience for selected participants through three events offered throughout the year. Each new class will join a national network of more than 350 real estate finance professionals who have been acclaimed by the industry as its next generation of leaders.

'This accomplished group of individuals has demonstrated a commitment to a career in real estate finance through professional excellence and achievement,' said new MBA Chairman John M. Robbins, CMB. 'I look forward to working with this committed group of industry leaders in the coming year and into the future.'

Initiated in 1996 by then-MBA President Ron J. McCord, CMB, the Future Leaders Program delivers a highly regarded curriculum focusing on leadership and business analysis skills that help candidates advance their careers in real estate finance.

For more information about the Future Leaders Program, visit:

<http://www.mortgagebankers.org/ProfessionalDevelopment/FutureLeadersProgram>

### **Mortgage Bankers Association Future Leaders, October 2006**

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**The Mortgage Bankers Association (MBA) is the national association representing the real estate finance industry, an industry that employs more than 280,000 people in virtually every community in the country. Headquartered in Washington, D.C., the association works to ensure the continued strength of the nation's residential and commercial real estate markets; to expand homeownership and extend access to affordable housing to all Americans. MBA promotes fair and ethical lending practices and fosters professional excellence among real estate finance employees through a wide range of educational programs and a variety of publications. Its membership of over 2,200 companies includes all elements of real estate finance: mortgage companies, mortgage brokers, commercial banks, thrifts, Wall Street conduits, life insurance companies and others in the mortgage lending field. For additional information, visit MBA's Web site: [www.mortgagebankers.org](http://www.mortgagebankers.org).**

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