

WINDSOR-ESSEX REGIONAL Chamber of Commerce

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Windsor, ON – The recipients of the **23rd Annual Business Excellence Awards** presented by the Windsor-Essex Regional Chamber of Commerce and *The Windsor Star* were announced at the Ciociaro Club on Wednesday night. The Business Excellence Awards recognizes the integrity, creativity, and dedication that helps a business succeed despite challenging times.

2013 Business Excellence Award Recipients

Small Company of the Year– **The Job Shoppe Inc.**

Rising Star of the Year – **Fabio Costante**

Start Up of the Year – **Sweetheart Baby Boutique**

Professional of the Year – **Mary Brannagan**

Tourism & Hospitality – **Kingsville Golf & Country Club**

Innovation Award – **Windsor Cardiac Centre**

International Business Award – **JemD Farms**

Large Company of the Year – **Tepperman's**

Entrepreneur of the Year – **Kim Lewis**

ATHENA Award – **Dr. Michelle Prince**

Believe Windsor Essex Award – **Jim Scott, Ground Effects Ltd.**

Congratulations to all finalists and award winners.

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