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ACHE Higher Education Network Participants to Receive Awards

CHICAGO, February 3, 2009—Army-Baylor University, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, and Trinity University, San Antonio, are the recipients of the American College of Healthcare Executives 2009 Higher Education Network Awards.

The Higher Education Network participants will receive their awards on Wednesday, March 25, 2009, at the Leon I. Gintzig Commemorative Lecture and Luncheon during ACHE's 52nd Congress on Healthcare Leadership in Chicago. ACHE established the awards to recognize those Higher Education Network participants whose programs have demonstrated a commitment to advancement in ACHE.

The 2009 winners are:

- **Graduate program with the highest *number* of graduates who advanced to Member, Fellow over a one-year period**

Army-Baylor University, Fort Sam Houston, Texas

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- **Graduate program with the highest *percentage* of graduates who advanced to Member, Fellow over a one-year period**

Trinity University, San Antonio

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The American College of Healthcare Executives is an international professional society of more than 30,000 healthcare executives who lead hospitals, healthcare systems and other healthcare organizations. ACHE is known for its prestigious credentialing and educational programs and its annual Congress on Healthcare Leadership, which draws more than 4,500 participants each year. ACHE's established network of more than 80 chapters provides access to networking, education and career development at the local level. In addition, ACHE is known for its magazine, *Healthcare Executive*, and its journals, the *Journal of Healthcare Management* and *Frontiers of Health Services Management*, as well as groundbreaking research and career development and public policy programs. ACHE's publishing division, Health Administration Press, is one of the largest publishers of books and journals on all aspects of health services management in addition to textbooks for use in college and university courses. Through such efforts, ACHE works toward its goal of being the premier professional society for healthcare leaders by providing exceptional value to its members.

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