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18th Annual Raj Manek Memorial Banquet

Thanks to all those who were able to make it out and feel inspired from our keynote speaker, **Sean O'Dea**, Serial Entrepreneur, Second Cup, Samaritan Air and Proshred Security. We enjoyed a delicious Indian feast as **Mayor Donald Atchison** and **Wayne Brownlee**, Executive Vice President & CFO of Potash Corp, shared their motivational messages. We recognized the valuable contribution of our many mentors, celebrated the many accomplishments of our protégés at their display booths, and honoured our 2014 Raj Manek Above & Beyond award recipient, **Ken Achs**, President and CEO of the Mid-West Group of Companies. We concluded with an overview of the new evolving projects our Raj Manek Mentorship Program team is working on to provide more value to our participants.

Featured Keynote Speaker this year:

Sean O'Dea

"Charge more, provide more, differentiate - it worked!"



Congratulations to Ken Achs, our 2014 Raj Manek Above and Beyond Award winner.

Ken is the President and CEO of the Mid-West Group of Companies, with business interests in western Canada and western U.S. Ken is a self-starter who learned valuable lessons along the way. He has willingly shared his vast knowledge and insight with those he's worked with, those he's worked for, and those who have worked under him. Over that time he's become a business titan in Saskatoon, earning the respect and appreciation of those around him.

Despite being one to shy away from the limelight, Ken has been a deserving recipient of a number of prestigious honours and awards.

Ken appreciates what has been described as the "New Saskatchewan" for many reasons. Topping his list of reasons though, is the way in which entrepreneurship is now embraced in his home province. As a leader, peer, mentor and colleague, Ken Achs has played a significant role in that transformation. Indeed his many architectural and historic projects will no doubt leave a legacy, but perhaps with time, an even greater impact will prove to be Ken Achs' contribution as a mentor and leader to countless entrepreneurs in the creation of the New Saskatchewan.