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Chef of the Year

The United States Personal Chef Association has announced the winner of this year's Personal Chef of the Year as Wendy Cochran, owner and operator of Chef C's Personal Chef Service in Tucson. The award was presented during the 2008 USA national conference for personal chefs in Tucson.

Energy Efficiency

Confidson Solutions, one of America's leading energy service providers, announced that its wholly owned subsidiary, Custom Energy Services, has been granted an award as an Energy Performance Contractor for the State of Arizona. As a state-accredited energy services company, the firm is entitled to participate in Arizona's Energy Performance Contracting program, which allows public entities such as grade schools and universities to use funds saved on energy bills to update energy infrastructure and to improve the working and learning environments in their facilities.

Moran Renovation

Moran Architects is pleased to announce that the firm received LEED Tenant Improvement - Silver Certification for its headquarters in downtown Scottsdale. Moran Architects' new studio renovation was designed with sustainable strategies at the foundation of the concept. Low-emitting materials and energy-efficient lighting are found throughout the new suite, with particular attention on material selection incorporating rapidly renewable bamboo and cork, as well as recycled tack boards and floor coverings.



Best Fine Art Gallery of issue: Elberton Gallery last nine years. The annual which includes museums, considered to be one of the institutions.



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