

Diabetes Research Institute's 30th Annual Empire Ball

On December 11, 2013, the New York Real Estate Division of the Diabetes Research Institute held their 30th Annual Empire Ball. Approximately 900 guests were on hand to congratulate this year's honorees: Distinguished Service Award recipient Joseph "Dee" Dussich, CEO and President of JAD Corporation of America, Camillo Ricordi Humanitarian Award recipient Jay Badame, President and COO of NY/NJ/PA Tishman Construction, an AECOM Company and Leadership Award recipient Andrew Cooke, Vice President of Property Management of Hines and Morgan Stanley. This event raised over \$1.25 million dollars!



Peter L. DiCapua, Joseph "Dee" Dussich, Cushman & Wakefield's Frank A. Freda.



Camillo Ricordi Humanitarian Honoree Jay Badame, Distinguished Service Honoree Joseph "Dee" Dussich, Leadership Honoree Andrew Cooke.



Peter DiCapua, Andrew Cooke, Dr. Ricordi, Jay Badame, Joseph "Dee" Dussich, Charlie Rizzo.



Peter DiCapua and Lucy Carter.



Amy Piccinich, Joseph "Dee" and Jennifer Dussich, and Roseanne and Edward V. Piccinich.



Vice Chair Person Al Amore, Andrew Cooke, Peter L. DiCapua.



Dr. Camillo Ricordi, Richard Wood of Plaza Construction, Honoree Jay Badame and Founder and Chairman, Peter L. DiCapua.



Peter DiCapua, Doug Donaldson, Bonnie Inserra & Steve Rizzo.



Mabel Cataldo, Barbara Iannucci, Peter Gerazounis, Jennifer Carey and Cindy Boyea.



Peter DiCapua and Charlie Rizzo.



Melissa Urena, Debra Cole, Michele Medaglia, Lisa Dupuy, Theresa Fleming and Veronica Mirenda.