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Jill Nelson, CEO of Ruby Receptionists, Honored as 2010 Orchid Award Winner

Portland, OR. April 8, 2010 – The Portland Business Journal selected Ruby Receptionists' founder and CEO Jill Nelson as a [2010 Orchid Award Winner](#) for her service as a female business leader who is deeply involved in the community. Ms. Nelson is one of only 25 Orchid Award 2010 winners, chosen from a pool of more than 250 nominees. "I'm extremely grateful and honored by this award," remarked Ms. Nelson.

Ruby Receptionists has proudly sat near the top of the Portland Business Journal's "Fastest Growing Private 100" list for an impressive two years. The Oregon Business Journal recently honored Ruby—which Ms. Nelson founded in '03 to provide the business world with a team of friendly and professional receptionists—as one of "Oregon's 100 Best Companies to Work For," as well as one of the "100 Best Green Companies in Oregon."

Ms. Nelson has been a member of Entrepreneur's Organization (EO) since 2006, providing the Portland chapter with her leadership experience as a board member for going on two years. And if that wasn't enough, Ms. Nelson is integrally involved in EO Accelerator, wherein she mentors founders of smaller entrepreneurial organizations (under \$1 M in revenue) as they seek to learn how to grow their businesses.

Numerous professionals nominated Ms. Nelson, recognizing her outstanding leadership talent as well as her tireless enthusiasm for business processes and the fostering of the entrepreneurial dream. "Business is my passion. Strategic planning for results, putting processes in place, creating dashboards to mindfully monitor progress, and watching the team be successful – it's irresistible," says Ms. Nelson.

Ruby Receptionists is a Portland, Ore.-based company offering innovative remote receptionist support to clients across the nation. Founded by Jill Nelson in 2003, Ruby strives to provide the highest quality offsite receptionist service available today by using intelligent technology, employing smart, friendly individuals and ensuring strong, good-natured ethics are consistently at the heart of Ruby's everyday business. For more information about Ruby Receptionists, visit www.callruby.com.