* Nominee name  - Jacob Miller
* Current position – General Manager
* Company/organization – Port of Des Moines llc
* Company phone number – 515-330-1517
* Company office address – 1701 S. Union St. Des Moines, IA 50315
* Operations address – Riverwalk HUB at 215 Water St. and Greater Dsm Botanical Center
* Email address – [jake.miller@port-of-desmoines.com](mailto:jake.miller@port-of-desmoines.com) or jvmiller64@gmail.com
* Age (as of 3/30/16) - 33
* Birthdate (required) – 01/16/1983
* College(s) attended and degree(s) earned
  + Iowa State University – B.S. Double Major in Marketing & Management
  + Drake University – Masters of Business Administration
* Family (spouse, children) – Melissa Miller
* Business accomplishments –
* Jake has quickly become a leader in the Des Moines Food scene booking, executing and managing the finances of a dynamic Food Catering and Management Company that has quickly grown sales and quality under his leadership.
* Jake works with most of the major Corporate, Arts and Social entertainers and event planners of the region to name a few Rassmusen Group, Kemin Industries, Bankers Trust, the CVB Greater DM Partnership, MPO, DM Opera and DM Performing Arts and Young Professionals Connection.
* Civic leadership (board involvement in community, state or national organizations) – too busy at moment but he would like to in the future.
* Achievements, awards and special recognitions- Jake was selected to visit the Spanish National Tapas competition in Valladolid Spain and our French Sister City Loire Valley Chefs Association.
* Nominated by – Michael R. LaValle
* Company – Des Moines Embassy Club, Port of Des Moines dba Trellis Catering, Riverwalk HUB, J.A. White Riverboat, Centro Restaurant and Gateway Market.
* Title – President
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