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Rhona E. Vogel honored by Marquette University's Alumni Association as the 2014 Alumna of the Year

MILWAUKEE – Rhona E. Vogel, CEO of Vogel Consulting Group, will be honored as the All-University 2014 Alumna of the Year from Marquette University and the Marquette University Alumni Association in a ceremony on Saturday, April 26. Vogel earned a degree from Marquette University's College of Business Administration in 1976 and is now the CEO of Vogel Consulting Group.

Vogel, who was one of just a handful of female accounting students in her class, now advises high net worth families, providing expert investment, tax, estate planning and business consulting advice. She is a member of Marquette's Board of Trustees, as well as a member of the College of Business Administration's alumni leadership board.

After interning with the Internal Revenue Service as a student, Vogel went to Arthur Andersen, where she became one of the firm's first female tax partners in 1987. She later saw an unfulfilled need in the industry, which is when she decided to found her own business in 1993, offering integrated family office services.

"Many of our families have deep philanthropic commitments, they have real visions of making the world a better place and really wanting to accomplish particular goals and objectives, both from a business standpoint and from a philanthropic standpoint," she says. "It's exciting, it's interesting, it's challenging to be a part of that process."

The All-University Alumni Awards ceremony is part of Marquette University's Alumni Awards weekend, April 25-27, during which each college recognizes the contributions of its alumni and presents awards to those demonstrating exceptional achievement. For more information, visit <http://www.marquette.edu/alumni/awards/>.

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