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## Corridor's Most Influential 2016

(Ranked by number of votes by CBJ readers)

RANK	Name	Organization/Business	Home/Residence	Education	Family	Hometown	Age
1	Nancy Kasperek	U.S. Bank Regional President (319) 368-4815 www.usbank.com	Cedar Rapids	Attended University of Northern Iowa	Husband, Joel; five children	Tinley Park, Illinois	50
2	Ron Corbett	City of Cedar Rapids Mayor (319) 213-8891 www.cedar-rapids.org	Cedar Rapids	Bachelor's - Cornell College	Five children	Erie, Pennsylvania	56
3	Eric Engelmann	NewBoCo Executive Director (319) 382-5128 newbo.co	Cedar Rapids	Bachelor's - University of Iowa	Wife, Amy; two children	Davenport	41
4	Jeff Pomeranz	City of Cedar Rapids City Manager (319) 213-8891 www.cedar-rapids.org	Cedar Rapids	Bachelor's - Rochester Institute of Technology Master's - University of Alabama Harvard University Senior Executive Program	Wife, Nancy; two children	Long Island, New York	58
5	Duane Smith	TrueNorth Companies LLC President (319) 364-5193 www.truenorthcompanies.com	Cedar Rapids	Bachelor's - University of Northern Iowa	Wife, Laura; two children	Lamont	58
6	J. Bruce Harreld	University of Iowa President (319) 356-1869 www.uiowa.edu	Iowa City	Bachelor's - Purdue University MBA - Harvard Business School	Wife, Mary; four children	Gallipolis, Ohio	66
7	Jack Evans	Hall-Perrine Foundation President & CEO (319) 362-9079 www.hallperrine.org	Cedar Rapids	Bachelor's - Coe College Master's - University of Iowa	Wife, Nancy; three children	Early	68
	Mark Nolte	Iowa City Area Development Group President (319) 354-3939 www.iowacityareadevelopment.com	Iowa City	Bachelor's - University of Iowa Master's - New England College	Wife, Leslie; five children	Sheffield	41
9	Tom Pientok	Apache Inc. President & CEO (319) 365-0471 www.apache-inc.com	--	Bachelor's - Coe College MBA - University of Iowa	Wife, Christine; three children	Whitehall, Wisconsin	53
10	John Smith	CRST International Inc. Chairman (800) 736-2778 www.crst.com	Cedar Rapids	Bachelor's - Cornell College Master's - Cornell University	Wife, Dyan; three children	Cedar Rapids	68
	Kelly Ortberg	Rockwell Collins Chairman, President and CEO (319) 263-7460 www.rockwellcollins.com	Cedar Rapids	Bachelor's - University of Iowa	Wife, Valerie; two children	Dubuque	56
12	Leighton Smith	BergankDV Director of Client Service (319) 294-8000 www.bergankdv.com	North Liberty	Bachelor's - University of Chicago Master's - University of Iowa Juris Doctorate - University of Iowa	Wife, Sarah; three children	Holstein	35
	Kelly Hayworth	City of Coralville City Administrator www.coralville.org	Coralville	Bachelor's - University of Iowa Master's - University of Iowa	Wife, Nancy; one child	Des Moines	55
14	Doug Neumann	Cedar Rapids Metro Economic Alliance Interim President & CEO (319) 398-5317 www.cedarrapids.org	Cedar Rapids	Bachelor's - Northwestern University	Wife, Jennifer; two children	Random Lake, Wisconsin	47
	Lydia Brown	Ryan Companies US Inc. Director of Development (319) 731-2834 www.ryancompanies.com	Hiawatha	Bachelor's - Indiana University	Husband, Mike; three children	Evansville, Indiana	53
16	Steve Quigley	University of Iowa Community Credit Union SVP - Retail (319) 341-3075 www.uiccu.org	Iowa City	Bachelor's - University of Iowa MBA - Drake University	Wife, Pam; four children	Iowa City	60
17	Kirk Ferentz	University of Iowa Athletics Head Coach, football (319) 335-8943	Iowa City	Bachelor's - University of Connecticut	Wife, Mary; five children	Royal Oak, Michigan	61
	Tom Cilek	West Bank Senior Vice President (319) 358-5648 www.westbankstrong.com	Iowa City	Bachelor's - University of Iowa Juris Doctorate - University of Iowa	Wife, Mary; two children, three grandchildren	Iowa City	70
19	Michelle Bates	BluPrairie Founder & CEO (319) 389-8861 www.bluprairietech.com	Coralville	Bachelor's - University of Houston, Clear Lake	Partner, Ann Camblin; two children	Kalona	50
20	Lura McBride	Van Meter Inc. President & CEO (319) 368-2837 www.vanmeterinc.com	--	Bachelor's - University of Iowa	Husband, Ryan; four children	Cedar Rapids	44
	Melinda Pradarelli	MELD Founder & CEO (319) 621-8479 www.thinkmeld.com	Iowa City	Bachelor's - Iowa State University University of Iowa John Pappajohn Entrepreneurial Center FastTrac Program	Partner, Ellen Hallin; two children	Cedar Rapids	47
	Joshua Schamberger	Iowa City/Coralville Area Convention & Visitors Bureau President (319) 337-6492 www.iowacitycoralville.org	Coralville	Palomar College, San Diego	Wife, Jessica; two children	San Diego, California	43
	Kim Becicka	Kirkwood Community College Vice President Continuing Education and Training Services (319) 398-5525 www.kirkwood.edu	Ely, Iowa	Bachelor's - University of Iowa Master's - Iowa State University Doctorate - Iowa State University	Husband, Frank; two children	Tipton	55
24	Nate Kaeding	Iowa City Downtown District Pullman Bar and Diner Big Grove Brewery ICDD—Retail Development Director Founding Partner Founding Partner (319) 354-0863 nkaeding@gmail.com	Iowa City	MBA - University of Iowa	Wife, Sam; four children	Coralville	34
	Charlie Funk	MidWestOne Bank President & CEO (319) 356-5800 www.midwestone.com	Iowa City	Bachelor's - William Jewell College	Wife, Connie; three children	Lancaster, Missouri	62

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