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**Women from 11 Companies Graduate from
PATHBUILDERS INSIGNIASM Program**

High-potential women complete a four-month professional development program for entry-level professionals.

ATLANTA – Graduation for the 2007 Class of Pathbuilders InsigniaSM was held on March 25. InsigniaSM is a four-month professional development program designed for women in entry-level positions who are already recognized for positively impacting their organizations. Sponsoring companies view the program as a strategic investment in high-potential female talent, and women are selected by their organizations to participate in the program.

The program's final session and graduation took place at the Villa Christina with a keynote address from Helene Lollis, president of Pathbuilders, who discussed how women can proactively plan their careers by aligning their goals with their organization's goals.

"The Pathbuilders programs are well respected within my company, and just being a graduate of the program goes a long way in increasing my credibility," said Melissa Owens, HR business consultant at Southern Company. "By participating in Insignia, I not only get to meet women who are at the same career stage as I am, but I also get to interact and learn from experienced mentors."

Insignia is the first of four professional development programs designed by Pathbuilders to address each of the four stages of a woman's professional career. The four-month program combines educational seminars with role-model mentoring and network-building. The program's curriculum focuses on helping new professionals establish credibility, better understand how businesses work and build strong internal networks.

Insignia participants learn how to define priorities, manage crises and overcome obstacles. The program includes interactive activities, peer challenges and role modeling to broaden the participants' perspectives and sharpen their leadership skills. Participants also learn from experienced businesswomen who share best

practices for excelling within an organization.

Graduates of the Insignia program were sponsored by the following organizations:

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Gas South
Georgia Power, a Southern Company
ING Investment Management
Junior Achievement of Georgia
Metro Atlanta Chamber of Commerce
Mirant Corporation
RBC Centura
SolTech, Inc.
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About Pathbuilders Inc.

Pathbuilders partners with Fortune-ranked companies to create gender-diverse senior leadership teams that directly contribute to the bottom-line. Pathbuilders combines executive education and peer exchange with structured mentoring to develop high-impact female leaders who move their companies forward. The company offers formal mentoring programs and customized solutions to develop high-potential female talent at each of the four distinct phases of women's careers. Since 1995, Pathbuilders has worked with more than 300 organizations and has positively impacted the careers of nearly 2500 Atlanta-area women. For more information visit www.pathbuilders.com.

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