

FACES DaySpa Named as Finalist in

2005 STEVIE® AWARDS FOR WOMEN ENTREPRENEURS



2005 Finalist

Hilton Head Island, SC – FACES DaySpa was named a Finalist in the Best Overall Company of the Year-Service Businesses-up to 100 employees category in The 2005 (2nd annual) Stevie Awards for Women Entrepreneurs.

The Stevie Awards for Women Entrepreneurs, www.stevieawards.com/women, is an international awards competition recognizing the accomplishments of women executives and business owners. The awards are produced by the creators of the prestigious American Business Awards, hailed as “the business world’s own Oscars” by the New York Post (April 27, 2005).

More than 470 entries were submitted for consideration in over 40 categories, including Best Entrepreneur, Best Executive, Best Young Entrepreneur, Best New Product and Best Overall Company.

“The winners and Finalists in the 2005 Stevie Awards for Women Entrepreneurs comprise the most dynamic women in business today. These executives and entrepreneurs have accomplished innovative and extraordinary things while building their businesses and serving their communities,” said Michael Gallagher, president of The Stevie Awards. “We congratulate all of them on their achievement.”

The Stevie Awards for Women Entrepreneurs are governed by a Board of Distinguished Judges & Advisors that features many leading women entrepreneurs and figures in American business, including Carrie Fitzmaurice, publisher for Entrepreneur Media Inc.; Dr. Lisa Krinsky, chairman & president for SFBC International; and Dr. Betty Spence, president of The National Association for Female Executives.

About FACES DaySpa

Patricia Owen opened FACES DaySpa at the Village at Wexford in 1983 originally as a place to showcase Estee Lauder products as well as fashion and jewelry. She converted the business to a DaySpa in 1991. In 1991 she tripled the size of her original 1,100 square foot space and no longer sells Estee Lauder products but has developed her own FACES of Hilton Head line of skincare, cosmetics and bath products.

Over the years, FACES has been recognized with numerous awards and honors such as first place runner up for the 2005 South Carolina Small Business of the Year as well as the 1996 Hilton Head Island Small Business of the Year. In 2003, FACES was awarded the SpaWish Gold Symbol of Excellence and Salon Today Magazine has named FACES DaySpa one of the fastest growing salons and spas in the nation again this year for the fourth time. FACES DaySpa won “Best Day Spa, Best Massage and Best Manicure/Pedicure in the 2005 Island Packet Reader’s Choice awards.

FACES, which has 22 employees, is one of the largest day spas on the Carolina coast and one of the most comprehensive in the entire Southeast. It occupies a luxurious 3,000 square feet that includes six soundproof spa treatment rooms, a wet room with hydrotherapy tub, a steam room and locker room with sauna, a serene Relaxation Lounge and a chemical-free nail studio. In addition, FACES offers a full range of day spa services and packages for individuals or groups.

Learn more about FACES DaySpa at www.facesdayspa.com.

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