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Yvette Bohanan Named in 40 Under 40

One of Vesta's own is awarded for outstanding leadership in business and civic affairs.

Portland Oregon–August 9, 2002. Yvette Bohanan Vice President of Product Strategy for Vesta Corp., was named as one of the top 40 business people in Oregon under 40 by the Portland Business Journal at a reception Thursday evening.

The 40 under 40 Award recipients are chosen by a panel of community business leaders who review all applicants based on professional accomplishment, community involvement and professional recognition. Bohanan was chosen from over 200 applicants to appear on this year's list.

"This group of overachievers deserves to be recognized," says Craig Wessel, publisher of the Business Journal. "They will be the ones making a big impact on our community in the coming years."

Ms. Bohanan joined Vesta Corp. in January of 2002 as the Director of Risk Management and Product Development; she was recently promoted to Vice President of Product Strategy. Prior to joining Vesta, Ms. Bohanan was brand manager for Webridge, a provider of extranet solutions. Bohanan has launched five different start-up companies, including PaylinX, a payment and risk management product company, where she served as the Chief Technology Officer before the company was purchased by CyberSource, and as VP of Engineering after the purchase.

"We are proud of Yvette not just for the work she does at Vesta, but for the time she spends helping make our community a better place," says Doug Fieldhouse, President and CEO of Vesta Corp.

About Vesta Corporation

A leader in stored-value solutions, Vesta utilizes proprietary authentication and fraud screening measures in managing our clients' stored-value (prepaid) programs, and provides a secure, privacy assured, recharge solution to their end users. In 2001, Inc magazine ranked Vesta as the 22nd fastest growing privately owned company in America, and Deloitte and Touche ranked it as the 88th fastest growing tech company. Vesta's current clients include AT&T, Sprint, Citibank, MCI and Verizon. Vesta is located in Portland, Oregon, with headquarters in the historic U.S. Bank Building, where fiber optics technology shares space with brass, brick, and marble.

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