Justine Mannering, BDA Managing Director in New York, receiving her "40 Under 40" award. (PRLEAP.COM) BDA is pleased to announce that Justine Mannering, BDA Managing Director in New York, was named one of The M&A Advisor's 2013 "40 Under 40", for achieving significant success in the M&A industry while under the age of 40. Justine was chosen by an independent board of M&A professionals. She was selected for her professional and personal contributions to BDA, its clients, and the community.

Since joining BDA in 2011, Justine has advised on successful transactions across China, India, the US and Canada including:

the sale of The Crossbow Group's D&H Manufacturing Company to Celestica Inc the sale of ICICI Venture's clinical research company,
Radiant Research
, to Kinderhook Industries' portfolio company CRA the sale of
AgFeed USA
to TriOak Foods / Smithfield Foods / Murphy-Brown the proposed sale of
AgFeed's China operations
to Ningbo Tech-Bank Euan Rellie, Senior Managing Director of BDA, said: "Justine is playing a major role in building BDA's business, in the US and globally. She's become a significant fee generator for our firm, and a trusted advisor to our clients. We're proud that the industry continues to recognise Justine and our other bankers for their leadership".

Justine has experience on buy-side, sell-side, debt, restructurings and IPOs for private equity and corporate clients. She was previously in the Financial Sponsor Group at DC Advisory Partners / Close Brothers in London, where she worked from 2004-2011. Justine qualified as a Chartered Accountant (South Africa) with KPMG and is a CFA Charterholder. She is an Australian citizen, and graduated from Rhodes University in South Africa with a B Commerce in Accounting and Commercial Law.

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