

Bernie Howroyd Award at Founders' 22: David Lewis

TORRANCE, CA, February 23, 2022 - The ActOne Group is excited to announce the recipient of the 2021 Bernie Howroyd Award, ActOne Group's Chief of Staff, David Lewis! This prestigious award – named after the legacy and achievements of the pioneer, leader, and innovative visionary, Bernie Howroyd – was proudly awarded to David Lewis at Founders' Club 22 for his impactful solutions, tactful performance, and continued dedication to the ActOne Group family through times of adversity in 2021. Through more than 20 years of David Lewis' tenure with the ActOne Group, he has consistently increased our organizational success and led by example with innovation, collaboration, and commitment.

In the words of Brett Howroyd, President of AppleOne, "This year's Bernie Howroyd Award winner never hesitates to step up when needed and continues to reinvent and educate himself over and over again to make sure he is providing maximum value back to the organization." – Brett Howroyd, President, AppleOne

David Lewis' graceful and eloquent acceptance speech highlights exactly why he's our 2021 Bernie Howroyd Award recipient:

"It is a true honor to receive this coveted recognition. It carries so much meaning because it bears the name of such a great man in our shared history, Mr. Bernie Howroyd. Bernie meant a lot to me personally, and he touched the hearts of all of us in ways that live on in each of our lives today. Enjoying my work is made guilt-free by the continued support of my wife, Candace, and my children. I could neither lead nor task without each of you.

Over the years, the ActOne Group has become a family to me, and it's been exciting to watch us celebrate successes along the way. Perhaps the most exciting thing to witness is how we've all rallied in challenging times to innovate differently, collaborate collectively, and come together to support our employees, our teams, and our customers. Today, the ActOne Group is stronger because of and despite of adversity, and I'm proud to celebrate our accomplishments and achievements together.

Having the Howroyds' recognize me with this honor confirms my belief that the ActOne Group has always been family. Thank you to every member of the ActOne Group for impacting my work and allowing me to impact yours. In closing, I thank the Howroyd family; Janice Bryant Howroyd and Brett Howroyd, you've entrusted me with a position that requires that I continue to lead, grow, and deliver across all brands within our organization. Thank you for this – I'm excited for what our future holds!" – David Lewis, Chief of Staff, ActOne Group

David Lewis' fantastic work throughout his tenure as a part of the ActOne Group is only a single aspect of why he's our 2021 Bernie Howroyd Award recipient. By embodying all the ActOne Group's values and working closely with teams across the organization's companies, David has shown how important innovation, collaboration, and team support are for true success, together. Congratulations, David Lewis, and thank you for your phenomenal work and continued dedication. Together...We Win!

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