

## Signature Bank Chicago Secures 'Best Bank to Work For' Distinction for 6th Straight Year

(ROSEMONT, IL) – November 20, 2023— Signature Bank Chicago, a premier independently owned business bank, has been named one of the Best Banks to Work For in the U.S. for the 6th consecutive year by American Banker. In collaboration with Best Companies Group, American Banker identified banks that stand out in fostering positive and supportive workplaces for their employees.

Signature Bank clinched the No. 28 spot among the 90 banks featured on American Banker's 2023 Best Banks to Work For list. The evaluation process, designed to spotlight banks with exemplary cultures for employee well-being, considered workplace policies, practices, demographics, and employee surveys gauging experiences and attitudes. The 2023 Best Banks to Work For list is available at [www.americanbanker.com](http://www.americanbanker.com).

"Consistently ranking among the top banks to work for is a testament to the culture we set out to build when we launched Signature Bank Chicago," said Signature Bank Executive Vice President and co-founder Kevin Bastuga. "We are dedicated to delivering a superior relationship-based banking experience, which begins with a great employee experience."

Marietta Mullane, Senior Vice President, added, "Investing in our people and creating an environment that empowers employees to reach their full potential is also fueling our growth. Our team and values have propelled Signature Bank to become Chicagoland's fastest-growing independently owned business bank and contributed to consistent returns and earnings."

"The banks recognized on this list are trying hard to create workplaces that employees want to join," said Chana R. Schoenberger, Editor-in-Chief of American Banker. "Especially during this moment when companies are experiencing a shift in how, where, and how much employees work, banks are paying attention to how they can best retain their people."

The Best Banks to Work For selection process involved a two-step evaluation, with workplace policies, practices, and demographics accounting for 25% and employee surveys for 75% of the total score. To qualify, banks needed at least 50 U.S. employees and a minimum of one year in business. Best Companies Group managed the registration, survey process, and data analysis for the final ranking.

For more information on the Best Banks to Work For program, visit [www.BestBankstoWorkfor.com](http://www.BestBankstoWorkfor.com).

**About Signature Bank Chicago**

Signature Bank Chicago is an award-winning, relationship-based commercial bank wholly owned by Signature Bancorporation, Inc., a privately funded, locally owned bank holding company founded in 2006. Headquartered in Rosemont, IL, Signature Bank provides accessible, strategic, and highly individualized commercial banking services to closely held companies, as well as full-service retail banking capabilities. Technology-driven and well-capitalized, Signature Bank is currently the fastest-growing, independently-owned business bank in Chicagoland. Visit Signature Bank online at <http://www.signaturebank.bank>.

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