

Herman Integration Services



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## ***Inc.* Magazine Unveils 36th Annual List of America's Fastest-Growing Private Companies—the Inc. 5000**

**For the 2nd Consecutive Year, Herman Integration Services Appears on the Inc.  
5000 list,  
Ranking No. 2286**

**Tampa, August 31, 2017** – *Inc.* magazine ranked Herman Integration Services NO. 2286 on its 36th annual Inc. 5000, the most prestigious ranking of the nation's fastest-growing private companies. The list represents a unique look at the most successful companies within the American economy's most dynamic segment— its independent small and mid-sized businesses. Companies such as Microsoft, Dell, Domino's Pizza, Pandora, Timberland, LinkedIn, Yelp, Zillow, and many other well-known names gained their first national exposure as honorees of the Inc. 5000.

"It is such an honor to be recognized for the second consecutive year by *Inc.* magazine as a top 5000 company," said Chris Bianchet, President of Herman Integration Services. "Herman-IS is focused on its customers and driving the customer experience, and this award is proof that we are doing the right things. We are grateful to our clients for their continued support and look forward to helping them build their business."

The 2017 Inc. 5000, unveiled online at Inc.com and with the top 500 companies featured in the September issue of *Inc.* (available on newsstands August 16) is the most competitive crop in the list's history. The average company on the list achieved a mind-boggling three-year average growth of 481%. The Inc. 5000's aggregate revenue is \$206 billion, and the companies on the list collectively generated 619,500 jobs over the past three years. Complete results of the Inc. 5000, including company profiles and an interactive database that can be sorted by industry, region, and other criteria, can be found at [www.inc.com/inc5000](http://www.inc.com/inc5000).

"The Inc. 5000 is the most persuasive evidence I know that the American Dream is still alive," says Inc. President and Editor-In-Chief Eric Schurenberg. "The founders and CEOs of the Inc. 5000 tell us they think determination, risk taking, and vision were the keys to their success, and I believe them."

**About Herman Integration Services** (Herman-IS.com) was started in 2012 and is the leading provider of labor resources to the commercial and residential AV industry. We specialize in top quality technical integration services to AV Systems Integrators nationwide by providing trained and industry certified technicians, project managers, programmers, and engineers.

## **More about Inc. and the Inc. 5000**

### **Methodology**

The 2017 Inc. 5000 is ranked according to percentage revenue growth when comparing 2013 to 2016. To qualify, companies must have been founded and generating revenue by March 31, 2013. They had to be U.S.-based, privately held, for profit, and independent—not subsidiaries or divisions of other companies—as of December 31, 2016. (Since then, a number of companies on the list have gone public or been acquired.) The minimum revenue required for 2013 is \$100,000; the minimum for 2016 is \$2 million. As always, Inc. reserves the right to decline applicants for subjective reasons. Companies on the Inc. 500 are featured in Inc.'s September issue. They represent the top tier of the Inc. 5000, which can be found at <http://www.inc.com/inc5000>.

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