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The small cap rankings were done on the category level, rather than sector; similar to the midcap ranking, the top firm in each category is recognized as “Most Honored”.

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