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America's Best Midsize Employers 2018

The labor market may be at full employment, but more than [six million jobs](#) remain open, and employers have been pulling out all the stops to attract and retain workers. The impressive perks and hefty salaries often associated with large corporations may lead job seekers to believe that such organizations have a competitive edge, but there are plenty of midsize companies stepping up to win the talent war.

Forbes teamed up with market research company [Statista](#) to pinpoint the companies liked best by employees with our annual ranking of America's best employers. The ranking is divided into two lists: one for the [top large companies](#) with more than 5,000 U.S. employees, and another for the [top midsize companies](#) with 1,000 to 5,000.

To create the list, Statista surveyed 30,000 Americans working for businesses with at least 1,000 employees. All the surveys were anonymous, allowing participants to openly share their opinions.

The respondents were asked to rate, on a scale of zero to 10, how likely they'd be to recommend their employer to others. Statista then asked respondents to nominate organizations in industries outside their own. The final list ranks the 500 large and 500 midsize employers that received the most recommendations. To see full article and list for best midsize employers [click here](#)