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### **Axium Places on Business Journal's Top 100 Fastest-Growing Private Companies for Second Consecutive Year**

**Beaverton, Oregon – June 19, 2009** — Axium, a leading developer of accounting, project management and business development software for architectural and engineering (A/E) firms, is proud to announce that Axium placed on The Business Journal's 2009 Fastest Growing Private Companies list for the second year in a row. The Business Journal compiles the list of 100 private companies based on their revenue growth over a three-year period. Axium placed 53<sup>rd</sup> on the list, with 7.3 million in revenue and a 58% growth rate. The companies on the list achieved combined revenue of 2.5 billion dollars and added 2,008 jobs in Oregon over the last two years.

"It is exciting to be recognized as one of Oregon's fastest-growing private companies for the second year in a row," said Alan Mills, Axium Chief Operating Officer. "Axium continues to focus on what we do best; providing exceptional client service for our software solutions, giving us the ability to earn more clients and achieve 53rd place on the Top 100 list."

The growth rate of the Top 100 companies measures the revenue growth from 2006 to 2008. To be eligible, companies had to achieve a minimum of \$500,000 in annual revenue in 2006 and have shown revenue growth over the past three years. Each of the companies must also be located in Oregon or Clark County, Washington, and be a privately held, independent, for-profit corporation, proprietorship or partnership.

"We are honored to have employees that are so dedicated to our clients' success," said Cathy Mills, Axium Chief Sales and Marketing Officer. "Being recognized on the Top 100 is the direct result of our employees' commitment and hard work to ensure we meet or exceed our clients' expectations."

#### **About Axium**

At Axium ([www.axiumae.com](http://www.axiumae.com)) our number one priority is our clients' success. We are dedicated to developing innovative accounting, project management and business development software for the architectural and engineering (A/E) industry and providing exceptional service in every way. Our 25 years of experience in the A/E industry allows us to provide comprehensive, integrated solutions to manage your firm the same way you handle business — project by project. Axium moves beyond generic accounting products to provide a range of business management solutions to improve productivity, increase profitability, and empower your firm's success.