

**J.L. PATTERSON & ASSOCIATES RANKED AMONG
2007 BEST CIVIL ENGINEERING FIRMS TO WORK FOR**

JLP recognized for compensation and benefit programs, social atmosphere and professional opportunities

Orange, California – J.L. Patterson & Associates, Inc. (JLP), a transportation-engineering firm providing engineering design, construction management and staff augmentation to public and private sector clientele, was ranked 4th nationally on this year's list of "Best Civil Engineering Firms to Work For -- Small Firm Ranking," and ranked 11th among all civil engineering firms as reported by *CE News*. In the publication's seventh annual ranking, JLP's inclusion stemmed from its compensation and benefits package, recognition programs, social atmosphere and professional opportunities.

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