



COVER DESK RANKS NO. 317 ON THE 2022 *INC.* 5000 ANNUAL LIST OF FASTEST-GROWING COMPANIES IN AMERICA

AUSTIN, TX—Cover Desk is proud to announce its ranking in *Inc.* magazine’s annual 5000 fastest-growing private companies in America. With three-year revenue growth of 1,800 percent, Cover Desk ranks no. 317 on this year’s list. The list represents a one-of-a-kind look at the most successful companies within the economy’s most dynamic segment—its independent businesses. Facebook, Chobani, Under Armour, Microsoft, Patagonia, and many other well-known names gained their first national exposure as honorees on the *Inc.* 5000.

“We are thrilled to be among this prestigious group of impressive, innovative businesses,” says Cover Desk CEO Andy Priesman. “This award acknowledges the hard work, dedication and sacrifice that our talented team gives day in and day out. I am humbled and honored to share this recognition with our virtual assistants, corporate employees, clients, friends and partners across the globe.”

The companies on the 2022 *Inc.* 5000 have not only been successful, but have also demonstrated resilience amid supply chain woes, labor shortages and the ongoing impact of Covid-19. Among the top 500, the average median three-year revenue growth rate soared to 2,144 percent. Together, those companies added more than 68,394 jobs over the past three years.

From staffing to services, Cover Desk’s growth is multifaceted. Today, more than 800 employees are part of the Cover Desk team, serving insurance agents throughout the United States and Canada. With multiple offices in the Philippines—including a new state-of-the-art space that opened in summer 2022—and two new lines of business (claims and accounting), Cover Desk’s trajectory is strategic and significant for the insurance industry and virtual assistance solutions.

“We’ve been purposeful in propelling our mission forward,” adds Priesman. “And the growth we’ve experienced is just the beginning.”

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. The top 500 companies are featured in the September issue of *Inc.* magazine, which will be available August 23.

“The accomplishment of building one of the fastest-growing companies in the U.S., in light of recent economic roadblocks, cannot be overstated,” says Scott Omelianuk, editor-in-chief of *Inc.* “*Inc.* is thrilled to honor the companies that have established themselves through innovation, hard work and rising to the challenges of today.”

About Cover Desk

Founded in 2018 by insurance veteran Andy Priesman, Cover Desk is an innovative industry leader in virtual assistance solutions. With a team of over 800 highly educated virtual assistants based in the Philippines, Cover Desk brings personalized service and cutting-edge technology to independent insurance agents throughout the United States and Canada. Through Cover Desk's turnkey virtual capabilities, insurance professionals can focus on their core insurance business with the administrative support needed to grow and thrive. For more information, visit coverdesk.com.

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Methodology

Companies on the 2022 Inc. 5000 are ranked according to percentage revenue growth from 2018 to 2021. To qualify, companies must have been founded and generating revenue by March 31, 2018. They must be U.S.-based, privately held, for-profit, and independent—not subsidiaries or divisions of other companies—as of December 31, 2021. (Since then, some on the list may have gone public or been acquired.) The minimum revenue required for 2018 is \$100,000; the minimum for 2021 is \$2 million. As always, Inc. reserves the right to decline applicants for subjective reasons. Growth rates used to determine company rankings were calculated to four decimal places. The top 500 companies on the Inc. 5000 are featured in *Inc.* magazine's September issue. The entire Inc. 5000 can be found at <http://www.inc.com/inc5000>.

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