The Atlanta International Gift & Home Furnishings Market® Showrooms: January 12-19, 2016 Temporaries: January 14-18, 2016 AmericasMart'Atlanta The Atlanta International Area Rug Market® featuring the National Oriental Rug Show Showrooms: January 13-16, 2016

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# **MEDIA ALERT** 2016 AMERICA'S MAGNIFICENT CARPETS® AWARDS **APPLICATION NOW OPEN**

## WHAT

Rug manufacturers are invited to submit their top rug designs to be considered for the 2016 America's Magnificent Carpets® Awards, held during The Atlanta International Area Rug Market® featuring the National Oriental Rug Show.

Categories for consideration include:

- Hand Hooked/ Hand Tufted
- Hand knotted/ Flat Weave
- Machine Made
- Outdoor
- Licensee

#### WHO

AmericasMart® Atlanta

#### WHEN

Due Dates:

- December 28, 2015: Online Submission and Hang Tag Form Due
- December 31, 2015: All rugs must arrive at the MOI Gallery

America's Magnificent Carpets Awards will take place on Friday, January 15, 2016 at 6 p.m. at the Westin Peachtree Plaza.

The Atlanta International Area Rug Market® featuring the National Oriental Rug Show takes places Wednesday, January 13 - Saturday, January 16, 2016.

### WHERE

Online applications can be completed online at <a href="http://go.americasmart.com/2016\_amca">http://go.americasmart.com/2016\_amca</a>.

Any questions about the event should be directed to moigallery@americasmart.com or 404.220.2188.