

Brown Advisory Wins 2015 *Private Asset Management* Award for Best Private Wealth Manager (Over \$5 Billion)

Baltimore, MD – February 4, 2015 – Brown Advisory, an independent investment management firm serving a wide range of individual, family and institutional clients, announced today that the firm has received the 2015 award for Best Private Wealth Manager (Over \$5 Billion) from the publication *Private Asset Management*.

Brown Advisory's efforts to provide a combination of first-class performance, sound strategic advice and the highest level of client service were recognized by the PAM Awards Committee, ahead of five other highly qualified firms that were nominated in the same category.

This is the fourth consecutive year that Brown Advisory has earned a PAM Award, and the second consecutive year that the firm was recognized as the best private wealth manager in its category by the awards committee. In 2012 and 2013, the firm received the PAM Award for Best Private Wealth Manager—Performance (Over \$5 Billion).

Award recipients are evaluated by a panel of industry experts, who judge each applicant on key criteria including financial progress and stability, growth in the number of clients and employees, client satisfaction and industry innovation.

About Brown Advisory

Brown Advisory (www.brownadvisory.com) is an independent investment management firm with principal offices in Baltimore and Washington, D.C., as well as offices in Boston, New York, Wilmington, DE, Chapel Hill, NC and London. The firm's institutional and private clients are based in all 50 U.S. states and 34 countries and are served by over 425 full-time professionals worldwide, all of whom are equity owners of the firm.

About the PAM Awards

The PAM Awards are awarded annually by *Private Asset Management*, a financial services industry trade publication. The PAM Awards invites firms to compete for awards in several categories by providing answers regarding their business model, services offered, growth in client count and assets managed, countries of operation, service innovation and performance. In addition, The PAM Awards permits firms to provide additional information of their choosing in support of their candidacy. A panel of independent industry experts selects the nominees and winners based on a number of qualitative and quantitative performance indicators. The PAM Awards do not release statistics on the number of firms competing. Nomination or receipt of a PAM Award is not necessarily indicative of any particular client's experience or a guarantee that the firm will perform in the future as it did during the period evaluated by The PAM Awards.