

**Richard H. Driehaus**  
**Financial Executive of the Year**  
**2000-2001**

Richard H. Driehaus is the founder and, CEO and Chairman of Driehaus Capital Management, Inc. A lifelong resident of Chicago, Mr. Driehaus grew up on the south side of Chicago and attended the local Catholic high school. He continued his formative education at DePaul University where he received a B.S.C. and an M.B.A.

From 1968 through 1973, Mr. Driehaus developed research ideas for the Institutional Trading department at A.G. Becker. He became the youngest portfolio manager of A.G. Becker's own pension and profit sharing plan, and was ranked among the top 1% of the portfolio managers measured by the A.G. Becker Fund Evaluation Service. In 1973, he became a shareholder and Director of Research for the brokerage firm Mullaney, Wells & Co. In 1976, he became Director of Research and money manager for the Chicago and New York offices of Jesup & Lamont. He founded Driehaus Securities Corporation in 1980, followed by Driehaus Capital Management, Inc. in 1982.

The January 10, 2000 issue of Barron's named Richard Driehaus to its All Century Team of All-Stars as one of the mutual fund world's heaviest hitters.