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### Viking Awards July Designer of Distinction to Chris Housley

Greenwood, MS (August 3, 2015)— Viking Range, LLC, the leader in premium residential kitchen technology, has named Chris Housley as the July Designer of Distinction. Mr. Housley is owner and a Kitchen and Bath Designer at Housley Enterprises of Georgia based in Atlanta and is the seventh monthly winner in the 2015 Viking Kitchen Design Competition. Designers from around the United States are vying for the coveted honor to become the 2015 Viking Designer of the Year to be awarded in November.

Mr. Housley with over 30 years in the kitchen and bath industry serves as head designer and provides custom built fine cabinetry and professional appliances to his clients.

Each month prizes and recognitions are awarded to the winning designer in the 2015 Viking Kitchen Design Competition. The monthly winner receives the designation of Designer of Distinction and is featured on [vikingrange.com](http://vikingrange.com) and social media channels. The monthly winner also receives a Viking Professional 10 piece cookware set valued at over \$1,600.

The grand prize winner named as the 2015 Viking Kitchen Designer of the Year will be featured in a 2016 **Architectural Digest** ad and will receive a Viking Professional Range valued up to \$10,299. Entries by design professionals for the Viking Kitchen Design Competition are being accepted through October 31, 2015. Design professionals interested in entering the Viking Kitchen Design Competition can visit [www.vikingrange.com/designers](http://www.vikingrange.com/designers) to enter.

Viking Range, LLC originated ultra-premium commercial-type appliances for the home, creating a whole new category of home appliances. Committed to innovative product design, unrivaled performance and peerless quality, Viking is headquartered in Greenwood, Mississippi, and is a subsidiary of The Middleby Corporation, a long-time leader in commercial kitchen technology. Viking appliances are recognized globally as the foremost brand in the high-end appliance industry and are sold through a network of premium appliance distributors and dealers worldwide.

For additional product information, to locate a Viking dealer in your area, or to request a quote, please visit [www.vikingrange.com](http://www.vikingrange.com). VIKING is a registered trademark of Viking Range, LLC. Viking products are sold under the BRIGADE brand in Canada.