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# Tulsa's FAST 40



The graphic features a stylized city skyline in orange and teal colors. The skyline consists of several rectangular blocks of varying heights. The number '40' is prominently displayed in the center, with the '4' and '0' rendered in a teal color. The word 'Tulsa's' is written in a large, orange, sans-serif font, arching over the skyline. The word 'FAST' is written in a smaller, teal, sans-serif font, positioned between 'Tulsa's' and '40'. Below the skyline, there are two curved teal lines that sweep across the width of the graphic.

*Recognizing Tulsa's fastest-growing  
privately held companies*

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## Hampton Creative

At Hampton Creative, it's all about doing work that matters. "As a team, we all agree on our mission to do 'work that matters,'" said Johnie W. Hampton II, president and CEO of the full-service integrated advertising agency. "Key word here is not just the mission, but that we all AGREE on it. We all feel a mandate to serve that mission every day we cross the threshold at Hampton Creative. We have a larger purpose for being together, and that purpose transcends anything we could do as individuals – and it gets larger with every new team member we add."

The company's services include marketing strategy; branding and graphic design; website development; advertising - radio, television, Web, print, billboards; donor development; event planning; social media management; search engine optimization; promotions; as well as media and print buying.



[www.hamptoncreative.com](http://www.hamptoncreative.com)

**Revenue growth: 77.67%**

**No. of employees in 2013: 10**

**No. of employees in 2011: 6**

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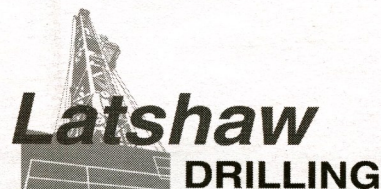
## Latshaw Drilling Co.

Since Trent Latshaw started his own oil and gas drilling company in 1981, Latshaw Drilling Co. has come a long way.

Latshaw, a native of Texas, launched his business in Houston but moved the company's headquarters to Tulsa in 1996 with the acquisition of Mathey-Leland International in Broken Arrow.

"In 2003, we had one drilling rig and 23 employees," Latshaw said. "We now have 40 rigs, 1,000 employees and have seven additional new rigs being built."

Latshaw Drilling operates in four states, including Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Kansas, and has offices in Tulsa, Stillwater and Midland, Texas. One of the largest privately owned drilling contractors in the U.S., Latshaw also has an oil-field heavy-haul trucking and crane subsidiary headquartered in Stillwater.



[www.latshawdrilling.com](http://www.latshawdrilling.com)

**Revenue growth: 72.39%**

**No. of employees in 2013: 876**

**No. of employees in 2011: 425**

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## Jackson Technical

Army veteran Tim Jackson worked several years as a programmer before founding Jackson Technical in 1999.

The Tulsa-based company provides computer consultation and Web development services as well as computer systems management and maintenance.

"What sets Jackson Technical apart and helps maintain steady growth is striving to have the most experienced and professional technicians and engineers," said Tim Jackson, founder and president of Jackson Technical.

"Our philosophy is simple: We pay our people well, so that we enlist and retain talent, and therefore can serve our clients well," he said. "We are thrilled to experience continued growth in such a competitive industry. Our goal is to maintain a superior level of customer service and we are excited to see what the future holds for the industry."



[www.jacksontechnical.com](http://www.jacksontechnical.com)

**Revenue growth: 72.07%**

**No. of employees in 2013: 12**

**No. of employees in 2011: 10**