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Bank Analyst Named Outstanding Executive



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Recipient of the Lindley S. Crowder award, presented once a year to the outstanding credit executive of the United States and Canada, at the annual convention of the International Consumer Credit Association in Chicago was Murl Gallagher, savings analyst for Rio Grande Valley Bank.

This is the first time an Albuquerque person has won the honor, although there have been other nominations.

Ms. Gallagher was recognized for her 30 years of service to the International Consumer Credit

Association and to Credit Women's International, the women's branch of ICCA.

An additional consideration was her countless hours of service in furthering credit education — her help in organizing the Consumer Credit Counseling Service in Albuquerque, efforts in raising money for University of New Mexico scholarships and conducting seminars for retail and medical personnel in credit and collections.

She assisted in organizing CWI Clubs in Belen, Grants, Carlsbad and Farmington

and last October received the Chapin S. Carnes award from the local chapter of ICCA as the outstanding credit executive for Albuquerque for 1977.

Ms. Gallagher has served continually on the boards of Consumer Credit Counseling Service, Albuquerque Consumer Credit Association and Credit Women International. Prior to her retirement, for 16 years she was branch manager of Security Federal Savings and Loan Association. She gave up retirement to take her present position.

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