


NATIONAL RECOGNITION

	2019 "Top 100 Places to Live in the U.S."
	2019 "25 th Best Small Place for Business and Careers in the U.S."
	2019 "The South's Best Retirement Town"
	2019 "5 th Best City for Economic Growth Potential in the U.S."
	2018 "The South's 2 nd Best College Town"
	2018 "10 th Best Performing City for Economic Growth in the U.S."
	2018 "Top 100 Best Places to Live in the U.S."
	2017 "16 th Best City for Job Creation in the U.S."
	2017 "2 nd Best Zip Code to Live in Alabama"
	2016 "10 th Best Small City for Jobs in the U.S."
	2016 "Top Place to Retire in the U.S."
	2016 "Top 25 Cities People are Moving to."
	2016 "6 th Best Metro for Attracting Business in the U.S."
	2016 "45 th Best College Town/32 nd Best Small College Town in the U.S."
	2015 "9 th Best Small Place for Business and Careers in the U.S."
	2015 "7 th Best Small City for Jobs in the U.S."
	2015 "One of the 100 Most Educated Cities in the U.S."
	2015 "3 rd Best Town to Raise a Family in Alabama"
	2014 "4 th Smartest City in the U.S. and Smartest City in Alabama"
	2014 "10 th Best Small Place for Business and Careers in the U.S."
	2014 "Top 25 City for Retirement in the U.S."
	2014 "Best City in Alabama"
	2013 "Smartest City in Alabama and 44 th Smartest City in the U.S."
	2013 "18 th Best Small Place for Business and Careers in the U.S."
	2013 "22 nd Best County for Job Growth in the U.S."
	2013 "10 th Best Small City for Jobs in the U.S."
	2012 "17 th Best Small Place for Business and Careers in the U.S."