## Magnum Research Gunsmith Brett Pikula Inducted into The Shootists.org Membership

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Pillager, MN: Magnum Research, Inc. is proud to announce that master gunsmith Brett Pikula has been inducted into The Shootists.org membership. The Shootists.org is a prestigious organization of the world's most accomplished shooters and gunsmiths. Pikula has been at Magnum Research for 22 years. He is well known in the shooting community for his expert custom work on BFRs (Biggest Finest Revolver). He has a reputation for meticulous attention to detail, and his ability to make even the most complex repairs. He is also featured in many company videos discussing the BFR, and its unrivaled quality. Brett currently serves as the Shop Supervisor at Magnum Research. "I am humbled to be inducted into The Shootists.org," said Pikula. "This is a great honor and I am grateful for the recognition."

The Shootists.org is a non-profit organization dedicated to promoting the sport of shooting and the art of gunsmithing. The organization's membership is limited to those who have demonstrated exceptional skill and knowledge in the field of shooting. "We are honored to have Brett Pikula as a member of The Shootists.org," said Joby Goerges, Magnum Research Director of Manufacturing and Engineering. "He is a true craftsman and his work is second to none." https://shootists.org/Default.htm

# The Magnum Story

Magnum Research was founded in 1979, focused on bringing the world's finest hunting handguns to market, beginning with the famous Desert Eagle pistol. The Desert Eagle was the first commercially successful autoloader chambered in a magnum cartridge, and the only one to remain in continuous production. Offered in .44 Magnum, .357 Magnum, .50 AE, and .429 DE, the Desert Eagle is a cultural icon appearing in countless movies, television shows, and video games. Magnum Research followed it with the Biggest Finest Revolver (BFR), giving hunters a super accurate, reliable handgun, in a vast number of calibers. Other popular Magnum Research products include the Baby Eagle, and MR1911 pistols; and the SwitchBolt, and Mountain Eagle rifles. In 2010, Magnum Research was purchased by Kahr Firearms Group, becoming the third brand in the family, alongside Kahr and Auto-Ordnance. Kahr Firearms Group has a dedicated team of professionals making the best firearms available to the American Shooter!

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