



# AECT22 Convention Recap

The 2022 AECT International Convention at Planet Hollywood in Las Vegas was amazing!

## Attendance/Membership

We had a total of 931 registrants, 691 in-person and 240 virtual. This is the biggest attendance we've had in several years. Thanks to all for attending the convention, however you did!

There were 24 new memberships during the week of the convention.

## Highlights

- President David Wiley hosted two sessions with new CEO Nolan Gruver, who described his background and vision for AECT in the coming years.
- NATO-ACT/AECT design competition: Three teams of graduate students presented compelling plans to deliver leadership training to NATO's members in the field worldwide. The team from Baker University was the winner. Congrats!
- There were more than 600 sessions presented. The range of topics and presenters was impressive.
- The awards luncheon recognized AECT leaders who have gone above and beyond over the past year. A list of award-winners follows.
- The board met twice. It received reports of the financial status of the association, which is solid.
- AECT After Dark: AECT leaders let their hair down at a fun evening party. President Ali Carr-Chellman can belt out a tune!

## Volunteers

Many thanks to our 66 volunteers and the many leaders who contributed to making the convention a success. We couldn't have done it without you!

## Recordings

All sessions were recorded and are available to be viewed until December 31.

Registered convention participants can access the recordings by logging in at: [convention2.allacademic.com/one/aect/aect22](https://convention2.allacademic.com/one/aect/aect22).

## Award Winners

We join all our members in congratulating our special award winners. We are so proud of all of you!



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## **AECT AWARDS**

### **Annual Achievement Award**

Ed Tech Books, edtechbooks.org

### **David H. Jonassen Excellence in Research Award**

Barbara Lockee, Virginia Tech

### **Distinguished Service Award**

Ellen Wagner, North Coast EduVisory LLC

### **J. Michael Spector Appreciation Award**

Tonia Dousay, University of Alaska

### **James W. Brown Publication Award**

Jill Stefaniak, University of Georgia  
Rebecca M. Reese, Rocky Mountain College of Art and Design

### **Special Service Award**

Ellen Wagner, North Coast EduVisory LLC

## **AECT INTERNSHIP AWARDS**

### **Earl F. Strohbahn Internship Award**

Dana AlZoubi, Iowa State University

### **Jenny Johnson International Internship**

Jennifer Jihae Park, University of North Carolina Wilmington

### **Lee W. Cochran Internship**

Ginny Smith, Florida State University

### **Phillip Harris Transformational Leadership Development**

Annetta Dolowitz, University of South Alabama  
Amy Lomellini, Boise State University



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## **AECT PRESIDENTIAL AWARDS**

### **Distinguished Service Award**

Bob Doyle, Harvard University, Retired  
Tonia Dousay, University of Alaska Anchorage  
Vandy Pacetti-Donelson, United States Sports Academy  
Sharon Stidham, Virginia Tech  
David Wiley, Lumen Learning / Brigham Young University  
Xun Ge, University of Oklahoma  
Danilo Baylen, University of West Georgia

### **Presidential Medal of Honor**

Ellen Wagner, North Coast EduVisory LLC

### **Presidential Special Service Award**

Beth Oyarzun, UNC Charlotte  
Cecil R. Short, Emporia State University  
Jenny Bauman, GP Strategies  
Laura Stapleton, Old Dominion University  
Rebecca M. Reese, Rocky Mountain College of Art and Design  
Kristen Herman, Old Dominion University  
Linda Wiley, Baker University  
Jennifer Johnston, University of Georgia  
Hoda Harati, Towson University  
Constance Harris, University of Baltimore



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## **CULTURE LEARNING AND TECHNOLOGY DIVISION AWARDS**

### **Outstanding Publication Award: Journal Article**

Matthew Schmidt, University of Florida

Noah Glaser, University of Missouri

Tina Riedy, Miami University

Carmen Rietta

### **AECT McJulien Graduate Student Scholarship Award**

Mia L. Knowles-Davis, Old Dominion University

### **Exceptional Service Award**

Peggy Lumpkin

Sylvia Rogers, Auburn University

### **McJulien Scholar Best Paper Award**

Tugce Aldemir, University of Pennsylvania

Marcela Borge, Pennsylvania State University

### **Outstanding Publication Award: Book**

Ian Lubin, University of California

### **Outstanding Publication Award: Book Chapter**

Parama Chaudhuri, Indiana University

### **Outstanding Publication Award: Social Impact**

Keith Heggart

Camille Dickson-Deane, University of Technology Sydney

Kae Novak, University of Colorado



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## **SYSTEMS THINKING & CHANGE DIVISION AWARDS**

### **Distinguished Service Award**

Todd Adrian, Martin County School District, Florida

### **Outstanding Article Award**

Ali A. Carr-Chellman, University of Dayton

Allen Kitchel, University of Idaho

James Olive, University of Dayton

### **Outstanding Book Award**

Aaron Bond, Virginia Tech

Suha Tamim, University of South Carolina

Samantha Blevins, Radford University

Beth Sockman, East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania

### **The Charles M. Reigeluth Emerging Researcher Award**

Rob Moore, University of Florida

## **TEACHER EDUCATION DIVISION AWARDS**

### **Outstanding Service Award**

Craig Shepherd, University of Memphis

### **Scholarly Advancement to the Field of Educational Technology**

Susan Stansberry, Oklahoma State University

### **Smaldino & Herring Leadership Award**

Ai-Chu Ding, University of Georgia



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## **ETR&D AWARDS**

### **Distinguished Development Award**

Curtis J. Bonk, Indiana University  
Yong Zhao, University of Kansas  
Punya Mishra, Arizona State University  
Chris Dede, Harvard University

## **INTERNATIONAL DIVISION AWARDS**

### **Distinguished Service Award**

Xiaoxue (Charles) Wang, Florida Gulf Coast University

### **International Contribution Award**

Shuyan Wang, The University of Southern Mississippi

### **Outstanding Student Practice of Educational Technology in an International Setting**

Miao Dai, Central China Normal University

### **Presidential Service Award**

Dirk Ifenthaler, University of Mannheim

### **R.W. "Buddy" Burniske Award**

Dan Hoffman, Seungoh Paek, Curtis Ho, Bert Y. Kimura, University of Hawaii at Manoa

### **Robert deKieffer International Fellowship Award**

Felicia Mormah, University of Delta

## **ORGANIZATIONAL TRAINING AND PERFORMANCE DIVISION AWARDS**

### **Outstanding Best Practice Award**

Katie Uhlenhake, Sr. Development Design Manager, Kiewit Corporation

### **Graduate Student Convention Scholarship**

Evangeline Schepper, University of West Florida  
Johnny Fortune, University of West Florida



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## **RESEARCH & THEORY DIVISION AWARDS**

### **Outstanding Book Award**

Jason K. McDonald,, Richard West, Brigham Young University

### **Outstanding Empirical Journal Article Award**

Haesol Bae, Krista Glazewski, Thomas Brush, Kyungbin Kwon, Indiana University

### **Outstanding Research & Theory Division Sponsored Accepted Proposal Award**

Emma Agola and Tian Luo, Old Dominion University

### **Outstanding Research & Theory Division Sponsored Accepted Student Proposal Award**

Rui (Tammy) Huang and Matthew Schmidt, University of Florida

### **Outstanding Theoretical Journal Article Award**

Richard H. Swan, Kenneth J. Plummer, Richard West, Brigham Young University

### **Qualitative Inquiry Award**

Bret Staudt Willet, Florida State University

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