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region 6

September 17, 2020

2020 Administrators of the Year Virtual Celebration

Administrator of the Year Awards
October 22, 2020
5:00 to 6:00 pm

"Envisioning Bold & Courageous Leadership"

Let's celebrate our own!
Join us for this FREE virtual event and make it special for our honorees.

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Region 6 2020 Administrators of the Year

Superintendent

Marie Morgan, Walnut Creek ESD
Stephanie Anello, Antioch USD (Region Winner)

Secondary Principal

Eddie Scruggs Smith, Emery USD
Heather Thorner, New Haven USD
Edward Velez, Fremont USD
John Walker, Acalanes UHSD
Benjamin Washofsky, Alameda USD
Matt Chamberlain, Martinez USD (Region Winner)

Middle Grades Principal

Corey Brown, Fremont USD
Laura Lembo, Livermore Valley JUSD
Lindsay Wisely, Antioch USD (Region Winner)

Elementary Principal

Bill Alpert, San Ramon Valley USD
Jacob Berg, Pleasanton USD

Personnel Human Resources Administrator

Maria Bordanaro, Oakley UESD
Dustin Gacherieu, Castro Valley USD
Marie Middleton, Contra Costa COE
Melissa Theide, Livermore Valley JUSD (Region Winner)

Special Education Administrator

Amy Capurro, San Lorenzo USD
Jennie Kordes, Livermore Valley JUSD
Kari Straface, San Ramon Valley USD
Jenny Vargas, Mt. Diablo USD (Region Winner)

Student Services Administrator

Gregory Bailey, Fremont USD
Kathleen Rief, Pleasanton USD
Chris Calabrese, Brentwood UESD (State and Region Winner)

Business Services Administrator

Liz Robbins, Liberty UHSD (Region Winner)

Steve Martin, Livermore Valley JUSD
Judy Nye, Fremont USD
Clinton Puckett, New Haven USD
Erin Roberts, Oakley UESD
Kirsten Teurer, Orinda UESD
Akilah Byrd, Newark USD (Region Winner)

Central Office Administrator
Nancy George, New Haven USD
Nia Rashidchi, Castro Valley USD
Shobha Tejwani, Dublin USD
Leonor Rebosura, Newark USD (Region Winner)

Secondary Co-Administrator
Helene Burks, West Contra Costa USD
Amy Geotina, Acalanes UHSD
Julene MacKinnon, Liberty UHSD
Yvonne Shaw Rogers, Castro Valley USD
Bob Spain, San Ramon Valley USD
Krista Taylor, Dublin USD
Angela Webster, San Lorenzo USD
Roxana Mohammed, Livermore Valley JUSD (Region Winner)

Elementary Co-Administrator
Matthew Sloan, West Contra Costa USD (Region Winner)

Classified Leader
Emily Justice, Contra Costa COE
Dominic Machi, Mt. Diablo USD (Region Winner)

Confidential Employee
Suzan Lee-Young, New Haven USD
Ann Wehrle, San Lorenzo USD (Region Winner)

Adult Education Administrator
Cynthia Paige Endo, Mt. Diablo USD (Region Winner)

Curriculum & Instruction Administrator
Christie Rocha, Fremont USD
Jennifer Whitney, Brentwood UESD
Aida Glimme, Acalanes UHSD (Region Winner)

Continuation/Ed Options Administrator
Julie Calderon, Newark USD (Region Winner)

Technology Administrator
Dimitar Zaprianov, Contra Costa COE
Robyn Odell-Kondo, Alameda USD (Region Winner)

Valuing Diversity Award
Erica Ehmann, Castro Valley USD
Tracie Noriega, New Haven USD
Amy McNamara, Acalanes UHSD (State & Region Winner)

Partners in Educational Excellence Award
CARE Parent Network, Oakley UESD (Region Winner)

Marcus Foster Memorial Award for Administrator Excellence
Affie Sklut, Castro Valley USD (State Nominee)

Ferd Kiesel Memorial Distinguished Service Award
Vivienne Paratore, Castro Valley USD (State Nominee)

Region 6 Special Awards:
President's Award
Tracie Noriega

Nels Nelson Award
Julie Braun Martin



ACSA 2020 Leadership Summit - Virtual



ACSA's 2020 Leadership Summit has been reimaged as an online virtual event! Don't miss this chance to experience ACSA's premier professional development conference from the comfort and safety of your home or office. Our dynamic new online conference platform will facilitate live and recorded sessions on topics relevant to leaders right now.

For all conference information, including list of keynote speakers and registration, [click here](#).



Professional Learning

Financial Education Workshop for Educators

Teacher's Pension, a Region 6 Partner, is offering a 45-minute financial education workshop on September 30 for region members. Jim Negri, a retired Region 6 Superintendent who now works for Teacher's Pension, is excited to be able to assist our members to plan for a financially sound and dignified retirement.

Download workshop flyer [here](#).

For more information about Teacher's Pension, download [here](#).

If you have any questions about professional learning in Region 6, please contact [Hilary Dito](#), Vice President of Staff Development.



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We welcome your feedback and suggestions.

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"Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world." - Nelson Mandela
