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ACSA Region 6 Presents:

**Remarkable Leaders, Remarkable
Times**

**2021 Administrators of the Year
Virtual Celebration**

April 29, 2021

5:00 PM



Program

Welcome



Pam Hughes, Vice President Programs

Recognition of Outgoing ACSA Region 6 Leaders

Rose Lock, Region 6 Executive Director

Introduction of Incoming ACSA Region 6 Officers

Rose Lock, Region 6 Executive Director





Awards Presentations

Presenting Partners in Educational Excellence Award

LK Monroe, Superintendent
Alameda County Office of Education
Region 6 Partner

Presenting Valuing Diversity Award

Lynn Mackey, Superintendent
Contra Costa County Office of Education
Region 6 Partner

Presenting Administrators of the Year Awards


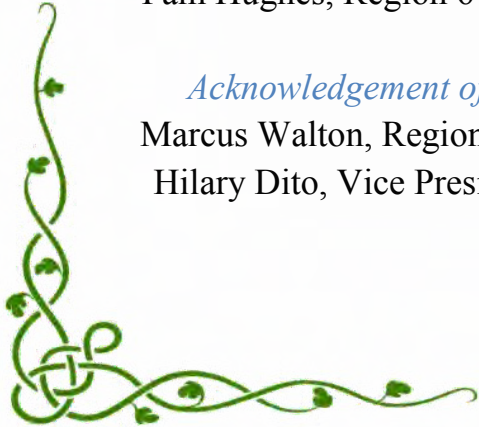
Pam Hughes, Region 6 Vice President Programs
Jacob Berg, Region 6 President
Mark Neal, Region 6 President-Elect

Appreciation to ACSA Region 6 Partners/Sponsors and Closing Remarks

Pam Hughes, Region 6 Vice President Programs

Acknowledgement of Program Producers:

Marcus Walton, Region 6 Communication Chair
Hilary Dito, Vice President Staff Development



Region 6 Administrators of the Year Awards Nominees and Winners

Partners in Educational Excellence



Bethel Island Children's Support Group
Chris Carnes



CocoKids
(Formerly Contra Costa ChildCare Council)
John Jones, Executive Director



Pleasanton Partners in Education
Steve McCoy-Thompson, Executive Director



Region 6 Winner
Union City Family Center

Valuing Diversity Award



Christine Boynton
Executive Director
Alameda County Office of Education



Doris De La Torre
Elementary Principal
Castro Valley Unified School District



Nancy George
Executive Director, Union City Family Center
New Haven Unified School District



Region 6 Winner
Jorge Melgoza
Assistant Director of Equity
Mt. Diablo Unified School District

Superintendent



LK Monroe
Superintendent,
Alameda County Office of Education



John Nickerson
Superintendent,
Acalanes Union High School District

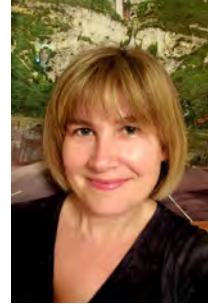


Region 6 Winner
Matt Wayne
Superintendent,
Hayward Unified School District

Secondary Principal



Lorne Barbosa
Principal, Mt. Diablo High School
Mt. Diablo Unified School District



Tiffany Benson
Principal, Las Lomas High School
Acalanes Union High School District



Maureen Byrne
Principal, Dublin High School
Dublin Unified School District



Carrie Wells,
Principal, Heritage High School
Liberty Union High School District



Region 6 Winner
Kevin Ahern
Principal, Monte Vista High School
San Ramon Valley Unified High School

Middle Grades Principal



Betsy Balmat
Principal, Stanley Middle School
Lafayette School District



Kimberly Vaiana
Principal, Foothill Middle School
Mt. Diablo Unified School District



Ramon Camacho
Principal, Cesar Chavez Middle School
New Haven Unified School District



April Wong
Principal, Canyon Middle School
Castro Valley Unified School District



Kirsten Jobb
Principal, Edna Hill Middle School
Brentwood Union School District



Region 6 Winner
Lorianne Ventura
Principal, Cottonwood Creek School
Dublin Unified School District



Walter Lewis
Principal, Centerville Junior High School
Fremont Unified School District

Elementary School Principal



Raquel Bocage
Principal, Searles Elementary School
New Haven Unified School District



Patrick Hansen-Schmitt
Principal, Independent Elementary School
Castro Valley Unified School District



Wendy Castaneda Leal
Principal, Schilling Elementary School
Newark Unified School District



Moraima Machado
Principal, Hillside Elementary School
San Lorenzo Unified School District



Carole Diamond
Principal, Azevada Elementary School
Fremont Unified School District



Christine Offerman
Principal, Bollinger Canyon Elementary
School
San Ramon Valley Unified School District



Gatee Esmat
Principal, Arroyo Seco Elementary School
Livermore Valley Joint Unified School District



Mignon Perkins
Principal, Valle Verde Elementary School
Mt. Diablo Unified School District



Alison Evert Monga
Principal, Chavez Elementary
West Contra Costa Unified School District



Region 6 Winner
Jeffrey Varner
Principal, Parkside Elementary School
Pittsburg Unified School District



Kathy Frazer
Principal, John Muir Elementary
Martinez Unified School District

Central Office Administrator



Marji Calbeck
Director of Elementary Support
Mt. Diablo Unified School District



Sharon Trieu Quince
Director of Facilities Construction
Castro Valley Unified School District



Sandra Escobedo
Director of Supplemental and Concentration
Services
Hayward Unified School District



Grozelia Ward
Senior Director of Personnel Services
San Leandro Unified School District



Philomena Rambo
Director of Community Engagement
Livermore Valley Joint Unified School District



Region 6 Winner
Pam VandeKamp
Director of Assessment and Accountability
Pleasanton Unified School District



Hui Stevens
Director K-12 Instruction
New Haven Unified School District

Secondary Co-Administrator



Ronaldo Fisher
Assistant Principal, Kennedy High School
Fremont Unified School District



Lenora Medina
Edna Hill Middle School
Brentwood Union School District



Rocio Reyes
Assistant Principal, Richmond High School
West Contra Costa Unified School District

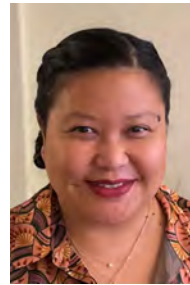


Evangeline Sugden
Vice Principal, Granada High School
Livermore Valley Joint Unified School District



Region 6 Winner
Lauren Falkner
Assistant Principal, Dougherty Valley High School
San Ramon Valley Unified School District

Elementary Co-Administrator



Stella Castillo
Interim Principal, Hillviewcrest Elementary School
New Haven Unified School District



Jeanette Garza
Vice Principal, Junction K-8 School
Livermore Valley Joint Unified School District



Mary-Ann Lafosse
Vice Principal,
Coronado Elementary and Dover Elementary
West Contra Costa Unified School District



Lisa Padway
Vice Principal, Alisal Elementary School
Pleasanton Unified School District



Region 6 Winner
Sara Roat
Vice Principal, Marsh Elementary and Kimball Elementary
Antioch Unified School District

Classified Leader



Tami Castellucio
Executive Secretary, Education Services
San Ramon Valley Unified School District



Mary Sayers
Director, Child Nutrition
Newark Unified School District



Thomas Ekman
Maintenance Supervisor
Fremont Unified School District



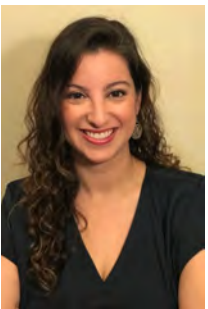
Karin Sloper
Office Manager, Alhambra High School
Martinez Unified School District



Ruth Jones
Policy and Governance Manager
Alameda County Office of Education



Region 6 Winner
Gary Krebbs
Director of Maintenance, Operations and
Transportation
Castro Valley Unified School District



Alexandra Murillo
Manager, Pupil Services
New Haven Unified School District



Kristin Nisen
Director of Food Services
Brentwood Union School District

Confidential Employee



Tammy Danielson
Confidential Administrative Assistant
Pleasanton Unified School District



Laura Juranek
Senior Administrative Assistant
Mt. Diablo Unified School District



Shobha Reddy
Information Systems Administrator
New Haven Unified School District



Region 6 Winner
Terri Saenz
Executive Assistant, Student Service
Livermore Valley Joint Unified School District

Personnel/Human Resources Administrator



Alexander Harp
Human Resources Coordinator
San Lorenzo Unified School District



Derek McNamara
Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources
New Haven Unified School District



Mike Williams
Director of Human Resources
Pleasanton Unified School District



Region 6 Winner
Keith Rogenski
Assistant Superintendent Human Resources
San Ramon Valley Unified School District

Adult Education Administrator



Grace Kim
Director of Alternative Programs
New Haven Unified School District



Region 6 Winner
Jonathan Roselin
Assistant Director, College & Career and
Adult Education
Mt. Diablo Unified School District

Career Technical Education Administrator



Rania El Sioufi
Vice Principal, James Logan High School
New Haven Unified School District



Region 6 Winner
Dan Hanel
Coordinator, College and Career Readiness
Contra Costa County Office of Education

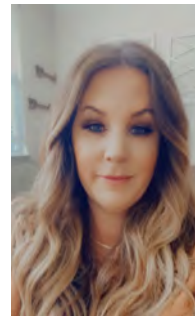
Special Education Administrator



Jennifer Chiarelli
Director of Special Education
Dublin Unified School District



Randy Linscheid
Principal, CCCOE Special Education Programs
Contra Costa County Office of Education



Kelly Quinn
Senior Director of Special Education
Antioch Unified School District



Region 6 Winner
Yoko Ostreicher
Coordinator of Special Education
Castro Valley Unified School District

Business Services Administrator



Diane Deshler
Chief Business Official
Lafayette School District



Teresa Fiscus
Director of Fiscal Services
Livermore Valley Joint Unified School District



Region 6 Winner
Shariq Khan
Chief Business Officer
Alameda Unified School District

Student Services Administrator



Amani Dunham
Coordinator, Student Support Services
San Lorenzo Unified School District



Linda Pete
Assistant Director Student Services
Mt. Diablo Unified School District



Chien Wu-Fernandez
Associate Superintendent
Hayward Unified School District



Region 6 Winner
Ed Diolazo
Assistant Superintendent,
Student Support Services
Pleasanton Unified School District

Curriculum and Instruction Administrator



Dawn Edwards
Assistant Director of Educational Services
Mt. Diablo Unified School District



Erik Faulkner
Assistant Superintendent, Educational Services
Liberty Union High School District



Debra Petish
Director of Curriculum and Instruction
San Ramon Valley Unified School District



Sheri Sweeney
Director of Secondary Instruction
Dublin Unified School District



Region 6 Winner
Terri Elkin
Coordinator, STEAM
Alameda Unified School District

Continuation/Ed Options Administrator



Carolyn Hobbs
Director/Principal,
Parenting Teen Programs and Infant
and Family Support Programs
Alameda County Office of Education



Abigail Kotzin
Principal, Royal Sunset High School
San Lorenzo Unified School District



Region 6 Winner
Erik Taylor
Principal,
Del Valle Continuation High School
Livermore Valley Unified
School District

Retired Administrator



Lynda Hayes
Administrator, Mauzy School
Contra Costa County Office of Education

Technology Administrator



Max Eissler
Chief Technology Officer
Dublin Unified School District



Region 6 Winner
Tracy Logan
Chief Technology Officer
West Contra Costa Unified School District

Region 6 | Special Awards

President's Award

Presented by Jacob Berg, Region 6 President

Hilary Dito



The recipient of the Region 6 President Award is selected by the Region President for their tremendous contribution to Region 6.

This year's winner, Hilary Dito, has been our Vice President of Staff Development for the past 3 years. She has been instrumental in reimagining our professional development program, renaming it from Thriving on the Vine to Thriving off the Vine. She has been responsible for pivoting all our events to a virtual environment. We have had more participants engaged than previous years. Hilary has been an outstanding leader for our Region.

Region 6 | Special Awards

Nels Nelson Award

Presented by Julie Braun Martin (2020 Winner)

Parvin Ahmadi



This Region award is named after Nels Nelson who was a long-time supporter of ACSA and served as our first Region 6 Executive for many many years.

The recipient of this award is a person who has demonstrated ethical and moral leadership, continuing commitment and dedication to student achievement, and a visionary who lays foundations of educational excellence that will continue beyond his/her tenure. This individual has also served ACSA for many years and in many capacities as a leader.

This year's winner, Parvin Ahmadi, has been a standout leader in our Region for many years as well as service to ACSA statewide. She most recently served 3 years as our Region representative to the ACSA Board of Directors and 3 years on the Superintendency Council. Parvin is well known for her active and passionate advocacy for public school funding and student voice.



ACSA Region 6 Executive Committee

2020-2021

President	Jacob Berg
President-Elect	Mark Neal
Past President	Pam VandeKamp
VP Membership	Renee Lama
VP Staff Development	Hilary Dito
VP Programs	Pam Hughes
VP Legislative Action	James Parrish III
Secretary	Christy Glaser
Treasurer	Kathy LaCome
Comptroller	Annette Heldman
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Communication Chair	Marcus Walton
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