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A Message From The President

December 2021

I want to take this opportunity to thank everyone for all their dedication and perseverance throughout the year. The success of our students and schools are attributable to your efforts. Thank you for the commitment that each one of you has shown during these challenging times.

We've come through a year that was filled with both challenges and victories. How reassuring it is to know that students can count on you regardless of what faces us. On behalf of ACSA Region 14, please allow me to extend my personal and genuine appreciation to each and every one of you for your valuable contributions. Happy Holidays!

Dr. Beth Bray

ACSA Region 14 President

ACSA Award Nominations Are DUE!



NOMINATE SOMEONE TODAY!

Every Student Succeeding nominations are due **January 4, 2022!**

Each year, ACSA recognizes 19 pre-K-adult students, one from each geographic region, as well as two California adult education students, for overcoming the odds and achieving success. ACSA Region 14 honors a student from EACH CHARTER with one going to State ACSA. Nominations should be submitted to [Rose Ellen Shea](#).

Administrator of the Year nominations are due **January 20, 2022!**

One of ACSA's priorities is to ensure that school leaders are recognized for their excellence. Through our annual awards program, we honor students, administrators and community organizations for their achievements and their dedication to public education at both the regional and state levels.

Nominations should go through your Charter Presidents.

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Check Out Last Year's Award Recipients!

2020-2021 Administrators of the Year

Secondary Principal of the Year

John Briquet

Elementary Principal of the Year

Tiffany Dominguez

Secondary Co-Administrator of the Year

James Ashikawa

Personnel/Human Resources Administrator of the Year

Dr. Michael Gotto

Career Technical Education Administrator of the Year

Lisa Azevedo

Business Services Administrator of the Year

Manuel Cardoso

Student Services Administrator of the Year

Christopher Moton

Curriculum and Instruction Administrator of the Year

Carol Castro & Dr. Scott McDowell

Continuation/Educational Options Administrator of the Year

Morrie Kosareff

Retired Administrator of the Year

James Jones

Technology Administrator of the Year

Ernesto Centeno

Partners in Education Excellence Award

Japanese Business Association

Marcus Foster Award

Dr. Victor Thompson

Upcoming Events

Women's Leadership Breakfast

January 21, 2022, 8:00 a.m

Join us for breakfast and our speakers:

Rebecca Mieliwocki

Coordinator of K12 Teaching and Learning, 2012 California & National Teacher of the Year

Katie Pandolfo

General Manager of Dignity Health Sports Complex

Cost: \$10 for ACSA Members, \$20 for non-ACSA members

RSVP by Friday, January 14, 2022

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Become a Member!



ACSA is only as strong as its members, and to that end, the Member Services Department strives to provide members with the services & resources they need to excel at their jobs.

Check out the benefits of membership!

JOIN TODAY!

Already a member? Forward this email to a friend/colleague!

Welcome our new members!

ABC:

- Robert Castillo
- Kelly Webb
- Kimberly Andrew
- Luisa Nunes

Alacosa:

- Daisy Esqueda

Long Beach:

- Vanessa Davis

South Bay:

- Summer Graves
- Erika Ayala
- Angela Disalvo
- Tami Saiki

Norwalk/La Mirada:

Lauren K. Goodner
 Anamaria Quiroz
 Sarah C. Gilbert
 Marco A. Sanchez

Westside:

Quoc Tran

Fall Recruitment Campaign!

The following Charters had the most new ACSA Region 14 members sign up during the Fall Recruitment Campaign:

1st place - Norwalk-La Mirada
 2nd place - South Bay
 3rd place - ABCMA

The region's TOP individual recruiter for the 2nd year in a row is **Christopher Moton** from Norwalk-La Mirada. He receives the \$500 pay it forward incentive which he can donate to an organization of his choice. He will also receive a \$100 top recruiter bonus.



Membership Recruitment
2021 Fall Campaign

ends October 30th

Charter with highest % of new acsa recruits receives **\$300!**

2nd place receives \$200
3rd place receives \$100

Pay It Forward!
 \$500 to pay forward as you choose!
 (min. 5 recruits)

Bonus
 \$100 Top Recruiter Bonus!

Recruiter Incentives!

14 STRONG.

Welcome New Charter Presidents!



We extend a warm welcome to our new Long Beach ALBEM Charter President, **Gonzalo Moraga**, Principal of Ernest McBride High School, and our new Compton Charter President, **Christopher Clarke**, Assistant Principal at Franklin S. Whaley Middle School.

14 CHARTERS. 14 STRONG.

Charter Spotlight: Lynwood Association of School Administrators

LASA (Lynwood Association of School Administrators) is offering LASA Lunes office hours for administrators to connect on a topic in education of their choice beginning in January.



We have also added an adult school administrator and a high school administrator to our board.

Our next LASA mixer will be on January 7th featuring a special wellness activity.

We use our [quarterly newsletter](#) to keep members informed about upcoming ACSA events and deadlines, highlight sage advice from our seasoned and newer administrators, and generally offer encouragement.

Dionne Garner, President

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