

2022 CASFAA Awards

Congratulations!!

Meritorious Service Award: Created in 1994, the Meritorious Service Award is given to a CASFAA member in recognition of an outstanding achievement or accomplishment in the financial aid profession. To receive the award, the individual should have made either an important single accomplishment or contribution or several significant accomplishments or contributions.

Recipient:

Rashinda Hutchinson



Assistant Director

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Lifetime Membership: Lifetime Membership is given to a person who has made major and significant contributions to the profession over an extended period of time. Lifetime Membership is usually awarded at the time the recipient retires or otherwise leaves the profession. Lifetime Membership awards are the highest awards CASFAA can make and should only be awarded in exceptional cases. Longevity is not, by itself, sufficient for the awarding of Lifetime Membership. When Lifetime Membership is awarded to an individual, that individual's name should be added permanently to the Directory and to the mailing list for the CASFAA Newsletter. At the October, 1995 Executive Council meeting, Council voted to waive both dues and conference registration fees for Lifetime members. Lifetime members shall have all rights and privileges of membership including the right to vote on all matters that come before the association membership.

Recipient:

Thalassa Naylor



Director of Business Development

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Distinguished Service: The Distinguished Service Award is given to a member of the financial aid community, government official, private citizen, or a corporation or other organization for outstanding service to the profession. CASFAA membership is not a criterion for this award. Current members of the Executive Council are ineligible for this award

Recipient:

Mark Kantrowitz



President

Cerebly, Inc

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President's Special Award: This award is given to an individual who has made significant contributions during the past year to the success of CASFAA. The recipient of this award is selected solely by the current President of CASFAA. Current members of the Executive Council are eligible for this award

Recipient:

Wendy Wang



Director of Financial Aid

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