Call for Entries

2024 AACTE Awards

Submission deadline for Gloria J. Ladson-Billings Outstanding Book Award: June 9, 2023
Submission deadline for James D. Anderson Outstanding Dissertation Award: July 28, 2023
Submission deadline for all other AACTE awards: September 1, 2023

Award Features

• Award winners will be honored at the 2024 AACTE Annual Meeting, February 16-18, in Aurora/Denver, CO. Lodging and travel to the conference are the responsibility of each award recipient.

• For the Best Practice categories, a representative of the exemplary program will be invited to accept the award.

• AACTE features award winners in AACTE’s Ed Prep Matters blog; the AACTE’s Journal of Teacher Education, and on the Association’s website. In addition, AACTE notifies various media outlets and appropriate university departments and personnel.

• A photo of the recipient accepting the award will be posted online following the ceremony.

The AACTE Awards Program recognizes excellence in schools, colleges, and departments of education. In identifying notable programs, practices, activities, writing, and research, these awards encourage all member institutions to strengthen the profession of educator preparation through innovation, high standards, and leadership.

Now in its 28th year, this annual award program also honors individuals who have made significant contributions to AACTE and to the profession throughout their careers.

The AACTE Awards program aligns with AACTE’s Strategic Priorities of advocating for high-quality educator preparation; promoting diversity, equity, and inclusion; and advancing educator preparation policy, practice, and research.

AACTE committee members select exemplary entries in each award category. All submissions must be made online.

Award Categories

AACTE awards will be presented in the following categories for 2024:

Writing and Research
• Gloria J. Ladson-Billings Outstanding Book Award
• James Anderson Outstanding Dissertation Award
• Outstanding Journal of Teacher Education Article Award

Best Practice
• Best Practice Award for the Innovative Use of Technology
• Best Practice Award in Support of Global and International Perspectives
• Best Practice Award in Support of Multicultural Education and Diversity
• Best Practice Award in Increasing Educator Diversity
• Best Practice Award for Exemplary Holmes Program

Professional Achievement
• Margaret B. Lindsey Award for Distinguished Research in Teacher Education
• David G. Imig Award for Distinguished Achievement in Teacher Education
• Edward C. Pomeroy Award for Outstanding Contributions to Teacher Education
2024 Gloria J. Ladson-Billings Outstanding Book Award

About the Award
This award, overseen by the AACTE Committee on Research and Dissemination, recognizes exemplary books that make a significant contribution to the knowledge base of educator preparation or of teaching and learning with implications for educator preparation. The award-winning book and its author/editor(s) will receive special recognition at AACTE’s 2024 Annual Meeting in Aurora/Denver, CO, February 16-18, 2024.

This award is named for Gloria J. Ladson-Billings who is known for her work in the field of education, her expertise is in cultural pedagogy and equity in educator and student instruction, including critical race theory.

Eligibility and Selection Criteria
Only books with a publication date since July 2021 will be considered. Additionally, the award-winning work must:

- Directly address educator preparation or teaching and learning with implications for educator preparation.
- Contain originality of thought in critical analyses of particular assumptions or practices, or outline proposals that reorient research and practice in educator preparation.
- Demonstrate high-quality scholarship in an area relevant to educator preparation.
- Show potential for significant impact on policy or practice in educator preparation, and
- Demonstrate clear and effective writing.
- Competitive preference will be given to submissions that align with AACTE’s strategic priority related to Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion.

Submission Requirements
Self-nominations are not accepted. Publishers may submit no more than two titles per imprint. Nominations from publishers must be accompanied by a letter of recommendation from an AACTE- member academician. All entries must be made through AACTE’s online submissions site, and printed copies of the book should be delivered to the AACTE office (see below). Digital attachments for this entry must include:

- A letter of recommendation addressing the selection criteria listed above.
- A brief professional biography of the author(s) (150 words per author).
- Contact information for the author(s) or the publisher’s representative(s).
- Review copies of the book (see below).

Sending Review Copies
Please contact the publisher to request review copies for the AACTE committee. If available, the committee prefers to receive both a hard copy and an e-book to review.

- Send nine hard copies of each book to AACTE Awards, 1602 L Street, NW, Suite 601, Washington, DC 20036.
- If available, send the link to download the e-book (along with any access code or special instructions) to AACTE at wjames@aacte.org.
- All review copies must be received by the award submission deadline, June 9, 2023, for full consideration. A nomination is not considered complete until the review copies are received.

Note: If AACTE does not receive any book award nominations through the submission process described above, the Committee on Research and Dissemination may nominate books for consideration.

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Entry Deadline: June 9, 2023
About the Award
This award recognizes excellence in doctoral dissertation research (or its equivalent) that contributes to the knowledge base of educator preparation or of teaching and learning with implications for educator preparation. Overseen by AACTE’s Committee on Research and Dissemination, the award includes a $1,000 cash prize as well as special recognition at AACTE’s 2024 Annual Meeting in Aurora/Denver, CO, February 16-18, 2024.

This award is named for James D. Anderson. He is one of the towering giants in the history of American education. With his landmark 1988 book, The Education of Blacks in the South, he transformed the field of African American educational history.

Eligibility and Selection Criteria
Individuals receiving a doctorate since January 1, 2022, may apply for this award. The primary selection criterion is quality of scholarship. In addition, the following criteria apply:

• Authors must have successfully defended their dissertation by the award submission date.
• The dissertation must make a significant original contribution to the knowledge about or practice of educator preparation and must address educator preparation issues, practices, or policies.
• The dissertation must be effectively organized, present a logically developed position, and provide evidence to support the conclusions drawn.
• An individual may submit only one entry each year.
• Authors need not be from AACTE member institutions.
• Competitive preference will be given to submissions that align with AACTE’s strategic priority related to Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion.

Submission Requirements
All entries must be made through AACTE’s online submissions site. Attachments must include

• An information file providing the dissertation’s title, author, and current contact information; the name of the institution where it was submitted; the date it was completed; and the dissertation adviser’s contact information (name, title, current mailing address, and e-mail address)
• A letter of support (not blinded) from the dissertation adviser explaining the importance of the dissertation’s question, the appropriateness and completeness of the study’s design, and the significance of the analyses and interpretations
• A narrative summary file* that answers the following questions about the dissertation:
  1. What conceptual, methodological, or research question did it address?
  2. What was the rationale for the study?
  3. What was the knowledge base for the study?
  4. What research methodology was employed?
  5. What were the findings? What is important, surprising, or particularly illuminating about the findings?
  6. What are the theoretical and/or practical implications of the findings?
  7. What were the strengths, weaknesses, and limitations of the study’s design?
• An appendix that includes a copy of the dissertation’s abstract, table of contents, and references. (Remove identifying marks to ensure blind review.)

*As you construct your narrative, do not simply cut and paste together pieces from your dissertation. For the first round of judging, an applicant’s dissertation is rated SOLELY upon the narrative summary submitted. It is, therefore, essential that this summary reflect clearly, concisely, and accurately the research of the full dissertation. Narrative is not to exceed 10 double-spaced pages, exclusive of appendix pages; use 12-point font size and remove identifying marks to ensure blind review.

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Entry Deadline: July 28, 2023
About the Award
This award, overseen by the AACTE Committee on Research and Dissemination and sponsored by SAGE Publications, recognizes exemplary scholarship published in the Journal of Teacher Education (JTE) in the areas of educator preparation or of teaching and learning with implications for educator preparation. The editors of the JTE will submit their awardee nominations for consideration by the Committee on Research and Dissemination.

Eligibility and Selection Criteria
Articles must have a print publication date between January 1 and December 31, 2022.

Submission Requirements
The editors of the JTE will nominate entries for this award.

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Entry Deadline: September 1, 2023
About the Award
This award, overseen by AACTE’s Committee on Innovation and Technology, recognizes an innovative use of educational technologies in a school, college, or department of education (SCDE).

Eligibility and Selection Criteria
SCDE initiatives that infuse technology throughout the curriculum may or may not be technologically sophisticated. To be considered innovative, the SCDE must use technologies to stretch beyond what might normally be done in its educator preparation programs; the programs must have changed in some way as a result of the technology use and integration. For example, the innovation may have resulted in one or more of the following outcomes:

- Bridging the theory and practice of teacher preparation through the use of multiple technologies.
- Integration of technologies with teaching and learning.
- Effective use of distance learning.
- Provision for more effective learning for teachers and/or PK-12 students.
- Practices that involve educator preparation faculty and faculty from other disciplines in activities across the college or university.
- Leadership in the development and/or conduct of activities across campus.
- Forging state, regional, national, and international links.

Applicants should identify the program’s context, goals, and objectives; its components; and the impact technologies have had based on qualitative or quantitative research. Only programs that have been in place for at least two years will be considered. Competitive preference will be given to submissions that align with AACTE’s strategic priority related to Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion.

Submission Requirements
All entries must be made through AACTE’s online submissions site. Application materials for this award must include:

- A 300-word abstract of the program.
- A narrative, not to exceed 2,000 words, that addresses the program’s context (e.g., urban/rural, elementary/secondary, etc.), goals/objectives, innovation components that integrate technology and pedagogy, duration, outcomes, and sustainability.
- A list of any scholarly works, awards, or internal/external funding associated with the program.

The committee recommends the use of multiple media formats, not to exceed three attachments to the submission. These may include short videos or audio (60 seconds or less), images, and other multimedia elements as appropriate. These can be included in the application or provided as links to where these materials are hosted. However, the formal narrative is of primary importance to reviewers. Attachments should be seen as helping instantiate the narrative but not as a replacement for it.

For more information about this award, contact
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Entry Deadline: September 1, 2023
About the Award
This award recognizes exemplary practice in the intercultural, global, cross-cultural, and international arenas. It is overseen by AACTE’s Committee on Global Diversity as part of its mission to assure that a global/international perspective is brought to policy and programs associated with the preparation of education professionals.

Examples of best practice include, but are not limited to, international student teaching, undergraduate and graduate programs in international teacher preparation studies, curriculum development projects, international/global linkages, faculty development, faculty and student exchanges, utilization of international students, internationalization of the curriculum, and infusion of international/global studies in PreK-12 schools. Please review the following link for additional information, including examples of past winners: https://aacte.org/professional-development-events/aacte-awards-program/best-practice-awards/

Eligibility and Selection Criteria
The committee seeks applications from AACTE member institutions that have infused global/international perspectives into educator preparation curriculum, personnel, policies, and program(s). Past winners may submit a new application for consideration after three years by specifically indicating substantive changes and information different from previously submitted applications.

Submission Requirements
All entries must be made through AACTE’s online submissions site. Application materials for this award must include:

- A 300-word abstract of the program’s purpose, audience, and format.
- A narrative, not to exceed 2,500 words, describing the following elements:
  1. The theoretical framework of the best practice/program and the conceptualization of international educator preparation utilized
  2. The goals and objectives of the program
  3. Program details such as operation, motivation, history, linkages, logistics, costs, funding sources, participants, and obstacles to success
  4. Evidence of how the program has substantively transformed the teacher preparation programs and influenced education within and beyond the institution, including the results of any internal and external program assessments and any materials produced
  5. Information on dissemination of program results (e.g., publication in a peer-reviewed publication)
  6. The program’s unique contribution to the educator preparation profession
  7. Impact on PreK-12 education
  8. Alignment with AACTE’s strategic priorities

- Letters of recommendations from institutional representatives (dean and/or department chair) and relevant external partners.
  - A minimum of three letters of recommendation are required with a maximum of five allowed for submission.
  - The three letters of recommendation must come from each of the following:
    - (1) Dean or Dept. Chair, (2) Students, (3) Partnership Representative (International Partner, Community Development School Partner, Faculty Partner)

- Supplementary Materials or Appendices can include examples of syllabi, curricular materials, peer-reviewed publications, URLs, etc.

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Entry Deadline: September 1, 2023
About the Award

This award, overseen by AACTE’s Committee on Global Diversity, recognizes the infusion of diversity throughout all components of a school, college, or department of education (SCDE) as critical to quality educator preparation and professional development. Specifically, the incorporation of issues related to culture, language, demographics, ethnicity, race, gender, sexual orientation, religion, socioeconomic status, and exceptionalities in the education process are perceived as important.

Eligibility and Selection Criteria

The committee seeks nominations from AACTE member institutions for SCDE programs that have infused multicultural education and diversity into educator preparation and successfully addressed such issues throughout their curriculum, personnel, policies, and programs.

In the narrative, special attention should be devoted to the following criteria:

- Demonstrable effects on the broader community.
- Evidence that infusion of multicultural and diversity concepts has occurred (manifested in curriculum content, field placements, numbers of diverse faculty and students, program outcomes/impact of PK-12 and community collaborations).
- Impact on teaching and learning, in particular in PK-12 settings.
- Past winners may submit a new application for consideration after three years. Information must demonstrate changes from what has been previously submitted. Improvements to the program and substantive changes must be included with accompanying explanation.
- Competitive preference will be given to submissions that align with AACTE's strategic priority related to Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion.

Submission Requirements

All entries must be made through AACTE’s online submissions site. Application materials for this award must include:

- A 300-word abstract of the program’s purpose, audience, and format.
- A narrative, not to exceed 2,500 words, attending to the criteria above and describing the following elements:
  1. Theory, as evidenced in the program’s conceptualization and design;
  2. Practice, as evidenced by curriculum, field placements, diverse faculty, percentages of representation from differing cultural backgrounds (i.e., balanced demographic information) and community scan/linkages;
  3. Evaluation/assessment; and
- Letters of Recommendation from institutional representatives and relevant community members.
  - A minimum of three letters of recommendation are required with a maximum of five allowed for submission.
  - The three letters of recommendation must come from each of the following: (1) Dean or Dept. Chair, (2) Students, (3) Community Partner/School Partner
- Evidence of how the program has substantively transformed the teacher preparation programs and/or influenced education within and beyond the institution, including the results of any internal and external program assessments and any materials produced.
- The program’s unique contribution to the educator preparation profession and impact on PreK-12
- Supplementary Materials or Appendices can include examples of syllabi, curricular materials, peer-reviewed publications, URLs, etc.

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Entry Deadline: September 1, 2023
2024 Increasing Educator Diversity: Promise Practice Award

About the Award
This inaugural award, overseen by AACTE’s Programmatic Advisory Committee on Educator Diversity (PACED), recognizes a promising practice from a school, college, or department of education (SCDE) demonstrating outcomes and advocacy related to various activities, practices, programs, pedagogies, systems, and/or policies that lead to, or is likely to lead to, an increase in educator diversity. This purpose is accomplished through both the internal facing work of SCDE’s own diversification of faculty, curriculum, recruitment and/or retention efforts and external reaching work that can include hiring diverse faculty, placing ethnoracial preservice educators in schools with high PK-12 diversity, department/college strategic initiatives, and/or mutually beneficial projects with the community and/or PK-12 schools (e.g., LEA) and stakeholders.

Eligibility and Selection Criteria
The recipient of this award from AACTE recognizes promising practices as those which explicitly commit to increasing ethnoracial diversity (e.g. Indigenous male educators, Latina bilingual educators, Black general educators). The promising practice embodied by the recipient of this award reflects the mission and goals of the Programmatic Advisory Committee on Educator Diversity (PACED) and advances our current understanding of initiatives that are making an impact toward diversifying our educator workforce to enhance educational opportunities for all students. Furthermore, the recipient’s promising practices align with AACTE’s strategic priority of promoting diversity, equity, and inclusion.

Data (e.g., outcomes) to substantiate promising practices that ‘increase’ educator diversity can include, but is not limited to:
1. policy changes that promote access and/or eliminate barriers
2. increased enrollment demonstrating ethnoracial diversity (e.g. recruitment, retention)
3. increased diversification, specifically ethnoracial diversity, of SCDE faculty and staff and/or PK-12 school staff
4. student/stakeholder feedback or data on and analysis of curriculum changes
5. stakeholder feedback or data on and analysis of strategic initiatives
6. retention & impact internally or externally

In addition, the recipient of this award will evidence a service-minded disposition toward addressing educator diversity in research AND practice through their leadership and participation in local community, school, and/or grassroots service efforts.

Submission Requirements
All entries must be made through AACTE’s online submissions site. Application materials for this award must include:

- A narrative, not to exceed 2,000 words, that articulates intentional increase of educator diversity workforce by the SCDE;
- Data (e.g., outcomes) to substantiate the promising practice that ‘increased’ educator diversity
- No more than 3 supplemental documents in total (e.g., letters of support, syllabus, hyperlink to media, etc.)
- The names and affiliations of those individuals who represent the SCDE in this promising practice.

For more information about this award, contact Nicole Dunn: 202/478-4560 Email: ndunn@aacte.org

Entry Deadline: September 1, 2023
About the Award
This award, overseen by the AACTE Holmes Programmatic Advisory Committee, recognizes Holmes Program institutions that demonstrate exemplary and innovative practices in supporting graduate students of color resulting in increased productivity of its scholars. The award-winning institution will receive special recognition at AACTE’s 2024 Annual Meeting in Aurora/Denver, CO February 16-18, 2024.

Eligibility and Selection Criteria
Only institutions who have an active Holmes Program will be considered. Additionally, the award-winning institution must:

- Have more than one active Holmes Program participant
- Directly support Holmes master’s, doctoral, and/or post-doctoral students
- Provide high-quality programming including on-campus professional development and mentorship to Holmes Program participants
- Demonstrate evidence of scholars’ accomplishments, including but not limited to research and service completed by Holmes Scholars
- Implement program evaluation to assess impact, including use of data sources such as scholar satisfaction surveys and workshop evaluations
- Show significant contributions to diversifying the field by producing alumni who are in teaching, research and/or leadership roles within and outside of the academy
- Competitive preference will be given to submissions that align with AACTE’s strategic priority related to Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion.

Submission Requirements
Any AACTE member may submit a nomination, including Holmes Scholars, alumni, program coordinators and Deans. Entries must articulate the specific exemplary and innovative practices that the institution has implemented, and the outcomes that they’ve produced. All entries must be made through AACTE’s online submissions site.

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Entry Deadline: September 1, 2023
2024 Margaret B. Lindsey Award for Distinguished Research in Teacher Education

About the Award
The Margaret B. Lindsey Award, overseen by the Executive Committee, recognizes distinguished achievement in research over the last decade that has had a major impact on the field of educator preparation. Lindsey was a longtime professor at Teachers College, Columbia University, whose own writing and research had a tremendous and lasting impact on the field.

Eligibility and Selection Criteria
This award is given to an individual or to a team of individuals, conducting research together, who have made exceptional contributions to research in the field of educator preparation. The award is presented annually, but the committee may defer the award in any given year. Individuals may nominate themselves. The Lindsey Award is not given posthumously. Competitive preference will be given to submissions that align with AACTE’s strategic priority related to Advancing Educator Preparation Policy, Practice, and Research.

The selection criteria include evidence of distinguished achievement in the following:
- Research in the field of educator preparation for at least a decade
- Publications in peer-reviewed professional journals
- Presentations at AACTE professional meetings
- Widely cited contributions with practical applications for the field

Submission Requirements
All entries must be made through AACTE’s online submissions site. Application materials for this award must include:
- A 300-word biographical sketch of the nominee;
- One or more letters of support describing how the nominee fulfills the selection criteria listed above; and
- The nominee’s curriculum vitae.

For more information about this award, contact
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Entry Deadline: September 1, 2023
2024 David G. Imig Award for Distinguished Achievement in Teacher Education

About the Award
This award, overseen by the Executive Committee, recognizes an individual for distinguished achievement in the field of policy and/or research related to policy in educator preparation. The career achievement acknowledged by this award must take place in the formulation, implementation, research, or analysis of educator preparation policy. The award is named for AACTE President/CEO Emeritus David G. Imig, who led the Association from 1980 to 2005.

Eligibility and Selection Criteria
This award may be presented to a political office holder who has made important contributions to educator preparation policy or research, to a member of an agency or an organization who has been instrumental in the advancement of educator preparation, to a policy analyst, to a researcher or scholar, or to an administrator whose work has had a significant positive impact on educator preparation policy or research.

The recipient(s) of this award need not be from an AACTE member institution or otherwise affiliated with AACTE, although there should be an obvious connection between the achievement recognized and AACTE’s mission and work.

The Imig Award is presented annually, but the award committee may defer the award in any given year. Individuals may not nominate themselves.

The selection criteria include evidence of distinguished achievement in one or more of the following:
- Formulation of educator preparation policy
- Implementation of educator preparation policy
- Analysis of educator preparation policy
- Scholarship related to educator preparation policy
- Sustained impact on educator preparation policy
- Competitive preference will be given to submissions that align with AACTE’s strategic priority related to Advocating for High-Quality Educator Preparation and Advancing Educator Preparation Policy, Practice, and Research

Submission Requirements
All entries must be made through AACTE’s online submissions site. Application materials for this award must include:
- A 300-word biographical sketch of the nominee;
- One or more letters of support describing how the nominee fulfills the selection criteria listed above; and
- The nominee’s curriculum vitae or resume.

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Entry Deadline: September 1, 2023
2024 Edward C. Pomeroy Award for Outstanding Contributions to Teacher Education

About the Award
This award, overseen by the Executive Committee, recognizes outstanding contributions to educator preparation, either through distinguished service to the educator preparation community or through the development and promotion of outstanding practices in educator preparation at the collegiate, state, or national level. It is named for Edward C. Pomeroy, who was AACTE’s executive director from 1952 to 1980.

Eligibility and Selection Criteria
The Pomeroy Award is given to a person or persons who have made exceptional contributions to AACTE or to a national or state organization involved in educator preparation, or who are responsible for the development of exemplary educator preparation initiatives.

The award typically is presented to a single individual, although under exceptional circumstances and with the approval of the Board of Directors, it may be awarded to multiple individuals; to an organization; or to a school, college, or department of education. While AACTE membership is not a requirement, preference is given to persons, organizations, or institutions that hold membership within the association.

The Pomeroy Award is presented annually, but the award committee may defer the award in any given year; however, it may not be deferred for more than a single year. Individuals may not nominate themselves.

The selection criteria include evidence of outstanding contributions in one or more of the following:
• Distinguished service to the educator preparation community;
• The development and promotion of outstanding practices in educator preparation at the collegiate, state, or national level; and
• Exceptional contributions to AACTE.
• Competitive preference will be given to submissions that align with AACTE’s strategic priority related to Advocating for High-Quality Educator Preparation.

Submission Requirements
All entries must be made through AACTE’s online submissions site. Application materials for this award must include:
• A 300-word biographical sketch of the nominee;
• One or more letters of support describing how the nominee fulfills the selection criteria listed above; and
• The nominee’s curriculum vitae.

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Entry Deadline: September 1, 2023
Outstanding Book Award

2022  Carlin Borsheim-Black, Sophia Tatiana Sarigianides, *Letting Go of Literary Whiteness: Anti-racist Literature Instruction for White Students*
2020  Marilyn Cochran-Smith, Molly Cummings Carney, Elizabeth Stringer Keefe, Stephani Burton, Wen-Chia Chang, M. Beatriz Fernandez, Andrew F. Miller, Juan Gabriel Sanchez, Megina Baker, *Reclaiming Accountability in Teacher Education* (Teachers College Press)
2018  Marcelle Haddix, *Cultivating Racial and Linguistic Diversity in Literacy Teacher Education: Teachers Like Me* (Routledge & NCTE)
2016  Etta Hollins, *Rethinking Field Experiences in Preservice Teacher Preparation: Meeting New Challenges for Accountability* (Routledge)
2010  not given
2008  not given
2007  Michael Fullan, Peter Hill, and Carmel Crévola, *Breakthrough* (Corwin Press)
2005  (Tie) Jennifer King Rice, *Teacher Quality: Understanding the Effectiveness of Teacher Attributes* (Economic Policy Institute)
2003  not given
2002  Joy S. Ritchie and David E. Wilson, *Teacher Narrative as Critical Inquiry: Rewriting the Script* (Teachers College Press)
2000  Cynthia Ballenger, *Teaching Other People’s Children: Literacy and Learning in a Bilingual Classroom* (Teachers College Press)
### Outstanding Dissertation Award

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2000  Gretchen McAllister for *The Role of Empathy in Teaching Culturally Diverse Students: A Qualitative Study of Teachers' Beliefs*, Northern Arizona University; Jacqueline Jordan Irvine, Adviser
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Outstanding Journal of Teacher Education Article Award

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2021  “Re-thinking High Leverage Practices in Justice-Oriented Ways” (September/October 2020) by Angela Calabrese Barton, Columbia University, Edna Tan, University of North Carolina at Greensboro, and Daniel J. Birmingham, Colorado State University

2020  “Critically Compassionate Intellectualism in Teacher Education: The Contributions of Relational-Cultural Theory” (September/October 2019) by Amy Rector-Aranda, Texas A&M University

2019  “Why Seek the Living Among the Dead? African American Pedagogical Excellence: Exemplar Practice for Teacher Education” (September/October 2018) by Melanie Acosta, Michele Foster, Diedre Houchen

2018  “Capturing the Complex, Situated, and Active Nature of Teaching Through Inquiry-Oriented Standards for Teaching” (January/February 2017), by Claire Sinnema, Frauke Meyer, and Graeme Aitken, University of Auckland, New Zealand

2017  “The Roles of Urban Indigenous Community Members in Collaborative Field-Based Teacher Preparation” (November/December 2016), by Anna Lees, Western Washington University

2016  “Field Placement Schools and Instructional Effectiveness” (September/October 2015), by Matthew Ronfeldt, University of Michigan

2015  “Unpacking the ‘Urban’ in Urban Teacher Education: Making a Case for Context-Specific Preparation” (March/April 2014), by Kavita Kapadia Matsko, University of Chicago, and Karen Hammerness, American Museum of Natural History

2014  “Keeping It Complex: Using Rehearsals to Support Novice Teacher Learning of Ambitious Teaching” (May/June 2013), by Magdalene Lampert, Megan Franke, Elham Kazemi, Hala Ghousseni, Angela Tarron, Heather Beasley, Adrian Cunard, and Kathleen Crowe

2013  “Because Wisdom Can’t Be Told: Using Conferences to Assess Teacher Candidates’ Readiness for Family-School Partnership” (January/February 2012), by Joan Walker, Pace University, and Benjamin Dotger, Syracuse University

2012  “Negotiating Implementation of High-Stakes Performance Assessment Policies in Teacher Education: From Compliance to Inquiry” (November/December 2010), by Charles A. Peck, University of Washington; Chrysan Gallucci, University of Washington; and Tine Sloan, University of California at Santa Barbara

2011  “The Work of Teaching and the Challenge for Teacher Education” (November/December 2009), by Deborah Loewenberg Ball and Francesca M. Forzani, University of Michigan


2009  “Responding to Our Critics: From Crisis to Opportunity on Research in Teacher Education” (January/February 2008) by Pam Grossman, Stanford University

2008  “How Well Do 1st-Year Teachers Teach: Does Type of Teacher Preparation Make a Difference?” (September/October 2008), by Thomas Good, Mary McCaslin, Henry Tsang, Sizhi Zhang, Caroline...
Wiley, Amanda Bozack, and Waverely Hester

2004  “‘Too Angry to Leave’: Supporting New Teachers’ Commitment to Transform Urban Schools” (March/April 2003), by Karen Hunter Quartz and the TEP Research Group, University of California, Los Angeles

2003  “The Unification of Church and State: Working Together to Prepare Teachers for Diverse Classrooms” (March/April 2002), by Barbara Seidl, The Ohio State University, and Gloria Friend, Mt. Olivet Christian Academy
Best Practice Awards – Current

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2023  Kansas State University  
2022  Southeast Missouri State University  
2021  University of South Florida  
2020  Salisbury University  
2019  University of Central Arkansas  
2018  Northeastern State University  
2017  Arizona State University  
2016  University of Nebraska-Lincoln  
2014  California State University System  
2013  Michigan State University  
2012  University of Central Florida  
2011  San Diego State University  
2010  University of Southern California  
2009  Arizona State University  
2008  University of Puerto Rico  
2007  University of North Texas  
2006  University of Missouri – St. Louis  
2005  Valdosta State University  
2004  University of Illinois at Chicago  
2003  Kennesaw State University  
2002  University of Nevada, Las Vegas  
2001  University of Northern Colorado  
2000  Iowa State University

**Best Practice Award in Support of Global and International Perspectives**

2023  University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign  
2022  University of Missouri, St. Louis  
2020  Indiana University  
2019  Butler University’s Global Network for Teacher Preparation  
2018  Rutgers University  
2017  Bridgewater State University  
2016  Indiana University  
2015  Kansas State University

**Best Practice Award in Support of Multicultural Education and Diversity**

2023  Rutgers University Graduate School of Education  
2022  Old Dominion University  
2020  Manhattanville College  
2018  University of Colorado Denver  
2017  Ball State University  
2016  Loyola Marymount University  
2015  Texas Christian University
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**Best Practice Award for Collaboration with Community Colleges**
2008  Emporia State University
2007  East Carolina University
2006  University of Northern Iowa
2005  Valdosta State University
2004  University of Central Florida

**Best Practice Award for Comprehensive Services in Education**
2003  Western Michigan University
2002  University of North Dakota
2001  Seton Hall University
2000  University of Tennessee, Chattanooga

**Best Practice Award for Effective Partnerships**
2007  Arizona State University at the West Campus
2006  University of Illinois at Chicago

**Best Practice Award for Gender Equity**
2006  Oakland University
2005  Queens College, City University of New York

**Best Practice Award for Global and International Teacher Education**
2006  Michigan State University
2005  Ball State University
2004  Kent State University
2002  The Ohio State University
2001  Indiana University

**Best Practice Award for Parental Engagement in Teacher Education**
2002  Marian College

**Best Practice Award for Professional Ethics and Moral Dispositions in Teacher Education**
2013  California State University, Fresno
2012  Kansas State University
2008  University of Illinois at Chicago
2007  University of Nebraska, Omaha
2006  Washington State University
2005  Asbury College
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Best Practice Award for Service-Learning in Teacher Education
2004 University of Wisconsin – Eau Claire
2003 San Jose State University
2002 California Lutheran University

Best Practice Award in Support of Diversity
2008 Illinois State University
2007 University of San Diego, School of Leadership and Education
2006 Indiana University – Purdue University Indianapolis
2005 Portland State University
2004 Ball State University
2002 Montclair State University
2001 California State University, Dominguez Hills
2000 New Jersey City University

Best Practice Award in Support of Global Diversity
2014 University of San Diego
2013 University of Maryland, College Park
2012 Northeastern Illinois University
2011 William Paterson University

Best Practice Award in Support of Teacher Education Accreditation
2003 Montana State University – Billings
2002 Idaho State University
2001 Kean University
2000 California State University – Dominguez Hills

Best Practice Award in Support of Teacher Education Quality and Accountability
2008 St. Cloud State University
2006 University of Cincinnati
2005 Western New Mexico University
2004 University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Best Practice Award in Women’s Leadership Development and Gender Equity
2002 University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
2001 The College of New Jersey
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2023  H. Richard Milner IV, Vanderbilt Peabody College of Education and Human Development
2022  Shauna Adams, University of Dayton
2017  James Hiebert, University of Delaware
2013  Jeanne Wilcox, Arizona State University
2010  Guofang Wan, Ohio University
2009  Richard Schwab, University of Connecticut
2007  Linda Darling-Hammond, Stanford University
2006  Robert E. Floden, Michigan State University
2005  Mary M. Kennedy, Michigan State University
2004  Ana Maria Villegas, Montclair State University
2003  Jacqueline Jordan Irvine, Emory University
2002  Kenneth Zeichner, University of Wisconsin, Madison
2001  Ann Lieberman, Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching
2000  Jeannie Oakes, University of California, Los Angeles
1999  Marilyn Cochran-Smith, Boston College
1998  Marlene Pugach, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee
1996  Sharon Feiman-Nemser, Michigan State University

David G. Imig Award for Distinguished Achievement in Teacher Education
2023  AACTE Advisory Council of State Representatives & AACTE State Affiliates
2022  Robert Floden, Michigan State University
2020  Anthony Bryk, Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching
2019  Kelly C. Henson, Georgia Professional Standards Commission
2018  Jolanda M. Westerhof, American Association of State Colleges and Universities
2017  Nancy Zimpher, State University of New York
2015  Mary Brownell and Paul Sindelar, CEDAR Center at the University of Florida
2014  Gary Galluzzo, George Mason University
2013  Mary Diez, Alverno College
2011  Susan Lytle and Marilyn Cochran-Smith
2010  Camilla Benbow, Vanderbilt University
2009  Michael Andrew, University of New Hampshire
2007  Sibyl Jacobson, MetLife Foundation
2006  Lorrie A. Shepard
2005  Arthur E. Wise
2004  Charles Coble
2003  Richard W. Riley
2002  Mary Hatwood Futrell
2001  James A. Kelly
2000  James Hunt, Jr.
Edward C. Pomeroy Award for Outstanding Contributions to Teacher Education

2023  Cassandra Herring, Branch Alliance for Educator Diversity
2021  Teresa Foulger, Arizona State University, Kevin Graziano, Nevada State College, Denise Schmidt-Crawford, Iowa State University of Science and Technology, David Slykhuis, University of Northern Colorado
2019  Jane S. Bray, Old Dominion University
2018  Stacy K. Duffield, North Dakota State University
2017  Renée A. Middleton, Ohio University
2016  Ena Shelley, Butler University
2015  Pamela Grossman, University of Pennsylvania
2014  Deborah Loewenberg Ball, University of Michigan
2013  Virginia McLaughlin, College of William and Mary, and Angela Maynard Sewall, University of Arkansas at Little Rock
2010  The Editorial Team from the Journal of Curriculum & Instruction
2009  Tes Mehring, Emporia State University
2008  Thomas Proffitt and the Towson University Professional Development School Network
2007  Mary Hatwood Futrell, the George Washington University
2006  The National Academy of Education Committee on Teacher Education
2005  Jill Mattuck Tarule, University of Vermont
2004  Marilyn Cochran-Smith, Boston College
2003  Arturo Pacheco, University of Texas at El Paso
2002  Dolores Escobar, San Jose State University
2001  Mary Diez, Alverno College
2000  W. Robert Houston, University of Houston

Lifetime Achievement Award

2012  James D. Anderson, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
2011  Vernon C. Polite (posthumous), Eastern Michigan University
2010  Carol D. Lee, Northwestern University
2009  Kenneth Zeichner, University of Wisconsin-Madison
2008  Lee S. Shulman, Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching
2007  Edmund W. Gordon, Teachers College, Columbia University
2004  Mary J. Russell, Universities Council for the Education of Teachers
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