



Cooperative Education and Internship Association News brief

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Message from President – Connie Dietz



Thanks to all of you who attended our 2013 Annual Conference in Orlando last month. We know that budgets are tight so really appreciate you making the time and financial commitment. Of course, Orlando was a fantastic host city and the perfect place to celebrate our 50th anniversary.

Congratulations to all who were involved in the planning, organizing, and conducting of the annual conference. We have heard very favorable comments about the conference. Your hard work was evident throughout the event. Kudos to Helen Oloroso, our conference chair, and her committee who

made it happen. As you're aware, we're an organization of volunteers who devote their time and talents to making CEIA the leader in cooperative education and internships.

Special recognition and thanks to everyone who facilitated a pre-conference session, shared during the speed sessions, or presented a workshop. We appreciate you taking the time to share your knowledge and expertise. We were informed, enlightened and entertained. Thanks to all the sponsors who partnered with us in making this a great conference.

Now for "coming attractions" for CEIA, the annual NAWIL Training takes place in June in Cincinnati. Please check our website for dates, times, and information on the program. This fall, be on the lookout for some additional webinars. These have been very popular and usually fill-up quickly. And next April, 2014, you can't miss our annual conference in the beautiful city of Seattle! Plan now to attend and to bring your families and come a few days early or stay over to enjoy all that Seattle and the Northwest have to offer. Andre Newton is already hard at work with plans. If you'd like to volunteer to help, please contact Andre or our association manager, Peggy.

We hope everyone has a safe and enjoyable summer! We look forward to seeing you in Cincinnati and Seattle!

Connie Dietz

2013-14 CEIA President

Celebration of CEIA Award Winners

Congratulations to our 2013 CEIA Award Recipients! Click Here

- Dean Herman Schneider Award (Educator) Diane Fleishman, Millersville University
- Charles Kettering Award (Employer) Not Awarded
- **Cooperative Education Student Achievement Award** Benjamin (Ben) Lee Ko, University of Cincinnati
- Internship Student Achievement Award Andrew Harris, Georgia Institute of Technology
- Two Year Program Student Achievement Award Melissa Arab, Macomb Community College
- Ralph W. Tyler Award Richard K. Coll and Karsten Zegwaard, University of Waikato, New Zealand
- James W. Wilson Award Joe Raelin, Northeastern University
- **Best Practices Award** Amy Bravo, Adrienne McNally and Rosalia Mannino, New York Institute of Technology

The nominations for 2014 awards will take place in the fall. Watch for coming CEIA News Briefs for details. Start considering your nominations now!

Session Documents from the 2013 Conference

Presentations from the 2013 Annual Conference that were shared with CEIA are now available on the CEIA website. <u>Click Here to Access</u>. If you do not see one posted, the presenter chose not to share it at this time. You may consider contacting the presenter directly.

Get Involved in CEIA

Looking for a way to get involved in CEIA? Connect with your Regional Vice Presidents and or the Program Vice Presidents. We have need of individuals to serve on committees and would love your time and input. <u>Click here</u> to make contact with Board Members.

Conference 2014 – SAVE THE DATE

CEIA's 2014 Conference will be held April 6 – 8, 2014 in Seattle, Washington.



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