

AHEAD Business Meeting 2020



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The University of Arizona



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President-Elect
University of North Texas



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Texas Woman's University



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AHEAD Board of Directors: Returning Members



Elisa Laird-Metke
Director at Large
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Irvine



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Director at Large
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AHEAD Board of Directors: Returning Members



Gaeir Dietrich
AHEAD Treasurer
Access Specialist



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Director at Large
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Twin Cities



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AHEAD Board of Directors: Retiring Members



Darshan Shah
Director at Large
Farleigh Dickinson
University



Michelle Rigler
Director at Large
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Tennessee - Chattanooga



Adam Crawford
Director at Large
The Ohio State University

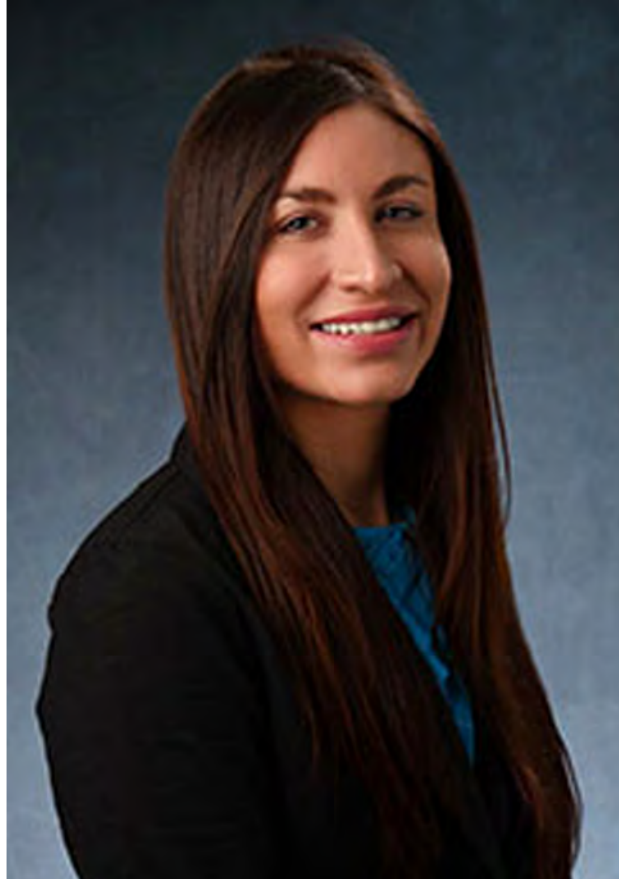


Kristie Orr
President
Texas A & M University

AHEAD Board of Directors: Retiring Members



Katy Washington
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Jill Sieben-Schneider
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Melanie Thornton
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AHEAD Board of Directors: Newly-Elected Members



Chinwendu Okoronkwo
Burns
Director at Large
University of Arkansas



Allen Sheffield
Director at Large
Rutgers University -
Newark

AHEAD Board of Directors: Newly-Elected Members

AHEAD Highlights 2019-2020

- AHEAD ended 2019 with record membership of over 4,000 people (approximately 12% growth)
- Record attendance and revenues in AHEAD professional development offerings
- Pivoting to a virtual conference with over 650 registrants
- Secured an additional \$500,000 funding for the NCCSD to continue working through December of 2020.
- Behind the scenes- negotiated out of hotel contracts for several professional development opportunities

AHEAD Challenges 2020-2021

- Managing the impacts of COVID-19 on the Association while keeping all of the essential work and priorities moving forward
- Developing and growing in the areas of social justice and equity
- Continuing to provide excellent professional development in a time where in-person meetings may not be possible
- Negotiating out of contracts if in person gatherings are not possible

AHEAD Membership Continues to Grow

- And these are only mid-year numbers...

Year	Membership	# Growth Year to Year	% Growth Year to Year	# Growth 5 Year Cumulative	% Growth 5 Year Cumulative
2015	2790	171	6.53%		
2016	2863	73	2.61%		
2017	2974	111	3.90%		
2018	3155	181	6.10%		
2019	3705	550	17.4%		
2020	3814	109	2.94%	1024	36.70%

AHEAD Remains Fiscally Sound... while investing in growth.

- 2019 Fiscal Year Revenues and Expenses Compared to 2018 (October 1 – September 30).

	Fiscal 2019	Fiscal 2018
Total Revenues	\$3,625,726.00	\$3,331,912.00
Total Expenses	\$3,300,546.00	\$2,995,979.00
Other Revenues (Gaines/Losses)	\$0.00	\$0.00
Net Income/Deficit	\$325,180.00	\$335,933.00

Remaining Strong – Statement of Asset Position June 30, 2019 and June 30, 2020

ASSETS	June 30, 2020	June 30, 2019
Current Assets (reflects loss of conference revenues)	\$1,073,596.00	\$1,314,771.00
Property and Equipment (fully depreciated)	\$0.00	\$3,087.00
Other Assets	\$394,194.00	\$391,249.00
Total Assets	\$1,467,790.00	\$1,706,021.00

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2020 Ronald E. Blosser Award Recipients



Jamie Axelrod
Northern Arizona
University



Dr. Kristie Orr
Texas A&M University

2020 AHEAD Honor for Meritorious Contribution Award



Andrew Zeisler
Miami University,
Emeritus

2020 Duraese Hall Excellence in Diversity & Inclusion Award



Mary Lee Vance
California State Sacramento

2020 AHEAD Professional Recognition Award



Michelle Rigler
University of Tennessee,
Chattanooga

2020 AHEAD Student Recognition Award



Heather Schmoll
Cal State Long Beach

2020 JPED Reviewer of the Year Award



Melinda Burchard
Messiah University

2020 Evidence-Based Practices Exemplars Competition Winners

- *Using Data to Develop our New Student Disability Resource Center.* Karen Pettus, University of South Carolina
- *When Access Goes Viral: Considering the Impact of Resource Sharing.* Melanie Thornton, University of Arkansas
- *Centering Race in Self-Advocacy Resources within University Disability Services.* Julia Karpicz, UCLA
- *Complex Accommodations: Fundamental Alteration, Undue Burden.* Tom Thompson.

2020 Evidence-Based Practices Exemplars- Honorable Mention

- *Evidence-Based Practices to Assess, Advocate, and Improve. Tawny Rigsby, The University of Tulsa*
- *Artworks Creative Community Outreach Project. Casey Cline, Midlands Technical College*

AHEAD Remembers Retirees 2019-2020

- Matthew Mattingly- University of Massachusetts: Amherst
- Ruth Loew- Educational Testing Services (ETS)
- Bill Dethlefs- University of Texas El Paso (UTEP)
- Anne Lynch- Augsburg University
- Janet Lockhart, El Paso Community College

AHEAD Remembers Retirees 2019-2020

- Rhonda Rapp- St. Mary's University
- Rosemary Kreston, Colorado State University- Ft. Collins
- Anne Sherman, Grand Rapids Community College
- Loring Brinckerhoff, Educational Testing Services (ETS)

AHEAD Remembers In Memoriam

- Kathleen Maxson, Fashion Institute of Technology.
December 9, 1989- August 8, 2019
- Louise H. Russell, Harvard University, Emeritus
September 18, 1945 – April 14, 2020

A moment to honor