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AGA Announces Annual Awards Recipients

Recipients Honored for Role in Advancing the Field of Government Financial Management

Alexandria, VA. – The Association of Government Accountants, or AGA, is proud to announce the recipients of its 2018 annual awards. Twenty-nine individuals and organizations will be honored for their significant contributions to the industry during AGA’s 2018 Professional Development Training, happening July 22-25 in Orlando, Fla.

“This year’s AGA award honorees represent the best of our industry. Each recipient has exemplified principles of leadership, transparency and financial stewardship during their careers and has helped to move our profession forward,” said AGA President Jim Arnette, CGFM, CISA. “I am honored to have the opportunity to recognize these outstanding individuals and organizations.”

The full list of recipients of the 2018 AGA awards are below. More information regarding AGA’s award program can be found [here](#).

Achievement of the Year Award

*Vicki B. Urbanik
Porter County Auditor, Porter County, Ind.*

Cornelius E. Tierney/Ernst & Young Research Award

*Doug Criscitello
Executive Director, MIT Golub Center for Finance and Policy*

Educator Award

*Teresa A. Tancre, CGFM
Budget Methods Specialist, U.S. Office of Management and Budget*

Einhorn-Gary Award

*Mark Reger, CPA
Consultant, Mark Reger CPA*

Emerging Leader Award of Excellence

*Joseph D. Edwards
Mobile Program Manager, U.S. Department of the Treasury*

Frank Greathouse Distinguished Leadership Award

*Mark L. Hayes, CPA, CFE
Deputy Assistant Inspector General for Audit, U.S. Department of Justice*

International Achievement Award

*D. Scott Showalter, CGFM, CPA
Chairperson, Federal Accounting Standards Advisory Board*

Relmond P. Van Daniker Government Transparency Award

*U.S Small Business Administration
Agency DATA Act Team*

Robert W. King Memorial Award

John Homan, Past AGA National President

National President's Award

*Deborah V. Loveless, CGFM, CPA, CGMA
Director, Division of State Audit, Tennessee Comptroller of the Treasury*

*Lealan I. Miller, CGFM, CPA
Partner, Eide Bailly LLP*

*William A. Morehead, Ph.D., CGFM, CPATtee
Professor of Accountancy, Mississippi College*

*Riley D. Shaull, MSA, CGFM, CPA
Chief Financial Officer, Oklahoma Employment Security Commission*

Author Award

*Scott C. DeViney, CPA
Assistant Director of Quality Assurance, Office of the Washington State Auditor*

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