

## Winner, Winner, See You at the Awards Dinner!

*Donna Jung (OK), VP Awards & Recognition*

By now, all awards announcements have been sent out. **All winners and non-winners should have received an email from the NEAFCS national office.** If you have not, but are certain you should have, please contact me, and I will help sort it out for you.



**I wanted to take a moment to congratulate all of our regional and national winners. Your applications were exemplary and the work they represented was stellar and impactful.** Thank you for taking the time to submit your good work for awards consideration. I look forward to seeing all of you receive your well-deserved recognition at the annual conference in Tuscan, AZ.

RSVP emails were also sent out and the deadline has already passed. However, if you haven't submitted it yet, **please complete your RSVP today.** We want to help ensure every detail is correct for the banquet.

Some awards come with perks, such as a partial or full scholarship to the national conference and/or the opportunity to present a concurrent session or a poster during the Showcase of Excellence. If you are unsure if your award qualifies for any of these, please refer to the 2024 Awards-At-A-Glance document on the NEAFCS website.

**I would also like to thank all the affiliate awards VPs or chairs for their help this awards season.** Coordinating awards at the national level is an enormous task, and it would not be possible without all the collaboration and organization at the affiliate level.

**A big thank you to all of the judges.** Everyone who was utilized to be a judge really stepped up to the plate. I really appreciate all of you who set time aside in your busy schedules to support your colleges in this important way. And thank you to everyone who signed up to be judge but was not selected this year. I appreciate your willingness to serve and encourage you to sign up again next year.

A special thank you to Justin Mischler and Danielle Jessup. Awards could not happen without all of their help, guidance and never-ending patience.

**If you have questions, concerns, or comments about the awards, contact Donna at [donna.stangl@okstate.edu](mailto:donna.stangl@okstate.edu)**