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## **IASA Honors IMPACT Award Winners during IASA Xchange™**

**DURHAM, NC (June 13, 2022)** – IASA honored its annual [IMPACT Award](#) winners during its annual signature event, [IASA Xchange™](#), this week in Baltimore, Md. The honorees were announced during the association's Business Meeting held on Wednesday, June 8, 2022. The awards program recognizes individual and company members who have had the greatest, positive impact on the insurance industry, association, and their communities.

The 2022 IMPACT Award Winners are:

### **Volunteer of the Year Award**

This award recognizes the member who has made significant contributions to the IASA community through volunteer leadership.

Winner: [Art Salvadori](#), [Crowe](#)

### **Carrier of the Year Award**

This award is given to an individual that is affiliated with a Carrier Member Company or to a Carrier Member Company that demonstrates professional excellence in all business interactions, executes solutions to business-related challenges, and values and respects carrier/solution provider relationships.

Winner: [MMG Insurance](#)

### **Solution Provider of the Year Award**

This award is given to an individual affiliated with a Solution Provider Company or their company that demonstrates professional excellence in all business interactions, partners with clients to create solutions to business-related challenges, and promotes carrier/solution provider relations.

Winner: [Clearwater Analytics](#)

## **Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion Award**

This award celebrates the efforts and accomplishments of insurance industry professionals who work to promote a more diverse workforce. Awardees are individuals or entities/companies who have demonstrated a commitment to practicing DE&I principles in their initiatives and practices.

Winner: [Kristin Dorm](#), [One America](#)

## **Chapter Merit Award**

This award recognizes chapters that, even during the most challenging times, demonstrated a commitment to provide unwavering professional support to the IASA membership. Selection is based on key chapter performance criteria that align with the IASA Chapter Engagement Strategy.

Winner: Carolinas Chapter

Winner: Central Illinois Chapter

Winner: Show-Me Chapter

Winner: Southwestern Ohio Chapter

Winner: Wisconsin Chapter

Winner: Northeastern Chapter

Winner: Land O'Lakes Chapter

Winner: Midwest Chapter

Winner: Utah Chapter

## **Board Chair Award**

This award is personally selected by the Board Chair each year based on the yearlong contributions and positive impact by a member on the association, industry, and fellow members, if the Board Chair determines there is a worthy candidate during their year as Chair. This year, Board Chair Scott McEntee awarded the Board Chair Award to the IASA Staff.

Winner: Tricia Stillman, education programs director

Winner: Gina Jolly, digital education director

Winner: Kelli Bohannon, member engagement director

Winner: Emily LaSalle, member engagement coordinator

Winner: Holly Dotson, chapter engagement coordinator

Winner: James Jenkins, strategic partnerships director

Winner: Tracey Gould, marketing communications director

“I am immensely proud of the great work the IMPACT Award winners accomplished over the past year in pursuit of their individual mission,” stated IASA CEO [Kerry Crockett](#), MBA, CAE, CMP Fellow, DES. “These member companies and individuals embody the mission, vision, and values that IASA is based upon, and their efforts are making a great difference in the insurance industry.”

Nominations for the 2023 IMPACT Awards will be scheduled in early 2023. For more information, please visit the IASA IMPACT Awards [website](#).

### **About IASA IMPACT Awards**

Each year, IASA recognizes individuals and/or companies who have positively impacted the insurance industry. In 2022, three new awards were introduced to members, including: Carrier of the Year, Solution Provider of the Year, and the DE&I Award. Also introduced was the Chapter Merit Award, recognizing chapters that provided unwavering professional support to the IASA membership. All awards are merit-based and awarded based on their positive impact on and commitment to the insurance industry. Nominees are submitted by members and non-members; however, only member companies and individuals are eligible to win. Nominations are reviewed by IASA’s Awards Committee and approved by the Board of Directors. Prior honorees are not eligible to win. The awards are presented in-person during IASA’s annual, signature event, IASA Xchange™, which was held this year on June 8 in Baltimore, Md., at the Baltimore Convention Center. Learn more about the awards program [here](#).

### **About IASA Xchange™**

IASA’s national, annual signature educational-rich event attracts an estimated 1,000 members and industry partners each year. The conference is filled with CPE-eligible content, inspiring keynote speakers, workshops, tradeshow, networking, social events, and IASA business and ceremonial meetings. Two times per year, a smaller version of the event is held virtually as IASA Xchange™ lite, providing engaging professional development opportunities for members -- reaching them wherever they are. For more information, visit the event [website](#).

### **About IASA**

For almost 100 years, IASA -- a non-profit 501(c)(3) -- has served as the trusted source for knowledge and innovation that guides the community of insurance professionals. As the voice of the insurance

industry, IASA fosters an environment of selfless engagement, inclusivity, and conviction, advancing careers and personal growth for its members and constituents. It produces the best education and learning opportunities in an open and sharing environment through exceptional leadership that promotes excellence, collaboration, innovation, and community engagement. Its community roots, consisting of thousands of members and insurance constituents, in addition to 24 national chapters, runs deep with a mission to accelerate professional growth to shape, influence, elevate and strengthen the insurance industry. Its vision is to be the definitive source of trusted knowledge, credible collaboration, and common business interests, that drives future industry innovation through the practice and alliance of insurance professionals. To find out more about IASA, visit the [website](#).

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