Anthology Anthology Instructional Designer of the Year Award, in memory of Allan Christie

Award Criteria

Description

The Anthology Instructional Designer of the Year Award, in memory of Allan Christie celebrates the life and dedication of Mr Allan Christie to ASCILITE and Anthology. Allan was involved with ASCILITE since its conception in 1985. He was recognised with a Life Member award in 2003 (only the fourth person to receive this honour at the time). Allan continued to serve the Society for over 36 years and was on the ASCILITE Executive for 27 years when he retired from the Executive in December 2019. Allan was well known in higher education and is now missed greatly in the ASCILITE circles. In recognition of Allan’s contribution to the society and Anthology (previously known as Blackboard), this award, sponsored by Anthology, is in recognition of Allan Christie’s lifelong contribution to the sector. This award is for a professional staff member for an Instructional Designer of the Year, demonstrating innovation implemented in their workplace. The award is sponsored by Anthology, to the value of $1,000.

This work is in recognition of work undertaken by an individual or team of people in support of the exemplary and research informed use of technologies for teaching and learning in tertiary education by a professional staff member. Innovation is defined as a new idea, device or process. It is something original and that “breaks into” teaching and learning in the tertiary sector.

Applications for this award are likely to include:
- Innovative solutions which promote the exemplary and research informed use of technologies for teaching and learning in tertiary education.
- Product development projects which promote the exemplary and research informed use of technologies for teaching and learning in tertiary education.
- Large-scale implementation initiatives which promote the innovative, exemplary and research informed use of technologies for teaching and learning in tertiary education.
- Major professional development initiatives which promote the exemplary and research informed use of technologies for teaching and learning in tertiary education.

Conditions Of Application

Nominations for the Anthology Instructional Designer of the Year, in memory of Allan Christie Award are invited from ASCILITE professional staff members. It is a condition that the lead applicant must be a current member of ASCILITE. An Anthology Instructional Designer of the Year, in memory of Allan Christie Award can be presented to the same person or team more than once; however, the award cannot recognise the same achievement more than once.

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Selection for the Anthology Instructional Designer of the Year, in memory of Allan Christie Award is judged on merit against the following criteria:
1. Extent the project or initiative addresses a clear problem.
2. Extent the project or initiative is well grounded in the literature.
3. Appropriateness of the project or initiative for the target audience.
4. Level of innovation associated with the project or initiative.
5. Impact of the project or initiative on teaching and learning in tertiary education.
7. Contribution to the strategic goals and vision of ASCILITE

Entitlement

The Anthology Instructional Designer of the Year Award, in memory of Allan Christie is a measure of peer esteem from colleagues within the tertiary sector receives $1,000 for the project team, sponsored by Anthology. The Award will be presented at the ASCILITE annual conference. There will only be one Award presented based on merit and ASCILITE recognises that there does not have to be an award presented each year. All recipients will be informed in advance of the event and would normally be expected to attend the conference in person to receive their Award.

Application Due Date

All nominations must be submitted on the application form by the due date indicated on the ASCILITE website: http://ascilite.org/get-involved/awards/

Further Information

For more information on the ASCILITE Innovation Award contact the ASCILITE Secretariat at secretariat@ascilite.org.