2016 Gold and Summit Power of A Award Winners

Program Descriptions

Alliance of Arizona Nonprofits:
Won Gold for Arizona Gives Day, a single day of giving inviting Arizonans to find their favorite causes and make a donation, as well as raise awareness for the important work nonprofits do in the community.

American Academy of Ophthalmology:

Won Gold for its IRIS® Registry (Intelligent Research in Sight), a strategic initiative designed to measure the effectiveness of care, for the purpose of providing valuable insight to both the individual ophthalmologist and profession through statistical analysis of clinical data.

American Association for the Study of Liver Diseases and Infectious Diseases Society of America:
Won Gold for its HCV (Hepatitis C Virus) Guidance program designed to rapidly communicate practice guidelines and recommendations for testing, managing and treating hepatitis C.

American Association of Engineering Societies:

Won Gold for its Engineering Competency Model, a guide for the development of professionals in the engineering workforce which promotes an understanding of the skill sets and competencies that are essential to educate and train a globally competitive engineering workforce.

American Association of Tissue Banks:

Won Gold for its efforts surrounding Arizona Cardinals Quarterback Carson Palmer delivering a powerful message to his tissue donor’s family.

American College of Chest Physicians:

Won Gold and Summit for its CHEST: Pulmonary Critical Care Medicine Fellowship Program, created to address the health issues and education gap in pulmonary and critical care medicine in China.

American Counseling Association:

Won Gold and Summit for its Grow-Connect-Empower! toolkit, providing more than 320,000 Boys & Girls Clubs of America professionals and volunteers with free online learning materials designed to empower them with the insights and information they need to address some front line issues with confidence.

American Dental Association:

Won Gold for its Water Fluoridation is Good for Our Communities program, a proactive social media and website campaign to promote the safe, positive effects of optimal water fluoridation in decreasing the incidence of dental decay in communities.

American Hospital Association:

Won Gold for United Against Flu, a program to urge front-line health workers to immunize themselves from the flu in addition encouraging all Americans to also get a flu shot.

American Society for Addiction Medicine:
Won Gold for CONTINUUM$™$, clinical decision software that revolutionizes addiction treatment by standardizing patient assessment and creating an addiction patient registry.

American Society of Anesthesiologists:
Won Gold for its Perioperative Surgical Home Learning Cooperative, a national learning collaborative to develop, pilot and evaluate the Perioperative Surgical Home model – a patient-centric, team-based system of coordinated care that guides patients through the entire surgical experience.

American Society of Civil Engineers:
Won Gold for its ASCE National Concrete Canoe Competition, a student-led extracurricular activity where kids are inspired and challenged by the opportunity to gain hands-on, technical experience and leadership skills and prepare them as emerging young professionals.

Associated Landscape Contractors of Colorado:

Won Gold for its Career Pathways Program, service projects designed to introduce students to careers in horticulture, as well as beautify the community for years to come.

Association for Corporate Growth:

Won Gold and Summit for creating GrowthEconomy.org, a breakthrough “big data” project determined to gain understanding and visibility of the impact of private-capital investment on jobs and revenue.

Association for the Advancement of Medical Instrumentation Foundation:
Won Gold for its National Coalition for Alarm Management Safety and National Coalition to Promote Continuous Monitoring Patients on Opioids.

The Association of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology Nurses:

Won Gold for the APHON Pediatric Chemotherapy and Biotheraphy Provider Program which promotes consistency in the practice of chemotherapy and biotherapy administration to help ensure excellence in the care of children and adolescents with cancer.

CompTIA:

Won Gold for its IT-Ready Program which trains, certifies and places unemployed and underemployed people into entry-level IT jobs.

Council of Better Business Bureaus:

Won Gold for its BBB Scam Tracker, a free, interactive tool for consumers in the United States and Canada to report scams and fraud while warning others of malicious or suspicious activity.

Entomological Society of America:

Won Gold for its Summit on the Aedes aegypti Crisis in the Americas, a meeting bringing together entomologists and public-health officials from around the world to discuss the best ways to control the mosquito that transmits Zika.

Give a Note Foundation:

Won Gold for its Music in Our Schools Tour, where schools from all over the nation share performances of songs that inspire their music students.

Indiana CPA Society:

Won Gold and Summit for its CPA Center of Excellence® (COE), an initiative to better prepare CPAs for the opportunities and challenges of the future.

International Association of Providers of AIDS Care:

Won Gold for its Fast-Track Cities Initiative, a global partnership to strengthen and leverage existing HIV programs to accelerate locally coordinated, city-wide responses to end AIDS as a public health threat by 2030.

International Society on Thrombosis and Haemostasis:

Won Gold for its World Thrombosis Day initiative, which focuses attention on the overlooked and misunderstood condition of thrombosis, a leading cause of global death and disability.

National Association of State Boating Law Administrators:

Won Gold and Summit for its Boat Operations and Training Program which establishes national standards for training, qualification, credentialing and typing of maritime law enforcement and rescue personnel.

National Association of State Boating Law Administrators:
Won Gold for Operation Dry Water, a year-round boating under the influence awareness and enforcement campaign with the mission of reducing the number of alcohol-related accidents and fatalities.

National Electrical Manufacturers Association:

Won Gold for its Strategic Initiatives Program, established to prepare NEMA members to thrive in a rapidly evolving, and sometimes uncertain, industry.

American Coatings Association:
Won Gold for PaintCare, Inc., a program to educate the public on the proper management of paint, as well as coordinate the stewardship efforts of paint industry stakeholders nationwide.

Public Library Association:
Won Gold and Summit for Every Child Ready to Read, a research-based program that employs public libraries to teach parents how to help develop literacy skills in their children, as well as advance the training of public library staff.

School Nutrition Association/Foundation:

Won Gold for its Partners for Breakfast in the Classroom initiative, created to increase breakfast consumption among school children and spark the academic and nutritional gains associated with the morning meal.

Women's Dermatologic Society:

Won Gold for its Play Safe in the Sun program, a community outreach initiative to conduct free skin cancer screenings, provide sun damage assessments, distribute sun safety educational materials, and free sunscreen samples to event attendees.