IOA ANNOUNCES 2023 PRESIDENT AWARD RECIPIENTS

The International Ombuds Association (“IOA”) is proud to announce the recipients of the 2023 President’s Award.

The President’s Award recognizes distinguished individuals for their commitment to serving the ombuds field and/or the International Ombuds Association. All award recipients were recognized at the IOA's Annual Conference 3-5 April in Seattle, Washington. The 2023 award recipients are:

**Camilo Azcarate, JD, LLM**, Ombuds, European Southern Observatory  
**Roy Baroff, CO-OP®, JD**, Ombuds, MWI & The McCammon Group  
**Mollie Berg, CO-OP®, NGA** Ombudsman, National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency  
**Shannon Lynn Burton, PhD**, University Ombudsperson, Michigan State University  
**Jai Calloway, JD, MDR**, Director, Ombuds Office, Harris Health System  
**Susan Casino**, Senior Ombuds Officer Consultant, United Nations World Food Programme  
**Lynne Chaillat**, Firm Ombuds, McKinsey & Company Inc. France  
**Mary Bliss Conger, EdD**, Consultant  
**Dolores Gomez-Moran, CO-OP®, MA**, Senior Ombuds Officer and Mediator, United Nations World Food Programme  
**Brett Harris, JD**, University Ombudsperson, University of Oregon Ombuds Program  
**Timothy Hedeen, PhD**, Kennesaw State University  
**Melanie Jagneaux, CO-OP®, JD, MBA**, Executive Director, Ombuds Office, Baylor College of Medicine  
**Jessica Kuchta-Miller, JD, MA**, University Ombuds, Duke University  
**Donna Louden**, Director, Ombuds Office, National Renewable Energy Laboratory  
**Bruce MacAllister, JD**, Ombudsman, International Foundation for Online Responsibility  
**Sana Manjeshwar, CO-OP®, JD, SPHR**, Global Principal Ombuds Manager, Chevron Corporation  
**David Miller, PhD**, Ombudsman Supervisor, Decanter Bay  
**Jennifer Smith Schneider, CO-OP®, PhD**, Student Ombuds, University of South Florida  
**Fred Wright, MS, MSW**, Workplace Conciliator, Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning, Victoria State Government

“It is an honor to recognize these talented colleagues who have demonstrated excellence in advancing both the field and awareness about the role of organizational ombuds” said Ronnie Thomson, IOA President 2022-2023.
About the International Ombuds Association
The International Ombuds Association (IOA) is a professional association committed to supporting organizational ombuds worldwide. The association’s members help others safely navigate conflict and change in corporations, educational institutions, non-profit organizations, government entities and nongovernmental organizations across the globe. IOA provides professional development, networking, mentoring and other resources, and advocates for issues impacting ombuds. Learn more at www.ombudsassociation.org.

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