

January 2019 Newsletter

Annual Banquet - Dream Big

When: January 17th
6:00 registration/6:30 meal served/7:00
presentation

Where: The Centennial (formerly Hotel RL -
where we were last year), 303 W North River
Dr, Skyline 1 Room

Dinner Buffet

Seared Flank Steak
Roast Turkey with Country Stuffing
Au Gratin Potatoes
Whipped Sweet Potatoes
Farm Green Salad
Bibb Salad
Deserts

**Cost: \$35 members, \$55 non-members, \$20
students**

If you haven't done so already, please make
sure you have renewed your membership for
2019. Remember to include the Inland Empire
chapter our local chapter is funded.

RSVP: Kevin Picanco, ASCE-IE VP

*Note this is our general IE ASCE
email address now.*

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Please RSVP by January 11th.

Two ways to pay by card:

 In advance or



Square at the door.

**And cash/check at the door is
still accepted!**

Guest Speakers



Mandy Manning

2018 National Teacher of the
Year

Mandy teaches English to newly arrived refugee and immigrant students in the Newcomer Center at Joel E. Ferris High School in Spokane, Washington. In her classroom, Mandy uses experiential projects like map-making to help her students process trauma, celebrate their home countries and culture, and learn about their new community. As 2018 National Teacher of the Year, Mandy has been encouraging educators to teach their students to overcome their fears and seek out new experiences.

Mandy earned a Bachelor of Arts from Eastern Washington University, a Masters of Arts from West Texas A & M University, and a Masters of Fine Arts from Northwest Institute of Literary Arts. Mandy is a National Board Certified Teacher.



Kara Ball
2018 Department of
Defense Education
Activity Teacher of
the Year

Kara teaches a fourth and fifth grade classroom in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) at Delalio Elementary School in Camp Lejuene, North Carolina. She uses project based learning and hands on modeling to engage her students and inspire the girls in her classroom to pursue STEM in their future studies and careers.

Kara earned her Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education and Special Education from Towson University and went on to earn a Masters of Education with a Specialization in Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment from Walden University. Ms. Ball was a finalist for the Presidential Award for Excellence in Math and Science Teaching, and was a finalist for 2018 National Teacher of the Year.



Tammie Schrader Regional
Science Coordinator for
Eastern Washington

Tammie spent the first 7 years of her career in Southern California working on the Space Shuttle Program for Rocketdyne International. She then spent 15 years as a science teacher at Cheney Middle School, and since has worked on numerous projects at the local and national level advocating for STEM in schools. In her current role, she oversees science curriculum and programming for 59 school districts in Eastern Washington.

Tammie has her Bachelor of Science in Education and Biology, a Masters of Arts in Education and Teaching At Risk Students, and is currently a Ph.D. candidate writing her dissertation on Leadership and Policy in the Classroom.