



Advancing the Heart of 21st Century Skills”

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Basic Membership Levels:

___ \$10: Student Member

___ \$35: Individual member

___ \$50: Friend

___ \$100: Business/Community & School Organizations

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Additional Levels of Membership:

___ \$250: Bronze Level

___ \$2,500: Platinum Level

___ \$500: Silver Level

___ \$5,000: Diamond Level

___ \$1,000: Gold Level

___ \$___ : Additional Contribution

If paying by mail, please make checks payable to **IAAE** and send to:
Martha Kroese, IAAE Treasurer, 2102 Minnetonka Drive, Cedar Falls, Iowa 50613

If paying by credit card, membership forms/payment details are available on-line at:
www.iowaalliance4artsed.org

Recent Activities & Accomplishments of IAAE:

- Planned and executed the annual Fine Arts Advocacy Day on January 25, 2017 at the State Capitol to advocate for legislative support of arts education and continued legislative financial support of the IAAE “Model of Excellence” mentoring program.
- Secured passage of SF210 which amends the Iowa Code to direct the Iowa Department of Education to employ at least a .5 Fine Arts Consultant
- Secured passage of legislation in 2016 to fund the IAAE “Model of Excellence” mentoring program. This funding (\$25,000, matched by IAAE) was the only new line item added the education budget during the 2016 legislative session
- Coordinated the advocacy efforts to the Iowa legislature, Iowa Department of Education and State Board of Education to adopt arts standards for the state of Iowa. This adoption process has begun and the standards are scheduled to be submitted to the State Board of Education in November of 2017.
- Participated in the Arts & Culture Working Group with the Iowa STEM Council & presented clinics at the STEM Best Conference
- Hosted the Iowa Arts Education Summit in June of 2016 which brought over 50 arts educators, legislators, business leaders and arts advocate to discuss issues facing arts education in Iowa and propose solutions to these concerns. The information gathered at this meeting was used to develop the IAAE strategic plan.
- Participated in the Arts Advocacy Day in Washington D.C.
- Continued implementation of the ‘Iowa Model of Excellence’ mentoring program
- Collaborated with the Iowa Arts Council and Iowa Department of Education on developing professional development opportunities for Iowa arts educators
- Collaborated with the Iowa Department of Education on the development of the ESSA plan for the state of Iowa