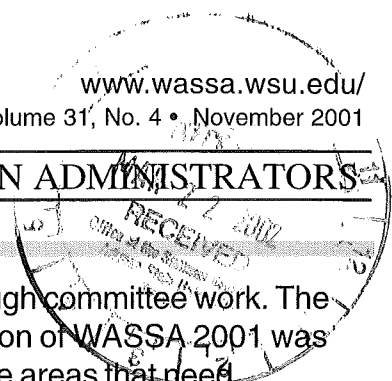




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Letter from the President

September 2001 was a sobering time for the world. WASSA 2001, held Sept. 26-30 in Las Vegas, was important as it reaffirmed the care and concern members of the WASSA family have for each other. Paul Aizley and his staff, as well as the Tropicana Hotel staff, did an extraordinary job under uncertain conditions. WASSA President Dave Nyman was perfect—hosting, presiding and generally keeping participants on track.

New ideas and friends, confirmation of best practices combined with some “fun” activities molded a complete package for participants. Encouraging was the energy and enthusiasm generated and the number of participants that volunteered to

contribute through committee work. The overall evaluation of WASSA 2001 was excellent. Those areas that need modification will be addressed at the 2002 planning meeting. Thanks for the input.

WASSA 2002 will be hosted by Victor Kobayashi and Harriet Abe from the University of Hawaii, Manoa. It will be held Wednesday to Sunday, Sept. 4–8, at the Radisson Kauai Beach Resort, Kauai, Hawaii. Start making your plans now.

I look forward to working with Loy Lytle, the president-elect, as we and the executive board plan WASSA 2002.

Carol Switzer, President

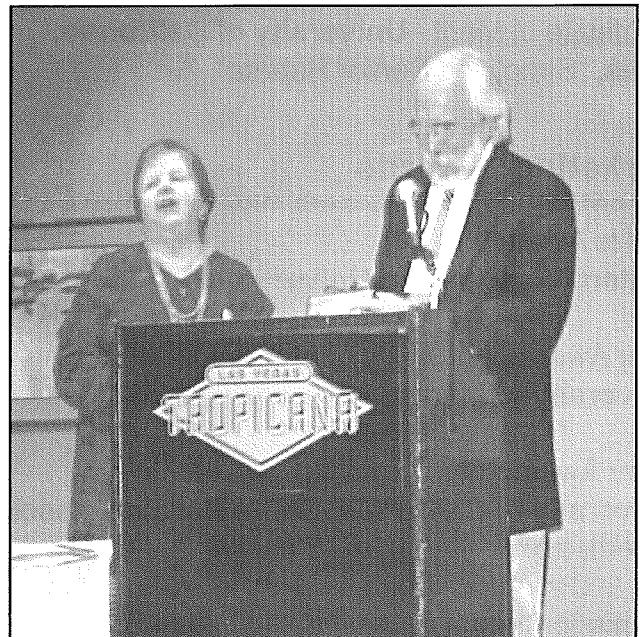
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Paul Bradley Honored with 2001 Distinguished Service Award

Paul Bradley of San Jose State University is the recipient of the 2001 Distinguished Service Award for the Western Association of Summer Session Administrators. The award was announced at the banquet during the annual conference in Las Vegas and presented by past WASSA president Jody Fisher.

Bradley is retiring this fall as associate dean of University Continuing Education at SJSU.

An active member of WASSA for many years, he served as president in 1995-96 and hosted the 1988 annual conference with the theme, “Learn the Way to San Jose.”



Paul Bradley receives the 2001 Distinguished Service Award at the WASSA annual conference. Jody Fisher, left, now retired (Loyola Marymount University), presents the award.

2001 Winners Announced

Awards Note Outstanding Leadership and Innovation

Exemplary and Innovative Program Awards

Credit Program Winner
University of Calgary, "Nursing Health Care in Forensic Populations"

Certificate of Merit - **University of California, Santa Barbara**, "Pre-College Research Mentorship Program"

Non-Credit Program Winner
University of California, Santa Barbara, "Discover the Treasures of UCSB Summer Sessions 2001: A Unique, Educational Marketing Campaign"

Certificate of Merit - **University of Hawaii**, "Commedia Dell'Arte Workshop"

Administrative Program Winner
University of California, Santa Barbara, "Postal Power"

Certificate of Merit - **University of California, Davis**, "Simplified Senior Rebate"

Marketing Awards

Poster Award
Eastern Washington University

Flyer Award
University of Manitoba

Other Award
University of California, Santa Barbara, special advertising

Thematic Campaign Award
California State University, Chico

Web Site Awards

Best Web Site
University of Arizona, www.arizona.edu

Certificate of Merit - **University of Alaska, Fairbanks**, www.uaf.edu/summer

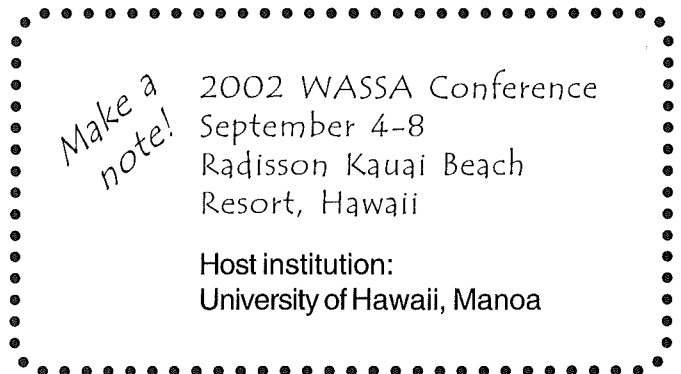
Catalog Awards

Best Overall Winner
University of California, Berkeley

First Runner-Up - **University of Alaska, Fairbanks**

Best Cover Winner
University of California, Riverside

First Runner-up - **University of Manitoba**



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